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### AGENDA

- 1. Welcome and Introductions.
- 2. Third Grade Expectations
- 3. Communication-individual teacher

### THIRD GRADE CURRICULUM

- Wit and Wisdom
- Amplify Math
  - Science
- Social Studies

- Homework
- Setting the Tone
- Productive Struggle

### SPECIAL EDUCATION:

STATE GUIDANCE STATES THAT INSTRUCTION AND SERVICES IN THE 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR MUST INCLUDE:

- A regular and consistent schedule of classes, interventions, services and therapies as required by the student's IEP
- Structured learning time designed so that the student can access state standards; and
- Frequent interactions with teachers and other staff, members to ensure participation.



# PBIS-POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

Safe

Kind

Responsible

- · School wide positive behavior intervention
- Earning "paws" for showing safety, kindness, and responsibility throughout the building
- Students earn individual, class, grade, and school rewards for positive behavior
- · Second Steps & SEL

SECOND STEP AND SEL

### WRITING IN GRADE 3

- Sentence Structure
- Paragraphs (Topic Sentence, Details, Closing Sentence)
- · Narrative, Opinion and Expository
- Text-Based Answers

#### ELA- ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

- THIS YEAR WE WILL CONTINUE USING OUR ELA PROGRAM, WIT AND WISDOM. WIT & WISDOM WAS DEVELOPED BY TEACHERS FOR TEACHERS. STUDENTS EXPERIENCE THE JOY OF READING, WRITING, AND SPEAKING ABOUT
- EXCELLENT TEXTS WHILE MEETING THE RIGOR OF THE STANDARDS.
- WE WILL BE SPENDING THE YEAR WORKING ON BEING STRONGER READERS AND WORK ON OUR READING COMPREHENSION SKILLS. WIT AND WISDOM'S SPELLING AND GRAMMAR PROGRAMS ARE EMBEDDED IN THE READING.

WRITING, AND VOCABULARY.

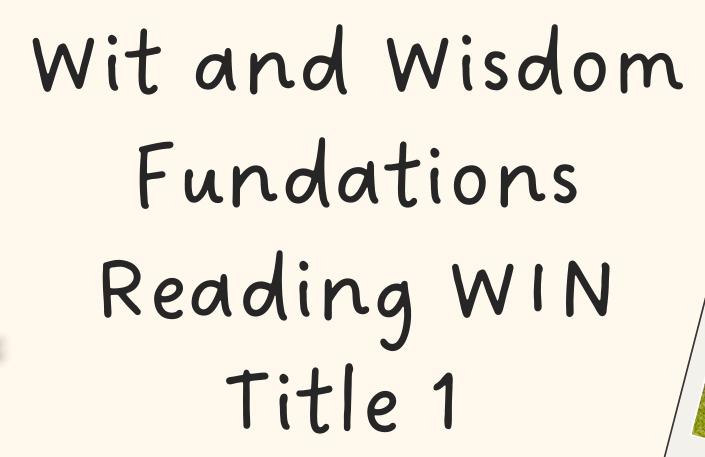








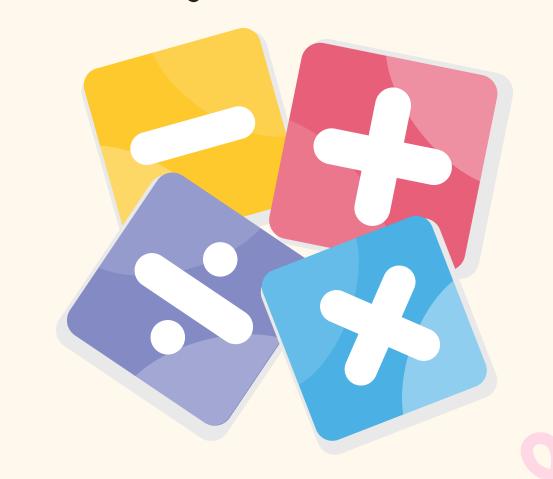
### READING



### MATH IN GRADE 3

Amplify Desmos Math combines and connects conceptual understanding, procedural fluency, and application. Lessons are designed with the Proficiency Progression™, a model that provides teachers with clear instructional moves to build from students' prior knowledge to grade-level learning.

- · Math Fact Fluency
- · Open Response/Problem Solving
- · Online math skills practice
- ST Math & Reflex
- · Math Groups





### SOCIAL STUDIES









### SCIENCE

Weather
Forces in Motion
Magnets-forces and interactions
Plant and Animal Adaptations

Mystery Science Project Lead the Way Generation Genius

### HOMEWORK

Homework is assigned by classroom teacher.

The assigned work should be about

30 minutes each night for 3rd grade

and an additional

20-30 minutes of reading!

#### SETTING THE TONE FOR LEARNING AT HOME

Setting the Tone will <u>payoff!</u> Set expectations for your Third Grader during this time. What is it you want your child to do? This can be exhausting for you but if you stick with it, your child will understand your expectations and the payoff is worth it! This may take diligence on your part!

What is your role?
Good news, you don't have to be the teacher.

- Build routine
- Set expectations of your child as a student
- Guide your child in developing time management
- Create a positive
   Mindset about reading
   and learning
- And, yes, from time to time help your child understand.
- Let them struggle productively

### Some Expectations to think about:

- 1. Students
  attends school
  everyday
- 2. Students

  should wake up
  at the same
  time each day
  he/she can be
  ready for the
  day.



#### PRODUCTIVE STRUGGLE IS LEARNING

"Productive struggle is the process of effortful learning that develops grit and creative problem solving."

When students face problems they don't immediately know how to solve, we don't want them to give up. We want them to engage in making connections to things they already know, think creatively and try different avenues towards solutions.

Productive struggle is a state of engagement that enables students to work through increasingly challenging problems and new problems they have never seen before. In this way, making things harder on your students so they will stretch their brains can be a good thing.



## THANK YOU!

Specialists are up next!