

**P** Practice Kindness  
**A** Act Responsibly  
**W** Work Hard  
**S** Show Respect



# 3rd Grade News

Huckleberry Hill  
Elementary  
School  
Brookfield, CT  
May 2018



Thank you to Mr. Rojas, Mrs. Pearson and the cast and crew of "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" for a wonderful performance!

### Reminders:

- Parents - please check your child's assignment book daily.
- Students - please wear sneakers on PE days.

### Clothing:

- As the weather gets warmer, you may want to send your child to school with a water bottle. Please try to label all jackets, sweatshirts, sweaters, etc, with your child's name as items are often left out on the playground! Students may not wear flip flops.

### Supplies:

- Please check in with your child about what school supplies he/she needs to carry him/her through to the end of the year.

## Academic Updates

### Math

- During the month of May, we will focus on measurement and intervals of time.
- Students will build an understanding of measurement utilizing the metric system.
- Students will investigate data using pictographs, bar graphs, and line plots.
- Please have your child practice his/her math facts nightly.

### Social Studies and Science

- We are continuing our animal habitat unit.
- Students will explore a variety of habitats and learn about animal adaptations.
- Our next unit will be geography.
- After May 4th, please ask your child what he or she learned at the Connecticut Science Center.

### Reading

- We are continuing to work on our close reading skills, including main idea, author's purpose, point of view, and making inferences.

### Writing:

- We are concluding our persuasive writing unit.
- Our next unit will focus on poetry.
- Please ask your child about the Suzy Kline author visit.

## Upcoming Events/Important Dates

- May 2 - PAWS Assembly
- May 3 - Special Education Meet & Greet
- May 4 - Gr 3 Field Trip to CT Science Center
- May 7-11 Teacher Appreciation Week
- May 11 - School-wide Duct Tape Day
- May 15 - 25 - SBAC Testing
- May 9 - National School Nurse Day
- May 15 - PTO meeting 1:00 PM
- May 15 - Referendum Vote
- May 25 - Memorial Day Ceremony 9:30 AM
  - PLC Day Dismissal at 12:15 PM
  - Wear Red, White, & Blue Day
- May 28 - No school - Memorial Day
- June 1 - HHES Art Show 4:00PM-5:30PM
- June 4 - Chorus/Wind Ensemble Concert 7:00 PM
- June 8 - PAWS PRIDE DAY
- June 11 - PAWS Assembly
- June 12 - PTO meeting 1:00 PM
- June 15 - PAWS PRIDE (Rain Date)
- June 22 - Last Day of School - Dismissal 12:15PM

### Learning Website Recommendations:

If you haven't already, please check out...

Math Activities: [www.ixl.com](http://www.ixl.com)

(each student has his or her own personal log-in)

