



# 3rd Grade

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# Monthly News

September 13, 2021

## From Mrs. Ruesch

We have had a fabulous start to the school year and I have so enjoyed getting to know your children. They have all been working very hard to learn all our new routines and I am very proud of them! It is going to be a great year together!! Please be sure to check our website a few times every week at minimum. **All important and timely information can be found there!!!!**

## **Picture of the Month**

Reminder: All our class pictures can be found on the website.



## Upcoming Events

**Friday Sept 17 - Parking Lot Party**

**September 27 & 30 - Picture Days**

## **This Month's Focus**

**Reading-** \* Learning reader's workshop routines \* Building our reading stamina with just right books. \* Understanding Characters' Traits, Actions, & Motivations \* Identify Characters, Problem, Solution (Somebody/Wanted/But/So/Then)

**Writing-** \* Learning writer's workshop routines & 3rd grade writing expectations  
\*Begin Writing a Fictional Narrative

**Word Study-** \* Begin "Word of the Week"  
\* Phonics/Spelling: Short vowels and syllables vc/cv; Plurals -s, -es, -ies; Base words and endings

**Math-** \* Use digits 0-9 to make 2-digit numbers, place value, time 1 hour from now and 1 hour ago, graphs, even or odd numbers, +/- 2 digit numbers, fractions, geometric shapes

**Social Studies-** \* MI symbols  
\* MI Map Smart

**Science-** \* Ecosystems (We will start science next week after we finish our Social Studies Unit for this month. Beginning next month we will alternate months of Social Studies and Science.)

**Bible-** \*Unit 1: God and His Word

**CLASS WEBSITE LINK:**

<https://sites.google.com/mightymessengers.org/ruesch3rd/home>

