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Welcome to 3rd Grade!

Mrs. Z.Z.
2016-2017

About Me!

- Graduate of California State University, San Bernardino; B.A.
- Master's Degree in Education
- This is my sixteenth year teaching at Franklin
 - *2nd grade 13years, 7th year teaching 3rd*
- Married since 1993
 - Two children, *and Eli*



Standards/Curriculum

- **Transitioning to Common Core State Standards**
- **Key topics in 3rd grade:**
 - ***Math (hardest concepts)***
 - **MULTIPLICATION and DIVISION!!!**
 - **Math using number lines, Equivalent Fractions etc.**
 - ***Cursive***
 - ***Accelerated Reader***
 - **Weekly stories tested in computer lab**
 - **www.arbookfind.com- will give level and quiz number**
 - ***Writing***
 - **We love to write in 3rd grade!!!!**
 - ***Science and Social Studies***
 - **Science: Life, Earth and Physical**

Behavior Expectations

- Follow class and school rules
- Card pulling system
 - *Behavior sheets to be signed and returned in homework folders*
- Table Points/Whole Class Rewards
- Super Star of the Week
- Come to school prepared
- RESPECT
- Parent support with classroom behavior expectations/consequences

Communication

E-Mail, E-Mail, E-Mail!!!- Best way to get a hold of me

CZAMORA@CNUSD.K12.CA.US

- **Weekly newsletters**
- **Thursday Folders**
- **Classroom Website:**
<http://www.cnusd.k12.ca.us/Domain/4057>
- **Always available for meetings, but please give notice!**
- **Join “Remind” for Class Texts throughout the year! Enter the number **81010****

Grading Scale

- See grade scale in tonight's brochure
- *Certain assignments will be given opportunities for re-takes.
- *Graded work comes home every Thursday*
- *Third grade is a big transition from 2nd. Concepts are mostly new and the pace is pretty fast. It will not be uncommon to see N's this year.



Homework

- **Issued every Monday in weekly packets:
Due Friday!**
- **A newsletter will be attached to each packet**
- **Behavior sheets go home from the previous week to be signed and returned on Fridays**
- **Monthly book reports or Think About It Project**
- **Reading log**
- ***Homework must be complete and turned in on time Friday to qualify for Fun Friday activities.**

Daily Schedule

8:45-9:15- Pledge, Attendance, C.C. D.L.R./Cursive/A.R.

9:15-10:45- Language Arts

10:30-10:45- P.E. / 100 Mile Club

10:45-11:00- Recess (Snack Time)

11:00-12:05- C.C. Daily Math Review/Math

12:05-12:50- Lunch

12:50-1:30- Intervention and Enrichment Groups

1:30-1:45- Recess

1:45-2:50- Writing (M,W,F)

Science/Social Studies (T,Th)

“Time for Kids” C.C. Lessons

2:50-2:57- Clean-up/Star Student Share/Dismissal

***1:57- Dismissal on Wednesdays!**

Library is every WEDNESDAY

Computer lab is every Monday and Wednesday

Fun Friday is end of the day

Timelines for Learning

February 1st

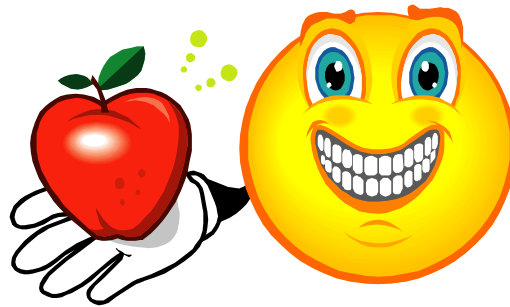
- *Students are at a writing rubric score of 2 on a 4-point scale.**
- *Students have memorized their multiplication tables through 12.**
- *Students have mastered their Quality Spelling Words for third grade.**

May 1st

- *Students are at a writing rubric score of 3 on a 4-point scale.**
- *Students are reading at AR level 3.9**
- *A Timeline for Learning update will be send home at the end of each trimester**

Volunteers/Visitors

- **District clearance needed**
- **Help is always appreciated**



Parents' Role

- **Support your student!**
- **Support the teacher!**
- **Reinforce skills learned at school at home**
- **Maintain open communication**
 - *Let me know anytime you have a concern/question first*
- **Encourage your child to be responsible**



Supplies/Wish List

- **Student's need:**
 - *Dry erase markers (EXPO)*
 - *Pencils*
 - *Glue Sticks*
- **Mrs. Z.Z.'s class always needs:**
 - **Computer Paper*
 - **Glue sticks*
 - **Pencils*
 - **Liquid White Glue*
 - **Computer Ink HP901 Black or HP901 Color*
 - *Liquid Hand Soap*
 - *Clorox Wipes*
 - *\$\$\$Time For Kids Nonfiction Magazine Subscription\$\$\$*

Thank you for
coming!

