Welcome to 3rd Grade!

We are thrilled about the year ahead and are excited to partner with you as your child continues to grow in independence, confidence, kindness, responsibility, and compassion.

As we begin this exciting journey together, we'd like to share some important information to help make the transition as smooth as possible.

Home-School Partnership

Cooperation: Your support is essential to your child's success. We value and appreciate your involvement!

Communication: Please check your child's book bag and Home-School folder daily. We'll use Konstella to share updates and you are always welcome to reach out with any questions or concerns.

<u>Participation</u>: We strongly encourage family participation—your involvement makes a big difference in creating a rewarding school experience for your child.

School Punctuality

Arrival Time: Students are expected to arrive by 8:30 AM to avoid disruptions and missing important learning time.

Late Pass: If a student arrives after 8:40 AM, they will need to obtain a late pass from the main office.



Back-to-School Supplies

Bulk Supplies: We've taken care of gathering essential classroom materials (folders, notebooks, pens, pencils, and more). We kindly ask each family to contribute \$70 (via check made out to "PS 199") to help cover the cost of these materials. Please send it in a blank envelope labeled with your child's name and "Supplies" by Friday, September 12.

• If your child's FIRST name begins with **A-M**: Please send in one box of tissues, one roll of paper towels, and one box of bandaids.

• If your child's FIRST name begins with **N–Z**: Please send in one bottle of hand soap, one Clorox wipes container, and one box of gallon ziploc bags.

Birthday Celebrations

Birthdays are celebrated in class on the actual day or a nearby week day if it falls on a weekend.

Students with summer birthdays will be honored in June with a special celebration.

Treat Guidelines:

- Please send nut-free treats in the morning
- Singing and celebrating will happen after lunch
- Popular treats include cupcakes, cookies, or donuts
- Please include paper goods (plates, napkins, etc.)
- Kindly note that celebrations are for students only

We look forward to an amazing school year filled with growth, learning, and joy.

Warmly,

Team Three