



Dear Families,

I am excited to welcome your child to third grade!

To ensure we have an organized and successful year, please help your child gather the following supplies:

### **Binder System**

- 1 sturdy 1.5-inch binder
- 5-10 page protectors (These will keep anchor charts and reference sheets intact, ensuring easy access when we need a little help.)
- 5 tab dividers

### **Notebooks will be provided**

- 1 Reading Journal
- 1 Spelling Notebook

### **Folders**

- Two two-pocket folders (These will stay in our desks.)

### **Pencil Box (to remain in the desk)**

- Sharpened pencils (A lot—we use them daily!)
- 1 highlighter
- Fine tip dry-erase markers (black)
- Whiteboard eraser will be provided

### **Other Helpful Items**

- Colored pencils
- Scissors
- Pen in any color except black (These are excellent for editing our writing and correcting assignments!)
- Sticky notes (Students enjoy using these to mark their thoughts in books.)

### **Why This System Works:**

- Notebooks → Daily work and practice
- Binder → Long-term organization and reference sheets (anchor charts, strategies, and planner)
- Folders → A designated space for classwork to reside.

By creating a designated space for your child, they can safely store their best work and important documents while ensuring easy access. If you need help acquiring supplies for your student, please feel free to reach out. Thank you for helping us start the year in an organized way, prepared to learn!

With excitement,

Ms. Padron