

Dear Parents and Guardians,

How exciting! A new school year is almost here. Welcome to third grade! I am bursting with pride and enthusiasm to be your child's teacher. I am eagerly awaiting the beginning of the school year and the opportunity to meet you and your child.

I am fortunate to be a member of Cynwyd School and happy to be a part of such a wonderful school community. This is my 11<sup>th</sup> year teaching and my 10<sup>th</sup> year teaching third grade. I graduated from Neumann University with a Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education, Elementary Education, and Special Education. I graduated from Saint Joseph's University with a Master's Degree as a Reading Specialist, certified in ESL, and received a second Master's in Special Education. I value the importance of education and hope to instill the love of learning in your children.

I love spending time with my family, friends, and dog. My favorite place to visit is the shore. I enjoy sports and played field hockey and lacrosse all throughout middle school, high school, and into college. I love to run and am training to run my 20<sup>th</sup> full marathon in October! Music has also been a big part of my life. I have played the violin, trumpet, clarinet, saxophone, and piano.

I truly enjoy teaching children and love nothing more than to watch them learn and grow. Third grade will be a year filled with so much excitement and fun! I am looking forward to a wonderful year with a lot of learning and laughter with your child!

See you in September.

Sincerely,

Staci Dougherty  
doughes@lmsd.org

Dear 3D Students,

Welcome to third grade! Wow! I cannot believe how fast summer went. I hope you all had a wonderful summer and are ready for an exciting school year. I cannot wait to see all of you and hear all about your summer vacations!

Third grade is going to be an exciting year. We are going to learn and discover so many fun and exciting things together. I hope you are looking forward to the new school year as much as I am!

My two favorite places to be are in the classroom and the beach. I spent every opportunity I had this summer visiting the shore. I love to read and reading a good book on the beach is the best! I also went paddle boarding, which is a favorite activity of mine. I really enjoy playing sports and grew up playing field hockey and lacrosse. Now, I love to run and take my dog Molly for walks.

I spent a lot of time with my family this summer. I am the middle child in my family and have two brothers. I am also a big fan of the Flyers and Phillies and I was able to go to a few Phillies games this summer. I am thrilled to be starting a new school year and spending time in the classroom learning with all of you!

I am looking forward to meeting all of you!

See you soon,

Miss Dougherty

P.S. On the first day of school bring in one object that shows what you did over summer vacation. Please bring something that can easily fit in a backpack and isn't too valuable! We will be sharing some of our summer adventures with the class!

August 2019

Dear 3D Parents/Guardians,

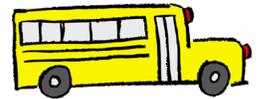
It is extremely important that your child's dismissal plans are made clear to me and the office staff. Please fill out the below dismissal plan and return it to school with your child. If there are any changes in the below dismissal plan, a note must be sent in with your child. If there is no note, your child will go home according to their set dismissal plan.

Also, it is school policy that students are not able to go home on a bus other than their own. If you wish your child to go to a Classmate's home, please write a note and arrange the children to get picked up by a parent. Thank you and have a wonderful weekend!

Sincerely,

Staci Dougherty ☺

STUDENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_



	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Picked up by:					
Bus #					
Walker					
Right At School					
JCC					
Other					

\*\* Any specific explanation (ex. names of people who will be picking up your child) please list at the bottom or on the back of this paper.\*\*

ON THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL MY CHILD'S DISMISSAL PLAN IS:

---

## 3D's Email Connection

I would like to set up a list serve for anyone who checks their email regularly and feels that it would be a convenient way for me to reach you throughout the year. I will also occasionally send group emails to make you aware of anything exciting that may be going on in our classroom or to update you on any upcoming events/special reminders. If you do not have an email account or check your account regularly, please do not feel obligated to fill out this form.

Yes, you can reach the \_\_\_\_\_ family at the following address(es):

<b>Email Address</b>	<b>Primary User</b>