

# 3rd Grade Parent Involvement Guide

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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.
- \*Please make sure to complete all back to school paperwork either in PowerSchool or on paper as soon as possible.
- \*All transportation changes should be emailed to [kwdbus@stcharles.k12.la.us](mailto:kwdbus@stcharles.k12.la.us).

### Important Dates:

- January 15th: No School
- January 19th: Early Dismissal



## English Language Arts

On Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, students will take the LEAP Interim Test. This test is not for a grade, but it helps teachers to determine which skills students are successful in and what students need moving forward as we prepare to take the state LEAP Assessment in May. Please encourage your child to do his or her best. In addition, on Thursday, we will continue our unit centering around the book *Because of Winn-Dixie*. We will learn more about how complex characters in a story can change and how they interact with other characters in a story. This will help us to complete our culminating task by the end of the unit to show understanding of the lessons Opal learns through her interactions with other characters throughout the story. There is no homework or fluency this week.

## Social Studies/Flex Group Time

Flex grouping will continue after new flex groups are made. With the data gathered, we will now make new groups based on what each child may need at this point in the school year.

## Math

This week in math, we will begin Module 4: Multiplication and Area. We will complete lessons 1-4, which focus on the foundations for understanding area. **Students should complete the page numbers listed below for homework each night.**

## Science

This week in science, we will begin Module 3: Traits. We will be completing lessons 1-4 as we focus on the question: "How can we identify individuals?" We will explore how individuals of the same species can have the same characteristics, but different traits. There will be a quiz Friday on lessons 1-3. To prepare for all upcoming assessments, students are advised to review the Learning Log every night as part of their homework routine.

## Homework and Quizzes

|         | Monday      | Tuesday            | Wednesday          | Thursday           | Friday      |
|---------|-------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------|
| ELA     | NO HOMEWORK | NO HOMEWORK        | NO HOMEWORK        | NO HOMEWORK        |             |
| Science |             | Study learning log | Study learning log | Study learning log | <b>Quiz</b> |
| Math    |             | Pages 9-10         | Pages 15-16        | Pages 19-20        |             |