



3rd Grade Summer Assignment

The Magic Finger by Roald Dahl

Unit of Inquiry: “Who We Are”

Central Idea: People's actions and choices influence how we see and interact with the world.

Lines of Inquiry: How and why role models are chosen; Influence of others on our choices and actions; How we classify people and how we form and make choices.



Summer Writing Prompt- After reading the novel, answer the following prompt:

If you had a Magic Finger, what abilities would you want to have? How can you use your abilities to interact with the world? Would your actions influence/impact the world? Think about the characters in the story and how you can classify them. Think about what character traits make a good role model. Describe the main characters of the story and how they were role models.

Directions: Write one paragraph (5-7 complete sentences) or more that answers all the questions above (at least one sentence per question). Feel free to attach additional notebook paper if you need more space to write. On the back of this page, illustrate (draw and color) one of the main events or a scene from the story.

***Optional:** You can create a poster or project instead of writing on this paper or notebook paper to show your creativity, and you will be able to share it with your class the first week of school.

Please bring this assignment and a copy of the novel with you on the first day of school! We can't wait to have a great third-grade year! 😊

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Math Summer Homework



In third grade, students are expected to not only be fluent in reading, but in mathematics facts as well. The more fact practice that children get, the more fluent they become!

Directions: Come up with a unique way to practice your multiplication facts (zeros- 12s) over the summer to better prepare you for 3rd grade.

You can do this by making flashcards, creating a homemade board game, or any other creative idea! This should be student-created. Start with the lower numbers and work your way up throughout the summer! In addition, there are great websites such as 99math.com where you can create a free account to practice multiplication facts.

Good luck and have fun!





Optional Supplemental Homework

All returning Uplift North Hills students have access to iReady reading and iReady math if your child would like to work on the individualized learning path. It is highly recommended for students to utilize at least 15 minutes a day.