**Third** grade is the first year that students practice formal schooling. Grades are listed as letters instead of symbols, students are given more ownership of their work, and they are no longer learning to read but reading to learn.

**Worship**

**Leader**

*Danay M.*

Spelling List

1. *Christmas*
2. *New Year’s*
3. *Victoria Day*
4. *President’s Day*
5. *Veterans’ Day*
6. *Labor Day*
7. *Columbus Day*
8. *Earth Day*
9. *Boxing Day*
10. *Remembrance Day*
11. *Valentine’s Day*
12. *April Fool’s Day*
13. *Groundhog Day*
14. *Mother’s Day*
15. *Father’s Day*

Challenge Words

1. *Sanctuary*
2. *Congregation*
3. *Microphone*
4. *Appropriate*
5. *Benediction*

Practice spelling words at home, there will be a spelling test each Wednesday and Friday that will count toward the reading grade

**Conferences:** The parent teacher conference meetings were very insightful and I plan to make some changes in the way I’ve approached communication. Instead of completed work being sent home at the end of every month it will go out every Friday. This way parents can stay abreast with where their child is in their progress. I also got renweb to work completely, so you can always access renweb to check your child’s grade report.

**Homework**: the following is a list of homework assignments students will have throughout the year. Students write homework assignments in their agenda every day at school. If you’re every unsure of what has been assigned you can also look at the agenda.

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| Homework  | Due Date |
| 10 minutes of IXL, 40 minutes per week, 120 minutes per month | End of each month |
| 10 minutes of reading, 50 minutes per week, 150 minutes per month | End of each month |
| Practice poem presentation | Every Friday |
| Study spelling words | Every Friday |
| Study memory verse | Every Friday |
| Study Vocabulary terms | Every Friday |
| Unfinished shelf work (goes home Friday) | Every Monday |

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**Upcoming Events**

*Every M & W – P.E.*

*Every Wed – 1st Spelling Test*

*Every Friday – Vocab Test, 2nd Spelling Test, Poetry Cafe*

**Memory Verse**

“Rejoice in the Lord always, again I say rejoice.” Philippians 4:4

*The memory verse is recited every Friday for bible points.*