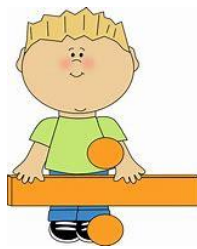




Dear New Third Grader,

Welcome to my class! I am Ms. Stoddard, your third grade teacher, and I cannot wait to meet you next year. I hope you are excited about learning some new things like fractions, multiplication and Massachusetts history. We have lots to learn, and we will have lots of fun. I would love you to read over the summer and write in a journal or type on the computer because we do a lot of reading and writing in third grade. It's also never too *early* to work on learning your multiplication facts. ☺ I am including a list of things that you can get over the summer that will be helpful next year in class. Please don't bring too much because you won't have much room in your desk. ***Have a wonderful summer and I will see you in August!!***



Truly,

Ms. Stoddard

Some things you will need:

Zippping Pencil Pouch
Sharpened Pencils (throughout the year)
4 Two-Pocket Folders for Classwork
1 Wide-Ruled, Spiral Notebook (any color)
Ear Buds or Headphones (for your own use)
Computer Mouse
Dry Erase Marker and Eraser
Crayons

Other things you might want to bring:

Pencils Already Sharpened	
Markers	
Glue Sticks	Scissors
Pencil Erasers	Clipboard
Colored Pencils	Pen to Correct With
Dry Erase Board	
Non-Motorized Pencil Sharpener (that collects its shavings)	



The classroom could always use:

**Hand Sanitizer **Tissues **Clorox Wipes