

WELCOME TO THIRD GRADE!

MRS. SUSAN SMITH

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hi



If you have questions as we go please use the chat box to ask. We will keep an eye on it as we present

CARPOOL

This can be found on the homepage of the St. Luke Web page.

MORNING

Morning Procedures:

- Extension students will gather in the auditorium or at the plaza door where staff will complete the safety checks.
- Morning Carpool: Students will arrive at staggered times assigned alphabetically by carpool families.
 - **Please review the following information in preparation for our return to in-person learning:**



- **Drop-off times (for families without Preschool siblings) are listed below:**

- 8:00 - 8:10 a.m.: last name beginning with A-E
- 8:10 - 8:20 a.m.: last name beginning with F-L
- 8:20 - 8:30 a.m.: last name beginning with M - R
- 8:30 - 8:40 a.m.: last name beginning with S - Z

****NOTE: Families who have Preschool siblings** will drop-off between 8:15 and 8:30 am and do not follow the above schedule.

- **Carpool AM Dropoff Times:**

- Staff will be on-site to complete safety checks before students exit their cars. This will ensure social distancing that wouldn't be practical at the doors of the school. Temperatures will be taken and parent(s)/student(s) will respond to health questions via the [JotForm](#) or in person. Each student will receive a colored dot sticker to be worn on their uniform indicating that they have been screened. Preschool parents will park and walk their preschooler to their classrooms to sign them in.

END OF DAY

Carpool Lane Assignments

- Please drive into the appropriate lane for your homeroom teacher's grade. Please pull all the way to the front, and remain in your car.
 - **Grades K-2 - 2:45 pm daily (Except for Tuesday early release day @ 1:45)**
 - Gr. K Ms. Hoban in lane 1
 - Gr. K Miss Pala in lane 2
 - Gr. 1 Mrs. Edmonds in lane 3
 - Gr. 1 Ms. Foo in lane 4
 - Gr. 2 - both classes in lane 5
 - **Grades 3-5- 3:00 pm daily (Except for Tuesday early release day @ 2:00)**
 - Gr. 3 Mrs. Sheehan in lane 1
 - Gr. 3 Mrs. Smith in lane 2
 - Gr. 4 Mrs. Conrow in lane 3
 - Gr. 4 Mrs. DeCuir in lane 4
 - Gr. 5 - both classes in lane 5



Our focus this year will be on building joy in our larger community, school, classroom, and family.

SCHEDULE AND TEACHERS

3rd Sheehan Daily Schedule 2021-2022						
GRADE	An Inquiry into...					
TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
8:00-8:40	opening	opening	opening	opening	opening	
8:40-9:00	prayer/class meeting	prayer/class meeting	prayer/class meeting	prayer/class meeting	prayer/class meeting	
9:00-10:15	ELA	ELA	ELA	ELA	ELA	
10:15-10:30	recess	recess	recess	recess	recess	
10:30-11:30	Math	Math	Math	Math	Math	
11:30-12:00	Music or PE or Spanish	Music or PE or Spanish	Music or PE or Spanish	Music or PE or Spanish	PE or Music or Spanish	
12:00-12:30	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	
12:30-1:00	Recess	Recess	Recess	Recess	Recess	
1:00-1:30	Religion	Science/ Social Studies	Religion	Religion	Religion	
1:30-2:00	SEL		Library	Cursive	Reflection/Cursive	
2:00-2:30	Science/ Social Studies		Science/ Social Studies	Science/ Social Studies	ART	
2:30-2:45	Cursive					
2:45-3:00	clean-up/Dismissal		clean-up/dismissal	clean-up/dismissal		clean-up/dismissal

3rd Smith Daily Schedule 2021-2022						
GRADE	An Inquiry into...					
TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
8:00-8:40	opening	opening	opening	opening	opening	
8:40-9:00	prayer/class meeting	prayer/class meeting	prayer/class meeting	prayer/class meeting	prayer/class meeting	
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10:30-11:30	Math	Math	Math	Math	Math	
11:30-12:00	PE or Music or Spanish	PE or Music or Spanish	PE or Music or Spanish	PE or Music or Spanish	Music or PE or Spanish	
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1:30-2:00	SEL		Religion	Cursive	Reflection/Cursive	
2:00-2:30	Science/ Social Studies		Science/ Social Studies	Science/ Social Studies	ART	
2:30-2:45	Cursive					
2:45-3:00	clean-up/Dismissal		clean-up/dismissal	clean-up/dismissal		clean-up/dismissal

