



Third Grade Nest News

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Important Dates

- 9/12 - MAP-R testing
 - Back to School Night - 6:30-8:00
- 9/16 - iReady assessment
- 9/17 - iReady assessment
- 9/19 - MAP-M testing
- 9/27 - 2nd Cup of Coffee/PBOM - 8:40
- 9/30 - NO SCHOOL

Important Announcements

- We are always in need of PBOM readers! If you would like to volunteer to read a book during our PBOM (Principal's Book of the Month) celebration, please contact your child's homeroom teacher so we can sign you up!
- Volunteering in our school: Anyone wishing to volunteer (chaperoning field trips, helping out in the classroom, etc.) must have completed the Child Abuse and Neglect online training. Once completed, the training is recorded for three years. If you have already completed the training (online), please let one of the teachers or Mrs. Willis know so that we can check our records. The training can be accessed here:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1URJRNYdUyyL0ghVzZ32xLqPmkE7lwUvcRF2qid89ojA/preview>

ELA Standards

For the first 15 days, we are working on establishing the rituals and routines of our new curriculum, Benchmark Advance. We cover all aspects of the reader's and writer's workshops.

Here's a link if you'd like to find out more about the new curriculum:

<http://benchmarkadvance.com/#collapseExample7>

This letter also contains a helpful overview of the new curriculum.

English version:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1De2sq5bL1sOtgQ5DOO2exJVxtK6W3gK1BOySGPNILrA/edit>

Spanish version:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/0BzMgDIZbaR2vSDRLVFdGRjBrQ0U3c202d2laUV9pNWRDa1Uw/view>

Math Standards

3.OA.D.9 Identify arithmetic patterns and explain them using properties of operations

3.NBT.A.1 Use place value understanding to round whole numbers to the nearest 10 or 100

3.NBT.A.2 Fluently add and subtract within 1000 using strategies and algorithms based on place value, properties of operations, and/or the relationship between addition and subtraction

Science Standards

3-PS2-1. Plan and conduct an investigation to provide evidence of the effects of balanced and unbalanced forces on the motion of an object.

3-ESS2-1. Represent data in tables and graphical displays to describe typical weather conditions expected during a particular season.