

THIRD GRADE TIMES

November 2020

Congratulations to the most recent Leaders of the Month!

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Children should read at home every night.

Reading

Unit: Character Studies

- Determining Character Traits
- Character Relationships
- Character Changes & Growth
 - Story Plot & Climax

Writing

Unit: Baby Literary Essay

- Making claims and theories
- Using text evidence to support theories
 - Essay structure
 - The writing process

Be sure to log in to your
Google Classrooms!

Math

- Introduction to Multiplication
- Strategies: Equal groups, repeated addition, arrays, skip counting
- Problem Solving Strategies

Social Studies and Science

- Continents & Oceans
 - Map Skills
- Weather & Climate

Reading Questions

- *Making Connections:* Does the topic or character remind you of anything in your life?
- *Questioning:* What did you wonder about while you were reading?
- *Visualizing:* What do you picture in your head while you are reading this?
- *Inferring:* Can you predict what is about to happen? What clues from the story helped you make that prediction?
- *Determining Importance:* If you were to tell someone about what you just read, what would you say is the most important part?
- *Synthesizing:* Did any of your ideas about the story change as you were reading? How did they change?

Music

In music class, 3rd graders will be reviewing a fun game from second grade that focuses on steady beat and nonverbal communication called "Shout Little Lulu." To further build on improving our nonverbal communication skills (as all musicians must do), we will play a game called The Numbers Game which will rely on eye contact, body language, and listening skills. Finally, to wrap up the month, we will begin by reviewing our songs for our Holiday Sing-a-long.



Art

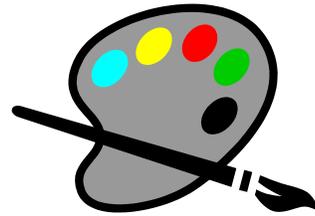
Students in third grade study color blending techniques and use of various papers.

Third grade studies cultures around the world. Third grade will create different blending techniques based upon the countries studied in their classroom.

Development of observation skills, and visual perception is developed through awareness obtained.

Presenting and Responding to student art projects through a Gallery walk. Students will respond to others works of art. Students will use their knowledge of the elements and principles of design when assessing students' works.

Different seasons are taught in painting. Knowledge is obtained on color, line, and shape, form and texture.



Physical Education

Just as the seasons continue to change, we will keep adapting to the changes here in PE. This month, we will honor our Veterans as we participate in challenges that test our strength and fitness as we lead to our Fit Challenge. Things may look different, but the goal is the same; learn how fitness impacts all areas of life.



Library

In November, 3rd grade students will be learning all about library call numbers. Library call numbers are labels on a book that help tell us where we can find the books on the shelves. November is Picture book month in the library, and we will continue to read lots of picture books.

