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Dear Future 3rd Grade Parents and Students,

To help keep your child's skills strong over the summer, here are some suggestions;

*Read! Read! Read! I suggest making it fun and you may want to also join a summer reading program or book club. There are many online or even audible books that will add to your child's comprehension and vocabulary skills, as well as reading skills. Students are required to keep a reading log. You will need to read 10 books and write the title, who you read it with and a brief description. Include if you liked it and would recommend it to a friend. Books can be anything you are interested in.

*Practice your Math facts. Keep addition/subtraction flash cards in the car for a red light challenge. How many problems can you get done before the light changes? Write a summer budget and have your child keep track of the money they spend. Make math a part of everyday life. We will be learning moving in multiplication and division this year.

* If you are traveling, learn a little bit of the history of where you are going. Go to the visitor's center and grab some free information. We study our state in third grade, so if you travel around SC, take pictures and notes along the way. Journal your vacations to help you remember the fun time you had.

* Plant something! Pick something! Or watch something outside (and don't forget the sunscreen) Summer and Science go hand in hand! We will be working on some special science programs this year!

* On a rare, rainy day- build with legos, do a puzzle, play a boardgame, write a story, create a piece of artwork and maybe even build a house of cards!

* Most importantly, keep praying and going to Mass. Check out new Churches as you travel. Compare and contrast the difference and when you find something great that you love, write it down and tell me about it when we are back in school.

Have a safe and wonderful summer,

Ms. Bradley



Supply List

3rd Grade Supply List:

- 5 - two-pocket folders (red, blue, yellow, green & purple)
- 2- packages of wide ruled notebook paper or 1- 500 sheet pack
- 1 - packages of pencils (pre-sharpened preferred)
- 2 - expo markers (not black)
- 1 - pack of crayons (16-pack) **OR**
- 1 - pack of colored pencils (16-pack) **OR**
- 1 - pack of washable markers (16-pack)
- 1 - pair of scissors
- 2 - large erasers
- 3 - marble composition books (for DOL, Religion and Science)
- 1- pack of index cards
- 2 - disinfectant wipes
- 2- boxes of tissues