Hello!
Our class will work on learning to love reading and writing this year. We will explore problem solving in mathematics and learn to take action on science and social studies. We will explore our state of Michigan this year focusing on its history, geography, economics and government. In science, we will discover engineering strategies, explore energy, animal structures and how humans impact our world.

School starts at 8:00am. Please be on time!

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Welcome to 3rd Grade!
Mrs. Twiss’ Class
2019-2020
Behavior
I believe in connecting with my students, letting them know that I am a place where they can feel safe to express their ideas and feelings. I find that this connection helps me avoid many behavioral issues. There will be times that I ask students to stay behind when the class is doing something else so that we can converse and grow an understanding of what is expected in class.

Communication
I will use class dojo to communicate. Please make sure to check the class story once a day. I will post homework as much as possible, but it is ultimately your child’s responsibility to write it in their planner daily. I will also send personal messages as needed.

Blue Bag Books
To become a better reader, you must read. To become a life-long reader, you need to identify the types of books that you like and learn to fall in love with books. To foster this love, students will check out classroom books and are required to read 20 minutes a day. This is not just homework. This is a way to develop a reader for life.

Monthly Book Orders
Scholastic Book orders will be sent home monthly. This is a huge way to inspire reading. Orders must be ordered online at scholastic.com/bookclubs. Our Class Code is HCTBD

Lunch & Snacks
Southfield Public Schools is a Nut Free Zone. (Please check labels before you send them in.)

Snacks will be eaten most mornings. Please send a healthy snack such as fruit, crackers, or cheese. Please don’t send in liquids.

Homework
Students have spelling homework Monday-Thursday. The first week there will be phonic words, the second week, there will be vocabulary words. The vocabulary words must be spelled correctly and have an accurate definition.