



# THIRD GRADE NEWS

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## Dates

- 12/16 Holiday Food Drive ends.
- 12/16 Interims go home.
- 12/22 Teacher Workday
- 12/23-1/2 Winter Break

## Holiday Food Drive

The Food Drive ends Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup>. Please bring items of non-perishable foods (**NO GLASS**) to school. All food collected will be distributed to Eastern Wake Families.

## Curriculum

### Reading

- Students will determine the main idea of a text and explain how the key details support the main idea.

### Writing

- Students will form an opinion about a topic and write to support their opinion.

### Math

- Students will solve the variable in an equation.
- Students will use multiple strategies to solve multiplication or division problems.
- Students will determine which operation to use to solve problems.
- Fluency Facts of the week: 3's and 6's.

### Science

- Students will recognize that the earth is part of a system called the solar system which includes the sun, planets, and many moons.
- Students will become moon watchers.

## Class Wish Lists

- ✓ Ms. Hotaling-Crayons, Scissors, Color sticky notes, Sandwich size Ziploc bags
- ✓ Mrs. Joyner/Ms. Johnson-Color dry erase markers, Color sticky notes, Color cardstock, Color Copy Paper, Stapler, Treasure Box Prizes, Sharpies, Highlighters, Board games for indoor recess, Books, LEGOS
- ✓ Mrs. Mitchell-Treasure Chest items, Erasers, Pencils, Color dry erase markers, Color sticky notes
- ✓ Mrs. White/Ms. Peterson-Pencils, Kleenex

## Websites to Explore

### Literacy

Big Universe--<https://www.biguniverse.com/>

TumbleBooks-<http://www.tumblebooklibrary.com/>

### Math

3rd grade Symbaloo-<http://bit.ly/2cdMQhU>

Multiplication.com-<http://www.multiplication.com/>

## Happy Holidays!

We wish you and your family a happy, safe, and relaxing holiday! Winter break is from Thursday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>-Monday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please encourage your child to read over winter break and practice the multiplication facts. You can also use the websites above to practice math and literacy.

The Third Grade Team