



Back to School Night

Mrs. Gonzalez's
3rd Grade Class
Room 16



WELCOME!



AGENDA

- Introduction
- Communication
- Expectations
- 3rd Grade Curriculum
- Homework
- Behavior
- Questions

TEACHER INTRODUCTION

- ★ Bachelor's Degree from Cal Poly Pomona
- ★ Master's Degree and Teaching Credential from University of California, Riverside
- ★ This is my second year here at Liberty!



If you are not already on Class Dojo, please meet me after the presentation!

COMMUNICATION

If you would like to send me a message, you can send one on Class Dojo or you can send an email to:

cynthia_gonzalez@chino.k12.ca.us

Our class website can be found by:

1. Logging on to Liberty's school website.
2. Clicking on "Classrooms"
3. Clicking on my name- "Gonzalez, Cynthia"



EXPECTATIONS

- Students should arrive on time! Doors open at 7:40 and we start class at 7:50.
- Students should complete all assignments to the best of their ability.
- Students should study for their weekly tests: spelling, vocabulary, reading.
- Students should study their math facts: addition, subtraction, multiplication, division.
- Students should participate in class.
- Students should take their blue folder home and return DAILY

The background features a decorative border of hand-drawn icons. On the left, there are musical notes, a paintbrush, and a palette. At the top left is a paper boat. At the top right is a globe. On the right side, there is a magnifying glass, a book with the word 'Learn' on it, and a beaker. At the bottom center is a globe with a person standing on it. The main title 'SCHOOLWIDE EXPECTATIONS' is written in large, light blue, sans-serif capital letters.

SCHOOLWIDE EXPECTATIONS

Be Respectful

Be Responsible

Be Safe

SCHEDULE

7:50	Morning Meeting
	English Language Arts
9:30	Morning Recess
9:43	Math
11:15	Lunch
11:55	PE
12:25	Afternoon recess
12:30	ELA/Reading
1:20	Science/Social Studies
1:50	Technology/ELD
2:30	Dismissal





SCHEDULE

Minimum Day

7:50	Beginning of the school day English Language Arts
9:30	ELD/ELA
10:00	Lunch
10:30	Math
11:20	Dismissal

3rd Grade Curriculum

ELA, Math, Science, Social Science, Physical Education

- Emphasis on the *Common Core State Standards*
- ELA: Wonders- Literature Key Ideas, Informational texts, point of view, compare and contrast details, write informative texts, etc.
- Math: Savvas- Rounding, Multiplication, Division, Area, and Fractions
- Science: New curriculum! Twig Science- Motion/Forces, Life Cycles, weather, etc.
- Social Science: Physical and human geography, Native Americans, citizenship and U.S. government

ACCELERATED READER

We are doing Accelerated Reader (AR) this year.

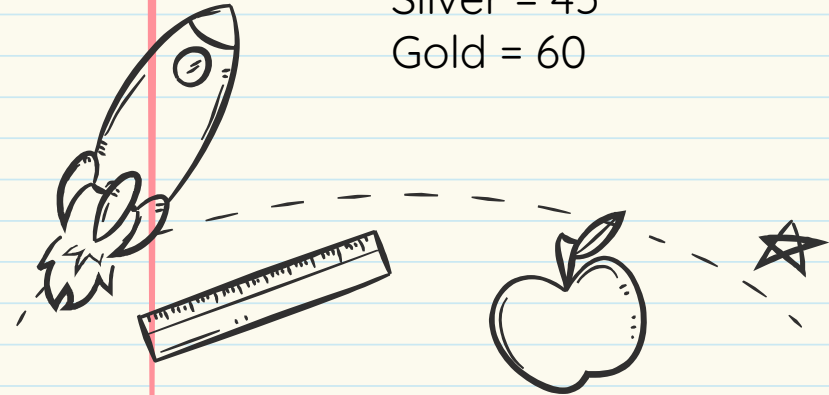
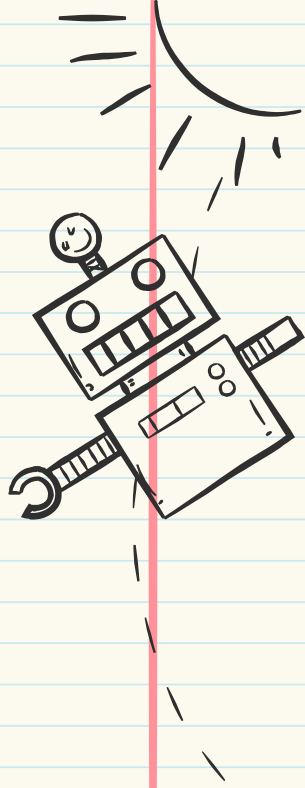
Every student has a reading range they should be reading in for optimal reading improvement. It's called the Zone of Proximal Development or the ZPD.

The AR award levels for third grade are as follows:

Bronze = 30

Silver = 45

Gold = 60



TESTING

Weekly:

- Spelling
- Vocabulary
- Reading
- Weekly Language Review
- Weekly Math Review



Math Tests occur at the end of topics.

GRADING RUBRIC

4 = Exceeding grade level standards

3 = Meeting grade level standards

2 = Partially meeting grade level standards

1 = Struggling to meet grade level standards





HOMework


- **Blue** Folder
- Homework Log- please check your child's homework log everyday!
- Everyday, students will have 20 minutes of reading, a math practice sheet, and spelling practice. (Sometimes, they will have something extra)
- Monthly Reading log- please initial every day
- Tests sent home- some will need parent signatures! 2s and 1s



BEHAVIOR

- Positive behavior is rewarded consistently
- Patriot Bucks
 - Sticker Store
 - Monthly Auctions- (Donations are welcome!)
- Table Points
 - Weekly winners

Consequences: Lose table points, contact parent through behavior intervention log



TECHNOLOGY

We will be using Lenovos and these websites:

- Accelerated Reader
- Lexia CORE5
- IXL
- Microsoft Teams
- Kami

Scholastic Book Club

- I will send home flyers starting tomorrow
- Class code will be on the back: XLDHV
- Please order them online! It's much more simpler and you get more coupons/deals
- Every purchase helps me get free books for our classroom



Parent Volunteers

- Thank you to everyone who said they'd love to volunteer!
 - From field trip chaperones to room parents!
- Third grade is looking for a parent to help with making copies for the grade level, if anyone is interested, please let me know!

REMINDERS

- PTO fliers were sent out last week!
 - The cost for one student is \$10 or \$15 for two or more students.
 - Money goes towards field trips, awards, playground equipment, and more!
 - 100% participation= pizza party
- Parent conferences are coming soon! I will send out reminders/time confirmations

Thanks for listening!

Any questions?

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send an email.

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