



Ms. Debrot's Third Grade CLASS NEWS

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Welcome to 3rd Grade!



Dear Parents,

Welcome to our classroom newsletter! The purpose of this platform is to give you the inside scoop about what goes on in your student's classroom. Here, you will find

- photos of the students and their work,
- descriptions of what we learned about in a variety of subjects, and
- information about upcoming events or projects.

If you ever have any questions about what we're working on, or if you are having trouble reading/receiving newsletters, you may email me at mdebrot@sjte.org and I will respond within 24 hours.

I have really enjoyed meeting your students this week, and I am looking forward to a great year!

- Marissa Debrot

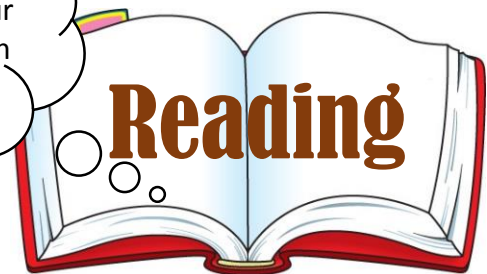


GROWTH MINDSET

Something we began working on this week was the concept of having a Growth Mindset. This is the idea that when you face a problem with a positive mindset, you can achieve your goals. We read the book *The Dot* and discussed how the girl in the story was able to achieve her goal. Then we thought about things that we struggle with in school and came up with a realistic plan to achieve our goals.



See pictures of our reading project on the next page!



This week, we prepared for Reading class this year. We set up our book box and explored the library. On Friday, students completed a reading activity where they wrote summaries of books they read over the summer.



IMPORTANT DATES



- 9/3 Labor Day, no school
- 9/5 6:30 Back to School Night, grade 1-3
- 9/7 First Friday, 1/2 day

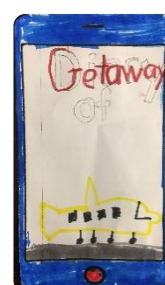
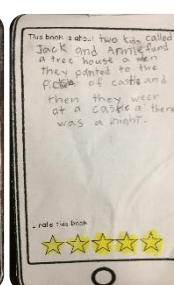
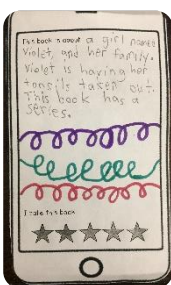
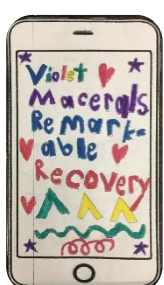
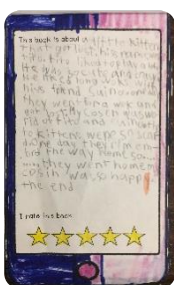
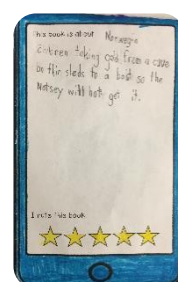
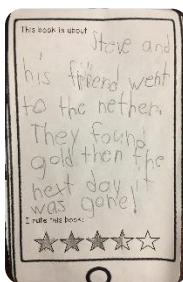
Flexible Seating



In our classroom, students are given a lot of choice as to where they want to sit when they do their classwork. We took time this week to explore the different seating options. We also wrote and signed a contract, in which we agreed to treat the seats respectfully and use them to do our best work.



Reading Project



"A happy heart makes the face cheerful."

- Proverbs 15:13