



WELCOME TO 3RD GRADE!

Dear Third Grader and Family,

Welcome to 3rd grade! I am so excited to begin my eighth year teaching at Central School. I am looking forward to a fantastic year of growing and learning together!

I can't wait to get to know you all! I'm sure you're wondering about me too. I grew up in Glenview, not far from Wilmette. My favorite sports teams are the Chicago Cubs and the Wisconsin Badgers. I love to travel and explore new places, especially our beautiful national parks. My favorite place to be is outside in the mountains or by the water. In my free time, I love reading, painting, and baking. I also love spending time with my family and friends!

This year will be full of exploration and creativity! We will read new genres, write imaginative stories, and research collaboratively. As third graders, you will take on even more responsibility for your learning. We will set goals and reflect on our growth.

Parents, please look out for a newsletter and information regarding an intake survey. I am looking forward to working together to support your children!

Third Graders, I am looking forward to building a community with you all! I can't wait to meet you and begin a fun-filled year together. We will begin our learning journey together on **Wednesday, August 23rd**. Enjoy the rest of your summer vacation and get ready for a great year!

Best,
Ms. Samborn