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Dear Lakeside Third Grade Families,

Hello and welcome to third grade at Lakeside Elementary! I am Mrs. Murphy and I will be your third grade teacher this year! I look forward to meeting you, getting to know you, and challenging you to learn many new concepts and ideas! I have high expectations of all my learners, and I am certain that if you try your best, you will have an excellent experience and make many new friends!

I believe in making a difference for our school and community and I hope you do too! I enjoy volunteering, donating blood, and picking up trash while I jog or ride my bike. Some of my favorite de-stressing activities are going for long walks with my husband, video chatting with my two daughters, parents, and siblings every week, yoga time, and reading great books while the sun is setting.

If you are like me, excitement is mounting to start the new 3rd grade school year! I hope you also like to read because we will be enjoying many great authors! Take time to learn whenever you can, help out your parents and family, and challenge yourself to read, count, think, reflect, and dream in order to prepare for third grade. This year will be fun, exciting, and extraordinary!

Sincerely,

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