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Dear Parents/Guardians,

I welcome you and your child to third grade. The adventure you are about to begin will be exciting, demanding, and fulfilling.

My responsibilities are many. I will help your child with the process of education. Your child will be encouraged to learn in a safe and dynamic environment. S/he will have the freedom to experiment, explore, seek and question. S/he will succeed and fail without fear. In this way, your child will learn to trust and interact with his/her classmates and teachers. However, I am going to need your help.

Please have your child at school on time, ready and able to learn. School begins at 7:50 a.m. The first bell rings at 7:30 a.m. A happy, well-rested child will meet the exciting challenges of school each day.

Read to or with your child as often as possible. Help your child with his/her homework when needed. There will be homework daily, but not on Fridays! Share his/her experiences of the day. Let your child know that you are excited about learning and that you think school is a priority. This private sharing time will be most rewarding.

I promise to provide stimulating educational experiences. I will do my best to make sure each child develops academically, socially, and emotionally. The classroom environment will be structured so that each child can achieve his/her highest potential.

The future depends on the education of our young. I accept this responsibility with great commitment, dedication, and joy.

I am looking forward to a wonderful year!

Sincerely,

Carolyn Knight