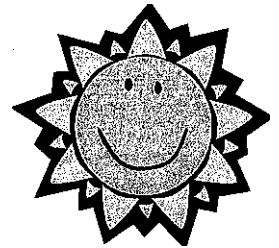


Dear Third Grader,

Welcome to third grade! We hope that you had an exciting, fun, and relaxing summer! We can't wait to hear about your adventures, and we can't wait to share ours with you as well.

Here is a list of some items you may want to bring with you the first day of school:

- A pair of **headphones** in a gallon-sized baggie with your name on them. These will be your own person headphones-not to be shared.
- Small box of **crayons and/or markers**
- A **Composition book**
- A **spiral notebook**
- **2-pocket folders (red, yellow, green, blue and purple)**-Ms. Sawyers' students will only need 1 folder. any color
- **Pencils**
- **Erasers**
- Hand-held **pencil sharpener**
- **Scissors**
- **Glue sticks**
- Small **container** to hold little items
- **Water bottle** with your name on it to keep in the classroom



Other suggested items:

- Tissues
- Paper Towels
- Clorox Wipes
- Baggies (Quart)
- Band-Aids

Every day we will take a short break for a morning snack. Please send your child with something nutritious to give them energy and to hold them over until lunch. Studies have shown the positive effects of eating healthy foods during the day for students. We strongly discourage students eating sugary treats on a daily basis. Items such as snack rolls, cookies, pop tarts, donuts, cupcakes, etc should be saved for special occasions such as birthday treats.

**See you for the first day of school on August 28, 2016. First bell is at 8:35. Dismissal on the first day is at 12:07.**

See you soon!

***ff/1*** Third Grade Teachers