

Dear Parents,

Congratulations on your child completing second grade. Third grade is an exciting year of learning and social growth. Over the summer I would like your child to continue reading. Any books that you read with them or they read independently should be recorded on the book log that is attached to this packet. Students will then try to read more books throughout third grade than they did over the summer.

Students are required to read at least two books. Students will pick two of these books to read:

- “Ramona Quimby, Age 8” by Beverly Clearly
- “Summer Reading is Killing Me!” by Jon Scieszka
- “Because of Winn-Dixie” by Kate DiCamillo
- “Babe the Gallant Pig” By Dick King Smith
- “Thomas Edison” by Elizabeth Maclead
- “Snowflake Bentley” by Jacqueline Briggs Martin
- “Tea with Milk” by Allen Say

When your son or daughter is done reading a book they will fill out the book report form that is attached. (Don’t forget to look at the back.) The book report form is due by the end of the first week of school. Please help them read any words that are too difficult for them.

If you have any questions over the summer, you can e-mail me at thirdgrade@spnelementary.com. Please note that I may not check my e-mail everyday over the summer months due to not having internet access. However, I will respond as soon as I am able.

Have a nice relaxing summer!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Donovan
Third Grade Teacher