3rd Grade News

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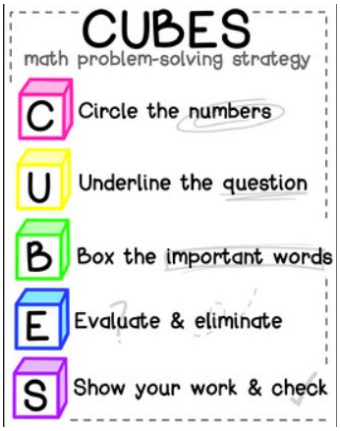
Challenge Charter School Week of: August 24, 2026

Core Knowledge is #1! We get it done with fun! Hands-on, Right on! Integrated Science, Social Studies, Math, and Language Arts!

Here's what we'll be learning next week...

Math

This week we will continue learning to add three digit numbers using various strategies. We will also be working on word problems using the CUBES strategy.



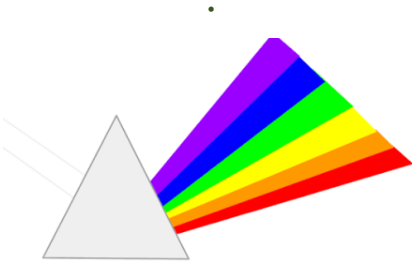
A third grade expectation is to learn our 0-12 table for multiplication. Our first multiplication test will be on 10/9 and will cover tables 0-5.



Science

We are continuing to learn about Light and Sound in our Core Knowledge Light and Sound Unit! We will be doing some fun experiments and investigations!

- How Are Shadows Made?
- Mirrors and Reflections
- Refraction and Lenses
- Color and Light



ELA

Reading: *We will be learning about Main Idea and Supporting Details.*

We will also be learning to answer comprehension questions using the RACE strategy .

Writing: We will learn to write a topic sentence.

Grammar: We will start our "parts of speech" unit with prepositions!

Spelling: We will be wrapping up our CLOSED SYLLABLES unit. Ask your student to tell you the three rules of a closed syllable!

Sayings & Phrases:

His bark is worse than his bite.

August Core Virtue

Respect



Student demonstrating our core virtues will often earn a "Virtue Buck" which enters them into a drawing to be honored at the monthly assembly!

If you would like to help out 3rd grade, here is our AMAZON WISHLIST!

THANK YOU TO THOSE WHOM HAVE GENEROUSLY CONTRIBUTED!



Please be sure your child is reading and filling out their Reading Log nightly.



IMPORTANT DATES!

09/02—Student of the Month Assembly.

09/07 & 09/08—No School

09/15 Viking Projects Due: Family Walkthrough Gallery 9:15



For the next few weeks, we will not have regular homework to allow time to work on our amazing Viking projects!

Homework Subjects for the Week



Monday 08/24	Tuesday 08/25	Wednesday 08/26	Thursday 08/27
Work on your Viking Project	Reading	Math	ELA

This homework is in addition to nightly reading.

Test: 08/28	hectic	kitten	goblet
address	tennis	signal	object
basket	traffic	wisdom	button
canyon	children	common	subtract