

3rd Grade Parent Involvement Guide

April 8-12, 2024

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Gators' Golden Rule of the Week: Take responsibility for your environment.

Important Information and Reminders:

- *Students should bring a water bottle and jacket to school every day.
- *Students may wear jeans on Friday with a uniform shirt or spirit shirt.
- *All transportation changes should be emailed to lkwdbus@stcharles.k12.la.us.

Important Dates:

- April 8th WFC Pickup
- May 6 -10: LEAP Testing Week



English Language Arts

As we move into this week, we will continue "The Louisiana Purchase." We will continue discussing how the Native Americans were affected by the LA Purchase. Our studies will help us to answer our Culminating Task question at the end of this unit: Who benefited the most and who benefited the least from the Louisiana Purchase and why? We will participate in a whole class Socratic seminar to talk about the Native Americans after the LA Purchase. Anything done in class can be taken for a grade. Poetry homework is due on Friday.

Applications are now being accepted for this summer's Young Writers' Camp. If your child is interested, they may ask their teacher for an application. The deadline to turn in the application is Thursday, April 11th. You will be notified if your child is accepted into the camp due to limited spots being available.

Social Studies/Flex Group Time

Flex Grouping will continue this week. Each child is placed in their flex group based on their individual needs. This week in social studies, we will continue **Chapter 3: The First President**. They will discover why George Washington was chosen to be the first president of the United States. They will also explore how his presidency created precedents for subsequent presidencies.

Math

This week in math, we will begin Module 6: Geometry, Measurement, and Data. We will explore lessons 1-5 which covers skip-counting on the clock and a number line and solving time word problems. **Students should complete the homework listed below and study their multiplication/division facts for homework each night.**

Science

This week, we will continue our study of **Module 4: Forces and Motion**. While completing lessons 7-12, we will focus on the questions: *How can we use patterns to predict motion?* and *What can change an object's motion?* Students will analyze the motion of objects by engaging in hands-on learning exploration at activity stations. We will take our **Push/Pull Quiz on Thursday, April 11th**. Students are expected to review the **Learning Log** each night as a part of their homework routine. All work completed during class can be taken for a grade. **Our first summative will be on Tuesday, April 16th.**

Homework and Quizzes

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
ELA	Poetry spiral	Poetry spiral	Poetry spiral	Section 6 CFA Poetry spiral	
Science	Study Science Learning Log.	Study Science Learning Log.	Study Science Learning Log	Push/Pull Quiz	Social Studies Ch 3 Quiz
Math	Pages 9-10	Pages 15-16	None	Pages 21 & 27	