

OLD BRIDGE ELEMENTARY

2024-2025

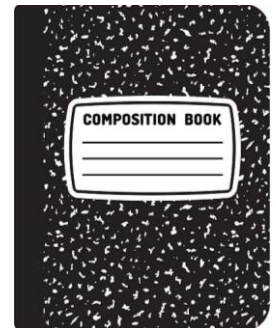
3RD GRADE SUPPLY LIST

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Welcome back, OBE 3rd grade families! We are so excited for this new school year to begin and to meet our rising 3rd graders.

Below is a list of supplies your child will need for third grade. We encourage you to purchase these supplies before the first day of school. Your child is welcome to bring his/her supplies to the Open House in August.

- 3 black and white marbled composition notebooks (**not** spiral bound)
- 1 pair of good quality scissors
- Reusable water bottle
- 24 pencils (plain, yellow #2) sharpened
- 10-12 glue sticks
- 1 package notebook paper, **wide-ruled**
- 1 box of gallon sized Ziplock brand bags-**girls**
- 1 box of sandwich or quart-sized Ziplock brand bags- **boys**
- Ultra-fine point black dry erase markers- pack of 8
- Box of 24 crayons



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3RD GRADE SUMMER SKILLS

The Third-Grade teachers at Old Bridge Elementary would like to extend an early welcome to you and your child. We are eager to discover all that makes your child unique.

Third Grade is a year of great change. We often say that in first and second grades children “learn to read,” and beginning in third grade children “read to learn.” Daily reading is an important part of our curriculum. Many times, we are asked, “How can I prepare my child for third grade during the summer?” We offer these suggestions:

1. **READ, READ, READ!** The public library has wonderful summer reading programs. It’s free and it’s fun! ****Please take note of your child’s end-of year reading level and try to keep them reading books within that level!*****

2. **WRITE, WRITE, WRITE!** Grocery lists, invitations, thank you notes, email, letters to friends and relatives.

3. **MATH, MATH, MATH!** Practice addition facts (with sums up to 20) and subtraction facts (with differences less than 20) for speed and accuracy. Flash cards in the house and car are great ways to practice math facts a little at a time. **Testing on these skills will begin the first week of school.**

We feel that these suggestions will help your child have a successful beginning to the Third-Grade year. We look forward to meeting and working with you and your Third Grader.

Very sincerely,
OBE Third Grade Teachers