



# Third Grade News



Sept. 2 – Sept. 6, 2024

## The Classical Academy East Elementary

### Calendar

#### September 2

Labor Day - No School

#### September 6

x1 and x2 facts due  
TCA Carnival (**CANCELLED**)  
Denim Day

#### September 12

Field Day

#### September 13

No School - Teacher Inservice

#### September 19

Recitation: For want of a nail

#### September 20

Grandparent's Day 9:00-11:30am

#### September 23, 24, 25

CogAT Testing

#### September 24

Picture Retakes

*“It is curious - curious  
that physical courage  
should be so common  
in the world, and  
moral courage so  
rare.”  
~ Mark Twain~*

### Math Homework

Math homework comes home every Monday – Thursday and is due the next day. Please have your child attempt each problem. Circle challenging problem numbers for your child’s teacher to review with him/her.

#### Homework grades:

2= complete & on time

1= late or lack of effort /incomplete

0= not done



### Grandparents' Day

A wonderful time to learn and grow from our elders on Sept. 20th from 9-11:30 am. If your child will be going home with their grandparent after this event, please contact the office by phone or email to inform them that your child will be going home with their grandparent.

### TCA Carnival

We have some sad news. Due to a family emergency, our carnival director has had to step away, and we need to cancel our East Elementary Carnival. The event will not be rescheduled, but we can look forward to the

spring carnival hosted by TCA Jr High. Please call the office if you have any questions. Thank you for your understanding.

### Field Day

Our 3rd Grade Field Day will be **Thursday, September 12th**. A more detailed schedule will be posted soon. TCA appropriate athletic wear is allowed. Please visit our P.E. page to sign up to volunteer to help with the fun!

Each class will wear a different color shirt.

Housari - Blue

Wortham - Red

Willis - Green

Lee - Orange

### CogAT Testing

Part of third grade includes students taking the Cognitive Ability Test (CogAT). CogAT measures a student’s potential problem-solving skills in the areas of verbal ability (word analogies and sentence completion), quantitative ability (numeric) and nonverbal reasoning ability (puzzles, part-to-whole, and visual spatial manipulation of pictures). The test results provide us with important information helpful in meeting your student’s unique learning needs. Your student will be taking the test September 23, 24, and 25. Please make sure your child is here on those days.

## In Our Curriculum:

### Spelling

Test on lists 5 & 6 and Rule 4  
9/6

### Grammar

Sentence Types & Prepositions

### Writing

Key Word Outlines

### Math - Chapter 1 Test - 9/10

Students will use their knowledge of place value to learn and round numbers to 10,000.

### Literature

Three reading comprehension skills

-Charlotte’s Web

### Recitation

X1 & 2 facts due 9/6  
“For Want of a Nail” due 9/19

### Science

World Rivers

### History

Roman Civilization

### September Character Traits

*Courage and Bravery*