



STAR Academy Charter School
Third Grade Summer Reading Reminder & Supply List

Dear Rising Third Graders,





We hope you are enjoying your summer vacation! In order to prepare for an incredible **third** grade year, please have read selected books listed in the *Summer Reading List*, updated your *Summer Reading Logs*, and completed your *Summer Book Reports*. These mentioned items are due on the **FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL, Monday, August 5th, 2019 (7:30 am- 3:00 pm)**. We look forward to seeing you soon!

Third Grade Team

Third Grade Supply List (2019-2020)

Check	Quantity/Packs	Item(s)
✓	1	Example
	1	Case it/ Trapper Keeper (image provided below)
	1	Headphones (with 3.5mm jack)
	1	2 Inch Binder (<i>white with clear cover</i>)
	3-4 packs	College Ruled Notebook Paper
	2	Index Cards (1 3x5, 1 4x6)
	4 packs	# 2 Pencils
	1 pack	Highlighters
	1 pack	Colored Pencils (12 count)
	2 of each	Kleenex, Clorox Wipes, Hand Sanitizer
	1 pack	White Copy Paper
	1	Construction Paper
	1	Dividers (5-6 tab pack)
	1	Pocket Dictionary/Thesaurus
	1	Glue Sticks (3-4/pack)



Item	Example
Case It/Trapper Keeper (<i>any color</i>)	
Dividers	
2 Inch Binder (<i>white with clear cover</i>)	
Headphones (<i>with 3.5mm jack</i>)	





Entering 3rd Grade Summer Reading List

Research has shown that the single greatest factor in predicting reading success is whether a child is read to when young. Here are some titles to get you started! **Please note** that the reading level of the books suggested varies. If your child is already reading have him or her read a page of the book aloud to you to see if it is a good fit. If they struggle with more than a few words on the page, it is probably too difficult, but the book would still be a great book to read aloud to your child. **The Summer Book Report Project, that is due on Monday, August 5th, 2019, is on the back.**

Fiction titles are in order of increasing difficulty. Students are ONLY REQUIRED to READ 1 Fiction title and 1 Non-Fiction title for a total of 2 REQUIRED READS.

Reading Selections

Fiction:

- *A to Z Mysteries* by Ron Roy (any in series)
- *Alvin Ho: Allergic to Girls* by Lenore Look (any in series)
- *I Survived...* by Lauren Tarskis (any in series)

Non-Fiction: Any biography

PA Core Challenge Optional:

- *Catwings* by Ursula Le Guin
- *Charlotte's Web* by E.B. White
- *The Hundred Dresses* by Eleanor Estes

Animal Stories

- *The Adventures of Paddington Bear* by Michael Bond
- *Babe: The Gallant Pig* by Dick King-Smith
- *The World According to Humphrey* by Betty G. Birney

Historical Fiction

- *Ben and Me* by Robert Lawson
- *If You Grew Up with George Washington* by Ruth Belov Gross
- *I Survived Hurricane Katrina 2005* by Lauren Tarshis
- *Pink and Say* by Patricia Polacco
- *Snowflake Bentley* by Jacqueline Briggs Martin
- *Teammates* by Peter Golenbock

Award Winners

- *Doctor De Soto* by William Steig
- *Jumanji* by Chris Van Allsburg
- *Rabbit Hill* by Robert Lawson

Great Series Books:

- Amelia Bedelia series by Peggy Parish
- Arthur series by Marc Brown
- Eyewitness Science Explorers
- Little House series by Laura Ingalls Wilder

Great Reads:

- *The Invisible Boy* by Trudy Ludwig
- *The Most Magnificent Thing* by Ashley Spires
- *Stellaluna* by Janell Cannon
- *What Do You Do With An Idea?* by Kobi Yamada

