



# WEEKLY NEWS

August 25, 2023



## HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING:

### Literacy Testing

Thank you for bringing your student in for literacy testing. Your teacher will review their results with you at Parent-Teacher conferences, October 5-6th.

### Parent-Teacher Conferences

**OCTOBER 5-6**

If you have not already received a sign-up to schedule a conference time with your teacher, you will receive it soon. We are looking forward to meeting with you to discuss your student's school year.

### Planners

Learning how to use a planner is one of our first goals in third grade. All homework and upcoming special events will be listed in the planner. **Students are required to obtain a parent signature in their planner every night.** Thank you for partnering with us to establish good homework habits this year.

### AM Dropoff

Please do not drop your student off before 7:45am. There is not supervision for your children until that time and children dropped off early will be waiting outside .

*August @ September  
Character Traits*

Courage and Love of Learning

## Important dates

**SEPTEMBER 4**

**NO SCHOOL:**  
Labor Day

**SEPTEMBER 6**

Individual/Class Photos  
*Uniform Only*

**SEPTEMBER 14**

Grandparents Day

**SEPTEMBER 15**

**NO SCHOOL**  
Teacher Inservice

**OCTOBER 5-6**

**NO SCHOOL**  
Parent/Teacher  
Conferences

**OCTOBER 9-13**

**NO SCHOOL**  
Fall Break

## IN OUR CURRICULUM:

Spelling— Our first spelling test will be Sept. 2 over lists 3 & 4. You can find our spelling lists on [Spelling City here.](#)

Reading— Our first book is Charlotte's Web. Ask your student what actions reflect a good friend.

Math— We will continue to learn about place value and comparing numbers in [Chapter 1.](#) Please help your child remember to return their math workbook to school EVERY DAY.

Recitation - ["For Want of a Nail"](#)  
**Due the week of August 28th.**  
(A recitation schedule for the year has been posted on the 3rd grade website.)

Writing— To help prepare us for writing, we will be looking at passages, creating key word outlines, and telling back.

Science— We will start our unit on life cycles next week.

Visit our [third grade website](#) for more!

## Character Corner

Charlotte's Web is a book about the friendship of two very different individuals. Encourage your child to befriend someone who might be new or different this year.