

2022-2023 Summer Reading and Math Requirements for students entering 3rd Grade

As this school year comes to an end, I am already looking forward to and planning for the 2022-2023 school year. I am excited that I will have the opportunity to teach your child next school year. This summer students will not be required to complete a set amount of minutes in Moby Max, however it is highly recommended that they do continue to work in both reading and math over the summer. This will help with keeping them in practice with skills and helping them prepare for the start of 3rd grade.

For issues with Moby Max (log in issues, need a username) or math related questions please contact Heather Romero at hromero@hbcsni.org.

Reading-Optional

Students entering 3rd grade will be given an optional book to read over the summer. Students will be allowed to use their book as their first fiction reading room grade for the first nine week period. They will also be given 5 bonus points if they successfully pass the test. The 3rd grade optional reading book is Stuart Little by E.B. White. I highly recommend that your child reads throughout the summer.

The following website has a recommended family read aloud list as well as a recommended grade level list:

<https://www.ecsenid.org/index.php/academics/acsi-recommended-reading-list>

Math - Optional

There are many websites to practice math. In third grade our main focus is learning multiplication and division. Therefore, students entering third grade should begin to memorize multiplication facts up to the 12's. You can use traditional flashcards to ensure fact fluency as well. It is fun to make up games using flashcards (like memory or BINGO). Below are a few math websites you may want to check out:

math-drills.com

adaptedmind.com

abcya.com

Mathgametime.com

Extra Practice - Optional

If you are looking for a good comprehensive workbook to use there are many out there. This is just an example of one that I have used with my own child in the past: *Summer Bridge Activities - Grades 2 - 3, Workbook for Summer Learning Loss, Math, Reading, Writing and More with Flash Cards and Stickers*. It is available on Amazon.

School Supplies

I know many of you will like to get a head start on purchasing school supplies for next year. A list of supplies is included in your packet. Just a few suggestions when looking: I highly recommend purchasing notebooks with plastic covers and plastic folders. These will last while the others tend to tear very easily. They will need 2 five subject notebooks with tabs or purchase tabs to put on them. I will send at the end of the summer what is to be written on each tab.

Please remember that these are all suggestions to help prepare your child for third grade and some are optional. I hope everyone has a wonderful relaxing summer. I am looking forward to seeing you all in August. If you need to reach out to meet for any reason over the summer my email is jbradley@hbcnsi.org

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