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Dear Parents,

Summer is finally here, and we are all looking forward to having fun in the sun! In order to prepare for a new school year, our elementary students will be required to complete the ***Summer Bridges Activities*** the first section for the grade in which they will enter in the fall (see below for the specific book information). These activity books provide excellent review and practice in all subject areas, even Physical Education and can be purchased through Amazon.com or Barnesandnoble.com. By working through 1-2 pages a day, students will complete the first section by the first day of school. Should you have time, encourage your child to complete as much of the rest of the book for extra credit. In addition, students should continue reading each day for 20 minutes to maintain growth in their fluency and comprehension. ***Please refer to our school website for each grade's specific supply lists and all other school information.***

**The *Summer Bridges Activities* section 1 must be completed and submitted to your child's classroom teacher by Friday, September 16, 2022.**

Thank you for your wonderful support throughout this past school year. We are so proud of the students' accomplishments! We pray God's richest blessings upon you throughout this summer, and we look forward to partnering with you once again in the new school year!

Sincerely in Christ,

Kimberly Schamberg  
Elementary Assistant Principal

Entering grade:

K: Summer Bridges Activities Grades PK-K; ISBN 978-1483815794

1: Summer Bridges Activities Grades K-1; ISBN 978-1483815800

2: Summer Bridges Activities Grades 1-2; ISBN 978-1483815817

3: Summer Bridges Activities Grades 2-3; ISBN 978-1483815824

4: Summer Bridges Activities Grades 3-4; ISBN 978-1483815831

5: Summer Bridges Activities Grades 4-5; ISBN 978-1483815848

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**Dear Future Third Graders,**

**Welcome to third grade! I am looking forward to being your teacher this coming school year. We will be learning new and exciting things. I am excited about getting to know each one of you and encouraging you along your third grade journey. Here are two OPTIONAL assignments for you to do over the summer. Although they are optional, it would be helpful in keeping your brain active for the upcoming school year 😊.**

**The first assignment is to read daily. Remember, readers are leaders 😊. Your local library is full of books. You are sure to find many that interest you. See if your library has a summer reading program in which you can participate. Check out your local library's website or Amazon for books.**

**The second optional assignment is the Summer Bridges Activities book, Grades 2-3. You can purchase this book at your local bookstore or on Amazon. There is even a suggested summer reading list in the front of the book.**

**I hope you enjoy your summer vacation with family and friends. I'll see you in September.**

**God Bless,**

**Ms. Moore**

**P.S.-Please do not forget your school supplies for the first day of school! Remember to have the bag labeled with your name.**



## Third Grade Supply List

### **HELPFUL supplies for home:**

- ✓ Bible (NIV version)
- ✓ Webster's dictionary
- ✓ Pencils
- ✓ Ruler (inches and centimeters)
- ✓ Crayons
- ✓ Chapter reading books

### **Personal Supplies- Please LABEL with child's name**

- ✓ 5 durable, plastic, 2-pocket folders (no black or glittery folders)
- ✓ 5- 1 subject spiral notebooks (no black covers)
- ✓ 1 white dry erase board (hand held)
- ✓ 1 package of dry erase markers, multi pack, attached eraser
- ✓ 1 highlighter
- ✓ 1 black sharpie (not thick)
- ✓ 1 box of Crayola washable markers, classic colors, broad line
- ✓ 1 box of Crayola crayons, 24 count
- ✓ 1 box of Crayola colored pencils
- ✓ 1 pair of Fiskars scissors-kids, pointed tip
- ✓ 1-12 inch ruler with inches and centimeters
- ✓ 1 pencil pouch (soft fabric with zipper)
- ✓ 1 clipboard
- ✓ The Holy Bible (NIV version) available at [www.Christianbook.com](http://www.Christianbook.com)
- ✓ Webster's Dictionary (paperback)
- ✓ Chromebook or laptop (if using a tablet, an external keyboard is required)
- ✓ Headphones

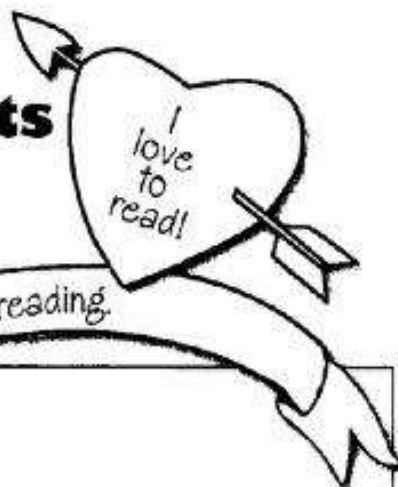
**Communal Supplies: Please DO NOT LABEL with child's name**

- ✓ 3 packages of Ticonderoga #2 pencils- (no designs, 12 in a pack minimum)
- ✓ 2 boxes of eraser pencil caps
- ✓ 1 package of glue sticks
- ✓ 1 container of Elmer's glue (4 oz)
- ✓ 1 large package of construction paper (multi-colored and no binding)
- ✓ Index cards-2 packs of 3x5, 2 packs of 4x6
- ✓ 3 Rolls of Tape (dispenser included)
- ✓ 1 package of wide-lined loose-leaf paper
- ✓ 1 box of Ziploc sandwich bags
- ✓ 1 box of Ziploc Freezer bags
- ✓ Tissues- either 3 large boxes or 5 small boxes
- ✓ 1 large bottle of hand sanitizer
- ✓ 1 roll of paper towels
- ✓ 1 package of baby wipes
- ✓ 1 package of disinfecting wipes

Name \_\_\_\_\_

# Just the Facts

## Book Report Form



*I can learn lots of true information by reading.*

Title:

Author:

Illustrator:

Three facts that I learned:

1

2

3

**Put a star by the most important fact.**

Dear Parents,

This is your child's independent reading book. After your child has read the book, discuss the factual information included. Help your child recall and list 3 facts on the report form. Finally, discuss which fact is the most important and star it.

This book report is due back in class: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# A Character T-Shirt

## Individual Book Report Project

1. Design a T-shirt for the main character in the book you just read.
2. Write the character's name across the middle.