Music Mrs. Dirska
 PE Mrs. Diaz
 Spanish Senora
 Library Mrs. Feucht

3rd Grade Math Standards: Mrs. Sheehan and Mrs. Smith
 4th Grade Math Standards: Mrs. Sheehan, Mrs. Smith or Mr. Carson

What To Expect This Year

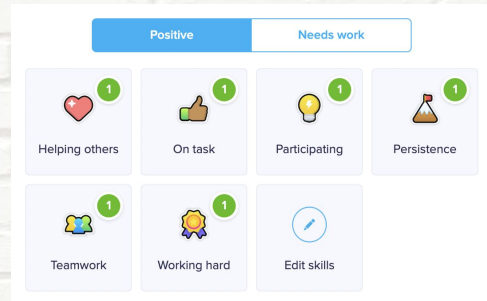
CLASSDOJO

Each student has his or her own avatar. When the students are displaying positive behavior in class i.e. coming to class prepared, being on task, being a good friend and leader, as well as improving scores on Quick Recalls (Mad Minutes) their avatar receives Dojo Points. The class has set a goal of 1000 points and then they can decide on a class party. However, if the students are displaying negative behavior i.e. talking out of turn, disrespecting property or others, not doing their work, their avatar loses points.

If the students lose Dojo Points there are consequences:

- Loss of 1 Dojo Points = warning, a reminder to get themselves back on track
- Loss of 3-4 Dojo Points = teacher's choice, here the teacher decides what action to take, very likely that will be loss of recess or other free choice time or completing a behavior reflection sheet.

Watch for email asking you to join and see what is happening in the classroom!



Classroom

Portfolios

Class Story

Messages

Individual

Mrs. Sheehan's Class

Class Dojo Redemption Rewards

- 10 points = pencil eraser/candy
- 20 points = gum chewer/bring a stuffed animal
- 30 points = fun pencil/Wear a pair of slippers in class
- 40 points = Where a Hat for the or Cool Shades
- 50 points = hot chocolate
- 60 points = Teacher Chair for day
- 75 points = treasure box
- 100 points = Free Dress Coupon



Mrs. Smith's Class

CLASS DOJO POINTS REWARDS

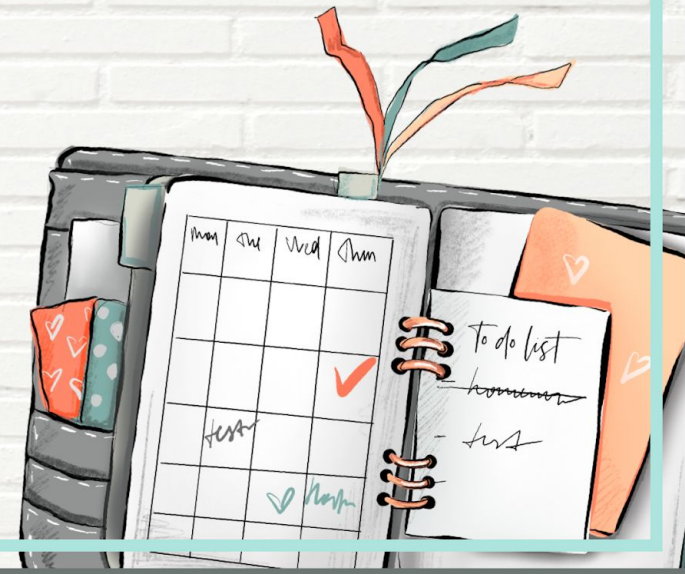
- 10 points = Pencil eraser
- 20 points = Gum chewer/bring a stuffed animal/sticker
- 30 points = Fun pencil/Mechanical Pencil
Wear a pair of slippers in class
- 40 points = Where a Hat for the or Cool Shades
- 50 points = hot chocolate
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Class Reward

Class plans party when
Total Dojo Points reach:

- 1st party: 1000
- 2nd party: 3000
- 3rd party: 6000
- 4th party: 9000



** ABSENTEE AND NO NAME FILE **

We will fill out a absentee form and send home missed work with a sibling or place up at the office.

