



Dear Third Grader,

Welcome to the third grade! My name is Mrs. Grubb and I am very excited to be your teacher! Over the summer I will be busy getting our classroom ready for all of our new friends. I can't wait to see you and begin a fun-filled year together.

Our third grade adventure begins on Monday, August 27th ...the first day of school! I know you are going to love third grade. Please bring your school supplies with you on that day.

Third grade is such a special year. I am excited to be a part of your learning! I look forward to a successful year!

Sincerely,
Mrs. Grubb

Parents/Guardians:

Please take a moment to e-mail me at kgrubb@philasd.org. Tell me ONE thing you would like me to know about your child. Please add any health issues (asthma, food allergies, etc.) Also, please let me know how your child will be going home on the first day (bus #, walker line, afterschool program). If you do not have Internet access, please send a note in on the first day with the 3 pieces of information.

Suggested Summer Assignments:

Reading- Read every day for at least 20 minutes. You should be reading chapter books on your reading level.

WRITING- Write on a daily basis.

Remember how important it is to elaborate on your ideas. When you are writing, think about: who, what, when, where, why, and how to improve on your writing. Also remember similes and metaphors add great detail!

MATH- practice your addition, subtraction, and multiplication facts.

Computer- if you have access to a computer, play educational games, such as: abcya.com, hoodamath.com, freerice.com, khanacademy.org, pbs.org, funbrain.com, & kids.usa.gov.