



# Parkview School

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Dear Families,

Happy summer and welcome to 3<sup>rd</sup> grade. We do hope that you take the time over the long summer to have fun, but also to review all of the wonderful skills your child has obtained during 2<sup>nd</sup> grade.

In order to help keep their minds sharp, we are sending home an independent reading response "story chart" activity for the children to complete over the summer. There are two charts to choose from based on the genre of book you choose, fiction or non-fiction.

Students may pick a book of their choice. Please see the suggested reading list from the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade teachers. If a book from the list doesn't interest you please make sure that you choose one on your reading level. We will be sharing these "story charts" when we come together on the first day of school in September.

In addition to reading, please remember to practice your math facts. We would like to see many 3<sup>rd</sup> grade names on the math wall of fame! Have fun, be safe and we look forward to meeting you all in September!

The Third Grade Teachers



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## Suggested Reading list for 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

### **Series:**

Jigsaw Jones  
Flat Stanley  
Magic Tree House  
Clementine  
Junie B. Jones  
Judy Moody  
Ivy and Bean  
Cam Jansen  
Amber Brown  
Who Was  
What Was  
Geronimo Stilton  
Mercy Watson  
Hank Zipzer  
I Survived  
Magic School Bus  
Nat Geo Kids Book

### **Authors:**

Patricia Polanco	Matt Christopher
Roald Dahl	Louis Sachar
Beverly Cleary	E.B. White
Judy Blume	Peggy Parrish

# I can read informational texts.

Nonfiction

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

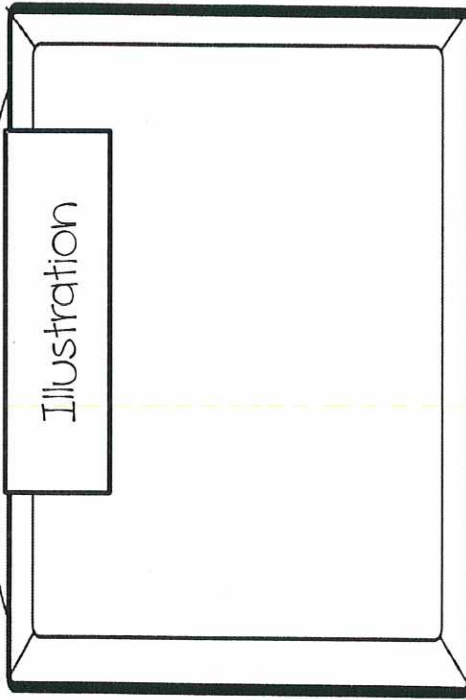
By (name): \_\_\_\_\_

Three Facts

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_



Caption: \_\_\_\_\_

1 Key Idea

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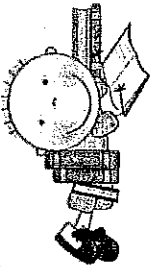
The Most Interesting  
Thing I Learned

My opinion about this topic:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# Story Retell



Fiction

Characters: Who is the story is about?

Setting: Where and when does the story takes place?

Story Title:

Problem: What is the character trying to overcome in the story?

Solution: How was the problem solved?