

HOLY TRINITY 3RD GRADE REQUIRED SUMMER WORK

Dear Incoming 3rd Grade Parents,

We are excited to have your child in the upcoming 2025-2026 school year. In preparation for next year, students need to complete the following required summer work.

1. Complete the included Math Summer Solutions workbook.
Ideally, spread the work throughout the summer. Please have your child show their work.

2. Summer Reading Requirements:

Choose one book from the following list. Before school begins, create a collage with images found in magazines or old books that reflect characters and settings in the book. No posters please. Just a standard size (approximately 8 x 11) size paper is perfect. Students will share these with their classmates. We will choose several each day to present and tell a little bit about them.

The Chalk Box Kid by Clyde Robert Bulla

A classroom favorite about the power of art and creativity. A new neighborhood. A new school. A lonely birthday. Life isn't easy for nine-year-old Gregory. Reading Level 2.7

My Name is Stilton, Geronimo Stilton by Elisabetta Dami

Newspaper editor Geronimo Stilton unknowingly hires a fourteen-year-old mouse named Pinky Pick as his assistant editor, but when he sees her for the first time, he can't believe his eyes.

Book #19

Reading Level 3.2

Helen Keller by Jayne Woodhouse

A simple introduction to the life of the blind and deaf woman who changed the world's opinions about disabilities such as her own. Reading Level 3.2

Magic Tree House Sunlight on the Snow Leopard by Mary Pope Osborne

Morgan le Fay tells Jack and Annie to seek out "The Gray Ghost" and listen to her story. They are whisked away to Nepal where they meet Tenzin, a climber, who takes them up the mountain to meet a snow leopard. Book #36 Reading Level 3.2

Magic Tree House Vacation Under the Volcano by Mary Pope Osborne

Their magic tree house takes Annie and Jack to Pompeii just as Vesuvius is about to erupt, and they must find a Roman scroll before everything is covered with burning ash. Book #13 Reading Level 3.3

Cam Jansen and the First Day of School Mystery by David Adler

On her first day of fifth grade, Cam Jansen uses her photographic memory to help the police find a car thief. Reading Level 3.3

The Stories Julian Tells by Ann Cameron

A compilation of six different stories that the narrator, Julian, tells about his life. We follow Julian through stories of major life events, and we see how his life is affected by his family, his imaginative mind, and his ability to get himself into trouble. Reading Level 3.4

The Real Slam Dunk by Charisse Richardson

Ten-year-old Marcus plans to become a professional basketball player, but when he, his twin sister, and their classmates meet a real star on a school field trip, they learn the importance of dreaming more than one career dream. Reading Level 3.6

3. Study addition and subtraction math facts. At the start of the year students will have assessments over these basic facts. Using flashcards is the best way to memorize!

****All required summer work must be completed by the student and returned to your 3rd-grade teacher on the first day of school. The completed work will be taken for the first reading and math grades.***

Thank you,
The 3rd Grade Teachers