



Dear Families,

Welcome to third grade!!! I hope you all had a relaxing and fun summer! I am delighted to welcome your child to third grade. This year marks my thirty-fourth year as an elementary school teacher. I began my career in 1987 as a

Science Teacher specialist and teaching full day kindergarten for eight years in a public school in Brooklyn, New York. I then moved to Scotch Plains and taught first grade at McGinn for 6 years before moving to second grade for 12 years. I then came to third grade six years ago. I am delighted to be starting my twenty-sixth year teaching at McGinn School and extremely pleased to be teaching third grade again.

Third graders will be having a mid morning snack everyday. Please have a small nutritious snack and water bottle available for your child everyday.

I wrote a welcome letter for my students so please do not forget to show it to them. I look forward to meeting all of you, and to a successful and fun school year!

Sincerely,

Mrs.Chernoff

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## Supply List for Third Grade

2 packs of Ticonderoga sharpened pencils  
2 jumbo Elmer's glue sticks  
1 blue and 1 red pen  
8 Expo fine tip black dry erase markers  
2 black sharpie markers  
2 highlighters  
1 storage container that closes (large enough to hold most supplies)  
Pink erasers  
Hand held sharpener  
Scissors  
6 packs of 3x3 post-it notes 3  
2-pocket folders labeled with your child's name  
3 marble notebooks (wide ruled)  
1 1-subject spiral notebook with 3 holes (wide ruled)  
Crayola crayons (no more than 24)  
Package of thin magic marker  
Hand Sanitizer-small bottle  
1 box of Gallon sized Ziplock Bags Extra

Extra Face mask labeled with child's initials  
Clorox wipes  
Earbuds/headphones in plastic baggy labeled with your child's name  
A towel or seat cushion for outdoors

**\*\*Please remove all supplies from the store packaging prior to the first day of school and place them in the storage container. Please have your child label everything with their full name. Many of these supplies will be transported to and from school daily in your child's backpack.\*\* (Rolling backpacks are fine.)**