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Hello Bay Point Families,

Welcome! We are so excited to meet you!

Third grade is a very special year. Besides the rigorous learning in Science, Math, and Social Studies; In ELA Scholars go from "learning to read," to "reading to learn." <u>They will also need a passing score on the end-of-year FAST reading</u> <u>assessment to be promoted to fourth grade.</u> Reading at home is required and an important part of not only building your child's reading stamina (which is vital!), but also building their love of reading and books! Please help us achieve that goal! It is a buy in. If you yourself is not that interested in reading, chances are your child won't be either. We challenge you this year to build it up! Get excited about what your child is reading. Make sure he/she is reading! Then watch the rewards.

With that said, we can't emphasize enough that regular attendance is KEY! You would not believe the amount of learning lost in just one day of absence!

Our priority, however, is building a positive class community from Day 1! We want your child to feel safe, comfortable, and cared for all 180 days of school and promise we will work hard to ensure that!

Thank you in advance for all that you do each day to foster learning, kindness, responsibility, and honesty in your child. We truly believe Third Grade is the BEST and are looking forward to a great year with you and your child.

Sincerely, The Third Grade Team

Third Grade Supply List

- <u>Three</u> wide-ruled composition books: one red, one green, one black
- <u>One</u> red two pocket folder with prongs
- One yellow two pocket folder with prongs
- One two pocket folder (any design, no prongs)
- <u>Two</u> boxes of 12-24 count Crayola crayons
- One 4-pack of Expo Dry Erase Markers with chiseled tip
- One box of good quality pre-sharpened pencils (12-24 count)
- <u>One</u> pack of two large Elmer's Glue Sticks OR one pack of four small Elmer's Glue Sticks
- One plastic pencil box (no pouches)
- <u>One</u> pack of white copy paper OR <u>One</u> pack of wide ruled looseleaf paper
- One of each:
 - --Box of Kleenex
 - --Hand Sanitizer
 - --Clorox/Lysol Wipes

WISH LIST (OPTIONAL)

- One bag of Skittles
- One bag of Dum Dum Lolly Pops

Thank you!