

3rd Grade Parent Involvement Guide

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Gators' Golden Rule of the Week: Always show respect with words, body language, and gestures.

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.

Important Dates:

- WFC Fundraiser Begins: October 2nd
- End of First Quarter: October 10th



English Language Arts

As we continue our Cajun Folktales unit, we will continue to read about trickster rabbits. We will continue to determine what makes the rabbit a good animal to play a trickster. **On Friday, we will have an ELA summative.** The summative will include questions based on the stories we have read, in addition to a cold read passage with questions. Please continue to complete homework each week to help your child prepare to answer questions on the assessments and reinforce the skills learned in class. **Homework spiral is due on Friday.** As a reminder, the homework questions help to prepare your child for upcoming assessments. The purple fluency folder will go home this week with the same story from last week's homework "The Mouse Princess". The fluency folder is for you and your child to practice reading fluently three times a week together. At the end of each week, we will read and chart our progress in class in our journey of becoming better readers. If you have any questions on how to use the fluency folder, please do not hesitate to reach out. *Any assessments in class may be taken for a grade.*

Social Studies/Flex Group Time

We have been meeting with our Flex Groups for a few weeks now. Students are working with small groups on targeted skills to help improve their reading and writing skills or overall literacy skills. Ask your child about what he/she is learning during FLEX Grouping. Remember, each child is grouped according to his/her individual needs.

Math

This week in math, we will continue Module 2: Place Value Concepts Through Metric Measurement. On Monday, we will review rounding to the nearest ten and hundreds using a vertical number line. We will also learn lessons 13-16 this week which focus on bar graphs and adding using place value, associative property, and compensation strategies. Students will have a **Module 2 Topic B Quiz (lessons 8-11) on Tuesday.** Students should complete the page numbers listed below for homework each night. Although we are learning various addition and subtraction strategies, students are able to select any strategy taught to help them solve.

Science

This week, we will wrap up our study of **Module 1: Weather and Climate.** Students will continue designing, building, and testing the seawall they created as part of the **Engineering Challenge. This will count as a formative grade.** On Thursday, we will begin **Module 2: Survival** as we answer the question, "How do butterflies survive over time in a changing environment?"

Homework and Quizzes

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
ELA	ELA Spiral & Fluency	ELA Spiral & Fluency	ELA Spiral & Fluency	ELA Spiral & Fluency	ELA Spiral & Fluency Due Reading test
Science	Study learning log	Study learning log	Study learning log	Study learning log	
Social Studies					
Math		Topic B Quiz	Pages 69-70	Pages 73-74	Pages 83-84