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Dear Future Third Graders:

We are looking forward to next year and we want you to be prepared right from the start. The following is a list of supplies you will need for all the third grade teachers in order for us to have a successful school year.

- 3 dozen #2 plain yellow pencils (1 dozen sharpened)
- 1 - 2 pocket PLASTIC YELLOW folder
- 3 glue sticks (extra strength or glue all)
- 3 pink pearl erasers (LARGE)
- 1 pair of scissors
- 2 boxes 24 crayons
- 2 boxes of 12 colored pencils
- 1 plastic pencil box
- 3 boxes of tissues
- 1- 1.5 inch clear view binder
- 1- 3 ring canvas pencil case (to be put inside the binder)
- 2 marble comp. notebooks
- 1- 3-subject spiral notebook (wide rule)
- 1 pair of earbuds (name labeled & in a plastic bag)
- 2 packs of 4 fine tip expo markers (black or blue)
- 1 personal, NON-battery operated sharpener

\*\*\*We recommend buying an extra binder, folders and pencils during “back to school” sales.\*\*\*

Reading, writing and arithmetic shouldn't stop just because it's summer. These skills need to be practiced. Our summer reading list is on the back. This is just a guide, so feel free to read books of your own choosing. Practice your writing by keeping a journal of your summer fun, and last but not least, practice those addition and subtraction facts.

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## RECOMMENDED SUMMER READING LIST/THIRD GRADE

If you like **funny** books, you'll love:

- *The Chicken Squad: The First Misadventure* (series) by Doreen Cronin
- *Amelia Bedelia Unleashed* (series) by Herman Parish
- *Doodle Adventures: The Search for Slimy Space Slugs!* (series) by Mike Lowery
- *Myth-O-Mania* (series) by Kate Mullan
- *Lunch Lady* (series) by Jarrett J. Krosoczka
- *Wayside School* (series) by Louis Sachar
- *Galactic Hot Dogs: Cosmoe's Wiener Getaway* (series) by Max Ballier
- *My Big Fat Zombie Goldfish* (series) by Mo O'Hara

If you like **friendship** stories, you'll love:

- *The Year of...* (series) by Andrea Cheng
- *Ellie, Engineer* (series) by Jackson Pearce
- *The Vanishing Coin* by Kate Egan and Mike Lane
- *Ivy and Bean* (series) by Annie Barrows
- *The Friendship Code #1 Girls Who Code* by Stacia Deutsch (STEM)
- *Wishtree* by Katherine Applegate

If you like **adventure** and **mystery** books, you'll love:

- *I Survived* (series) by Lauren Tarshis
- *The Jolly Regina: The Unintentional Adventures of Bland Sisters* (series) by Kara LaReau
- *Dragonbreath* (series) by Ursula Vernon
- *Secret Agent Jack Stalwart* (series) by Elizabeth Singer Hunt
- *The Great Shelby Holmes* by Elizabeth Eulberg
- *Zoo Camp Puzzle* (series) by Gail Herman

If you like **animal** books, you'll love:

- *Jenny and the Cat Club* (series) by Esther Averill
- *The Critter Club* (series) by Callie Barkley and Marsha Riti
- *Strongheart: Wonder Dog of the Silver Screen* by Candace Fleming
- *Dolphin Rescue (Animal Planet Adventures)* (series) by Catherine Nichols
- *The Rescue Princesses* (series) by Paula Harrison
- *Puppy Place* (series) by Ellen Miles