



2026 Third Grade Reading Academy

DAILY SCHEDULE

8:15 – 8:25	Breakfast
8:30 – 11:00	Direct Reading Instruction/Practice
11:00 – 11:30	Lunch/Recess
11:30– 1:30	Direct Reading Instruction/Practice

To the Parent or Guardian of: _____

For the 2025-2026 school year, a student must reach a promotion score of 700 or 50 on the reading subscore of the Grade 3 English Language Arts Test or a 524 on the I-Ready Alternative Assessment to move on to the fourth grade. Our records currently indicate that your child has not met the criteria nor has qualified for one of the permitted exemptions and is therefore not eligible for promotion to fourth grade at this time.

We are pleased to announce that Akron Public Schools will provide summer reading intervention to third grade students who are at risk for retention. It is recommended that your child attend Akron Public Schools' Third Grade Reading Academy to further develop your child's reading skills. Students are expected to be present for the entire 19 days; however, **attendance for at least 16 of the 18 days is necessary for a student to meet the Academy's attendance requirements.** At the conclusion of the Academy, students will have an opportunity to take the I-Ready assessment and Grade 3 English Language Arts Test for consideration to move on to the fourth grade.

The Third Grade Reading Academy will be held **June 2-June 26, 2026, Monday-Friday from 8:15 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.** Breakfast and lunch will be available at all locations free of charge.

Students will attend at their home school location unless that school is being housed in another location as indicated in the chart below. Transportation will be provided to the alternate sites as indicated below. Once enrolled, information regarding the designated bus stop will be forwarded to you.

Open Enrolled Students: The school you are open enrolled to becomes your home school.
GUARDIANS MUST PROVIDE THEIR OWN TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM THE THIRD GRADE READING ACADEMY SITE.

Home School	Third Grade Reading Academy Location	Transportation Provided?		Home School	Third Grade Reading Academy Location	Transportation Provided?
Arnold CLC	Crouse CLC	Yes		Leggett CLC	Glover CLC	Yes
Barber CLC	Seiberling CLC	Yes		Mason CLC	Seiberling CLC	Yes
Betty Jane CLC	Betty Jane CLC	No		McEbright CLC	Glover CLC	Yes
Case CLC	King CLC	Yes		Pfeiffer	Rimer CLC	Yes
Crouse CLC	Crouse CLC	No		Portage Path CLC	King CLC	Yes
Findley CLC	Findley CLC	No		Resnik CLC	King CLC	Yes
Forest Hill CLC	Findley CLC	Yes		Rimer CLC	Rimer CLC	No
Glover CLC	Glover CLC	No		Ritzman CLC	Betty Jane CLC	Yes
Harris-Jackson CLC	Findley CLC	Yes		Sam Salem CLC	Rimer CLC	Yes
Hatton CLC	Ritzman CLC	Yes		Schumacher CLC	Crouse CLC	Yes
Hill CLC	Seiberling CLC	Yes		Seiberling CLC	Seiberling CLC	No
I Promise	Crouse CLC	Yes		Voris CLC	Glover CLC	Yes
King CLC	King CLC	No		Windemere CLC	Betty Jane CLC	Yes

Please keep this paper as a reminder.

Complete the attached form and return it to your child's school **no later than May 8, 2026.**

2026 Third Grade Reading Academy REGISTRATION FORM

Student Name _____ School _____

Open Enrolled Students: The school you are open enrolled to becomes your home school.

Guardians must provide their own transportation to and from the program site.

SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING THREE OPTIONS:

If home school housed at own building:

- ☐ I want to enroll my child in the 2026 Third Grade Reading Academy. I understand that he/she will attend his/her home school as indicated on the chart on the previous page and that I am responsible for providing transportation.

If home school housed at alternate site:

- ☐ I want to enroll my child in the 2026 Third Grade Reading Academy. I understand that he/she will attend at _____ School as the alternate site indicated on the chart on the previous page and that transportation will be provided to and from that location unless my student is an Open Enrolled student. (Information regarding the designated bus stop will be forwarded at a later date.)
- ☐ I DO NOT want to enroll my child in the 2026 Third Grade Reading Academy and understand that my child will therefore be retained in the third grade for the 2026-2027 school year.

Please return this form to your child's school no later than **May 8, 2026.**

EMERGENCY INFORMATION FOR 2026 THIRD GRADE READING ACADEMY

Please complete the following information:

Address: _____ Zip Code: _____
Mother/Guardian Name: _____ Home/Cell Phone #: _____
Father/Guardian Name: _____ Home/Cell Phone #: _____
Emergency Contact Person: _____ Emergency Phone #: _____
Additional Contact Person: _____ Emergency Phone #: _____
Additional Contact Person: _____ Emergency Phone #: _____

Special academic needs: _____

Medical Concerns/Allergies/Medication/Etc.: _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature _____ Date: _____

No person will be permitted to remove your child from Third Grade Reading Academy due to illness, etc., unless listed on this form.

PRINCIPAL: Please complete the sections below for IEP STUDENTS ONLY.

Recommended setting: _____ SPED class _____ Reg Class _____ LEP

Disability area: (circle) LD/CD Aut/MD/OI ED HI VI OHI Speech Braille Large print test

Special Services and Accommodations

1. _____ This student uses a support that required a wheelchair accessible building **during the 2025-2026 school year** (wheelchair, walker, leg braces.....)
2. _____ This student received the services of an interpreter **during the 2025-2026 school year.**
3. _____ This student is medically fragile and received nursing services **during the 2025-2026 school year.**
4. _____ This student is served in the general education classroom and received the support of an educational assistant **during the 2025-2026 school year.**