But

if your child needs a copy of an assignment because they lost it or it was eaten by the dog, we have a few extra copies and they will need to complete a new page..

NO NAME papers are kept in special folder.

** BINDERS **

- Binders have one folder attached. The folders two pockets are labeled- Parent Attention and Homework/unfinished work.
- Student planners are hooked and have a binder clip to keep them on the correct week.
Only take out what has been put in the Parent Attention section of the folder.

** Tuesday Take Home Folder**

Purpose: To ensure that you can review your child's work, one folder will be collected from each child to be used as a Tuesday Take Home Folder.

Goal: All papers handed back to your child to be placed in their folder and the folder taken home every other Tuesday.

Your Responsibility: Remove papers from folder, sign the chart on the back, and make sure the folder is brought back to school Wednesday for class dojo points.



HOMEWORK

15-45 min.

Reading: All children are **required** to read every night and when a book is finished to take an AR test on it.

3rd grade needs 5 AR points a trimester

Math: A Homework worksheet when handed out.

3rd Grade: Addition/Subtraction Basic Facts

(then add multiplication/division after we learn them)

4th Grade: Multiplication/Division Basic Facts

ALEK is our online program that you can have your child work on at home. To receive the optimum benefit from ALEKS it is recommended that the children complete 2 hours a week. Some time will be given at school to get to this goal

Spelling: **One** spelling practice sheet/activity should be completed nightly (M-Th). If you and your child have another way you like to study spelling please come and talk to me about it.

IB (Social Studies/Science)/Religion

When the opportunity arises, we will send home activities and ways to enhance learning for these subjects. Throughout the year, the children will have projects that will require at home work. Big Projects will be broken down with mini deadlines to keep the children on track.

Homework is not included in their overall grade but each piece of homework is given Classdojo points and rewarded for being completed.



STAR STUDENTS

• We will try to match up close to birthdays and for those who have a birthday during the summer, we will give them a random week. Mrs. Sheehan created the first Star Student Display in her room.

* Birthday child **gets free dress** on their birthday but if your birthday is during the summer, then you can wear free dress on one of the days during your Star Student week. Birthday treats are okay but I am hoping that we can move away from food related treats and have the children bring in a book to add to the library or a game for the game cupboard. If you do decide to send in food please make it something that is easy to pass out. The birthday child will pass it out at lunch time.

Star Student

Each week, we will have a different student featured for our Star Student Spotlight. Students will be selected around their birthday if it falls during the school year or they will be calendared in throughout the year. The week before, your child will be given a packet to complete about themselves. Each sheet should have a sentence or two and a picture to illustrate (drawn or an actual picture). They will also get a paper bag to use to collect a couple of special items that they will share.

Students can have a total of 12 photos of their choice to display on the Star Student bulletin board.

While your child is the Star Student of the week, each day of the week will consist of an exciting event or activity to honor him or her. They will be line leader for the week and sit on the special chair in the library whenever we are on the carpet.

***Monday: Monday Sharing Sack:** The Star Student, will share the items they collected with their classmates on Monday. They will also share the information on their favorite's sheet.

***Tuesday: Favorite Book:** Star Student brings one of his or her favorite books to share with the class. Students can read the book aloud to the class, if it can be read in less than 10 minutes or give a book-talk if the book is longer.

***Wednesday: Special Lunch:** You may bring a special lunch for your child if you would like to do so. Our Lunch time is from

***Thursday:** The Star Student will choose something from the treasure box.

***Friday: Friendship Poster:** The student of the week will be presented with a friendship poster created by his or her classmates. The poster will include the student's name, surrounded by compliments written by his or her classmates.



*Water Bottles

** Heads phones

***Healthy snacks

***Please don't bring pop/soda to school. We will save that as a special treat on Star Student Day or a Party Day

Thanks for Coming!
It's Going to Be a Great Year!

Any
Questions?

