

# Ms. Borders' and Miss Eley's Monthly Class Newsletter

April 5, 2024



Dear Room 208 and 210 Families,

We are now in the fourth, and final, quarter of third grade! Your students have worked so hard!

The Ohio state testing is this month. Both the Reading test and the Math test have two parts. Tests will be administered in the mornings April 3<sup>rd</sup> until April 24<sup>th</sup>. We are super proud of the growth we have seen this year and look forward to an opportunity to show it! Please be sure your third grader gets a good night's sleep and eats breakfast each day.

As always, thanks for your support!

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## **Ways to help your third grader at home:**

### **\*DAILY PRACTICE OF MATH FACTS**

THIRD GRADERS SHOULD HAVE ADDITION, SUBTRACTION, **AND** MULTIPLICATION FACTS MASTERED BY THE END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR. MATH FACTS ARE THE FOUNDATION FOR ALL OTHER MATH SKILLS AND WILL MAKE MATH EASIER FOR YEARS TO COME. TRY ASKING SIMPLE FACTS ORALLY WHEN YOU ARE IN THE CAR WITH YOUR CHILD. TEN EXTRA MINUTES A DAY WILL MAKE A HUGE DIFFERENCE!

### **\*TELLING TIME**

PRACTICE MAKES CLOSER TO PERFECT! WE HAVE STUDIED TELLING TIME WITH AN ANALOG CLOCK. YOU CAN CONTINUE THE PRACTICE WITH CLOCKS AT HOME. THIRD GRADERS SHOULD BE ABLE TO TELL TIME TO THE NEAREST MINUTE.

### **\*READING DAILY**

WE CANNOT SAY ENOUGH HOW IMPORTANT READING EACH DAY IS FOR YOUNG LEARNERS. TWENTY MINUTES OF READING EACH DAY MAKES A BIG DIFFERENCE IN ALL SCHOOL SUBJECTS AND IN DAILY LIFE.

## **Looking Ahead**

**April 3 through April 24**

**Ohio State Testing for 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade**

**Begins-watch for more information to come home**

**April 8**

**No School-Solar Eclipse Day**

**April 30 6:00-8:00 pm**

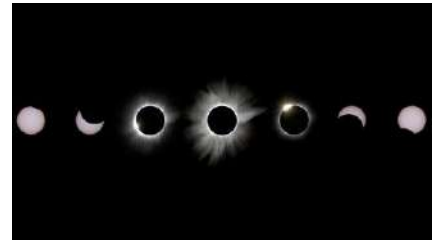
**GES Young Ladies' Spring Dance**

**May 27**

**Memorial Day-No School**

**May 31**

**Student Last Day of School**



## **Science and Social Studies**

In Science we have finished creating our animal research project videos. Now, we are talking about the upcoming eclipse. I have additional information to send home.

Here are some websites for more information:

NASA for Kids

<https://spaceplace.nasa.gov/>

Sci Show Kids video

<https://youtu.be/Rzb3M8e1AUI?si=jao18paVgVCO9fE3>



**March Wave Wonders**

**Rilynn Berger**

**Whitlee Willis**

**BOTH STUDENTS ARE GREAT EXAMPLES**

In April students are working to show