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Welcome Incoming 3rd Graders,

You are entering the upper grades at P.S. 98. You're going to be a ... 3rd GRADER! You have come so far and worked so hard to get to this point. Third grade is going to come with its own responsibilities, challenges, growth, and fun.

We want you to enjoy your summer. Enjoy being young and free. Enjoy learning about the world around you through different experiences. Remember to be kind and think before you speak and act. We can't wait to hear all about your summer. Make sure you read, read, read, everyday, complete your summer homework, start learning your multiplication facts, (flash cards are always helpful) and come prepared with everything on your supply list the first two days of school. The most important things you need to bring next year are... a positive attitude and a smile. 😊

See you soon,

Your 3rd grade teachers

Included in this packet are:

- ☐ Supply list
- ☐ Summer Reading HW: Choice Board
- ☐ Summer Math HW: Problems and Multiplication Facts

Summer Reading Book Choices

Incoming Third Grade

Directions: Select **one** of the book choices below to read that is **closest to your Lexile reading/interest level (found on I-Ready family report)**. Then, use the **Choice Board** provided to select an activity which will help you demonstrate your understanding of your book selection. **HAVE FUN!**

- Young Cam Jansen by David Adler
- Horrible Harry Moves up to Third Grade by Suzy Kline
- Freckle Juice by Judy Blume
- How to Be Cool in Third Grade by Betsy Duffey
- Third Grade Angels by Jerry Spinelli
- Frindle by Andrew Clements

Summer Math Problems

Directions: Read the word problems. Before completing the problems, carefully read the checklist provided. Show all of your work on paper and attach the question sheet.

Checklist:

- Circle the important information
- Underline what the question is asking you to do
- Explain the steps you took to arrive at your answer
- Label all of your answers

• Shannon sold pineapples at a farmer's market. There were 5 pineapples in each box. She sold 6 boxes! If she sold an equal number of pineapples to 10 people, how many pineapples did each person buy? How do you know?

• Mr. Grossman loves to walk his dog around the block. It takes 7 minutes to walk around the block once. Every night, Mr. Grossman walks his dog around the block 3 times. Altogether, how long does it take Mr. Grossman to walk his dog over a 3 day period?

• Matthew has 25 pretzels. He put an equal number of pretzels on 4 plates. How many pretzels did Matthew place on each plate? Were any left over? Explain and show all of your work.

- Dino loves cookies! He bakes 2 dozen oatmeal cookies, 2 dozen chocolate chip cookies, and 1 dozen sugar cookies.

A. How many cookies did Dino bake in all?

B. If he gives away 12 oatmeal cookies, 8 chocolate chip cookies, and 6 sugar cookies, how many of each will he have left for himself?

(1 dozen = 12)