

Dear Students,

Welcome to Third Grade! I know you've worked hard all year in second grade to make progress in reading and math. It's important to keep that effort going during the summer. All 3rd grade students must read Sarah, Plain and Tall by Patricia MacLauchlan and The World According To Humphrey by **Betty G. Birney**. It is still okay to read aloud or take turns reading the book with an adult. We will complete activities in class related to the stories the first few weeks of school. Please bring your summer reading books to class on the first day of school.

Be ready to take an AR test over **3 books**, answer reading response questions, and complete assignments when you return.

Your third book comes from **The Who Was Series**. These can be checked out at The Fort Worth Library. These are titles that coincide with topics we will be discovering in third grade.

The list is below:

**What Is NASA?**

**Where is Antarctica?**

**Where Is the Great Barrier Reef?**

**Where Is the Solar System?**

**Where Is Mount Rushmore?**

**Where Is The Grand Canyon?**

**Where Is The White House?**

**Where Is The Mississippi River?**

**What Was the Titanic?**

**What Was the San Francisco Fire?** **What Was Ellis Island?**

**What Was The Underground Railroad?** **What Was The Alamo?**

**Who Was Cesar Chavez?** **Who Was George Washington Carver?**

**Who Was Mother Teresa?** **Who Was Martin Luther King?** **Who Was Laura Ingalls Wilder?**

**Who Is Pope Francis?**

All students are required to continue to play **Reflex Math** at home. I will be monitoring progress during the summer. If you lost the password, please send Mrs. Wetmore an email. Students should work on it at least once a week. It can be put on travelling devices. It can also be a productive way to curb boredom.