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Dear Parents of *Rising* Third Graders,

The school year is coming to a close! All of us are ready for the wonderful days of summer! However, we don't want the great reading and math habits that your child has developed this year to fall by the wayside. We have prepared a list of books to choose from for your child to read this summer. You can find it on the Oakbrook Website under Summer Packets - Reading Lists for 2nd, 3rd, and 4th grades.

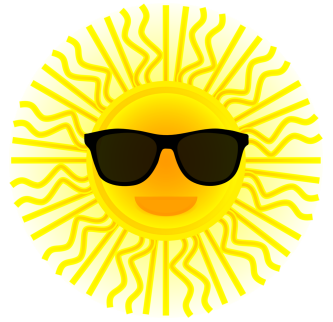
Make a fun outing by visiting the library this summer to check out books to read. Go for ice cream or a Hawaiian icee afterwards so that this is something your child looks forward to doing. The lists we have prepared is organized by reading levels to help you find the perfect books on your child's level. If you feel they are progressing well, feel free to check out books from the next leveled list up. You are NOT limited to this list. These are merely suggestions for books on each level.

We are encouraging your child to read at least 6 books from their leveled list. This works out to about 3 books in June and 3 in July. Of course, they can READ, READ, READ all summer if they choose to do so, but we are asking your child to fill out the attached reading log and then choose ONE of those books to complete the book review on. It can be their favorite, or the one they thought was the most interesting. This can be turned in at Meet the Teacher. We look forward to hearing about all the adventures your child will take this summer through the pages of books!

Have a GREAT time reading,

Your Third Grade Teachers

Summer Reading Log



Reader's Name: _____

Please write down the 6 books you read over the summer.

Book Title	Author	Date
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		

I choose to complete my book review on



A BOOK REVIEW

By: _____

Title: _____

Author: _____

Illustrator: _____

Characters: _____

PLOT: what happened in the story?

MY OPINION:

RATING:



Justify your score.