

Dear Students,

Second grade has come to an end. Welcome to 3rd grade!! Over the summer you will need to complete this math packet and read *Third Grade Angels* by Jerry Spinelli and complete the reading comprehension packet.

For the math packet please show all work on the page. Do not use a separate piece of paper to do your work. There is plenty of room on each page to work out the problem.

For the reading packet, please answer all the comprehension questions in complete sentences. Do not just write one word, it must be in a sentence. You will be doing A LOT of writing in third grade so this will help you prepare! Practice makes perfect ☺

We will be going over these the first week of third grade, so please bring them with you on the first day of school. Both packets will be graded for completion.

Third grade requires a lot of hard work, but I know you all can do it! Practice your math facts and cursive handwriting over the summer and don't forget to read! Do your best to prepare yourself for the hard work that is to come in September! I look forward to seeing you all in August!

Have a wonderful summer,

Mrs. Prusinowski (Miss Finley)

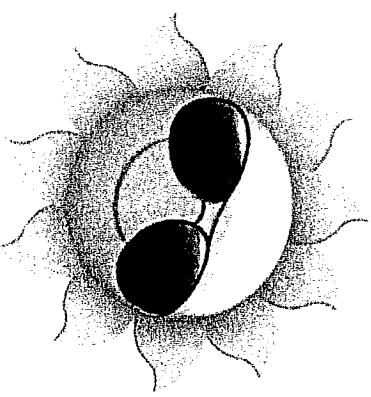
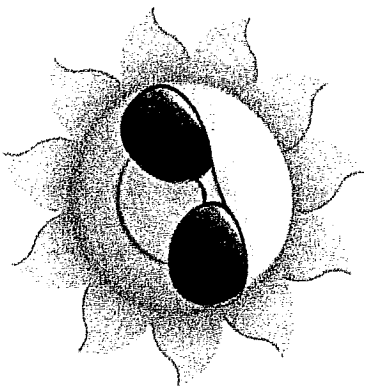


Third Grade

Angels

By: Jerry Spinelli

Summer Work Packet



Name: _____

Third Grade Angels: Chapter 1 Questions

Why did Suds not like being a first grade baby or a second grade cat?

According to Mrs. Simms, what do third grade angels need to do?

Suds finds himself blurting out in class and acting strangely. Why do you think Suds is behaving this way?

How does Mrs. Simms make the first day of third grade fun for her students?

Third Grade Angels: Chapters 2 and 3 Questions

Explain what the third graders need to do to earn a halo.

What is your impression of Joseph so far? Explain your thoughts. Use clues from the text to support your answer.

What does Suds mean when he says there is no door between his mouth and his brain?

Describe Joseph's actions on the playground. Why do you think he is acting this way?

Third Grade Angels: Chapters 4 and 5 Questions

How did George get the nickname Suds?

Explain how Suds and his mom get rid of his "chipmunky" feeling.

Who gives a big, shiny apple to Mrs. Simms on the second day of school?

How do you know?

Describe the students' behavior in the classroom on this second day of school.

What happens on the playground that disappoints Mrs. Simms?

Third Grade Angels: Chapters 6 and 7 Questions

Explain why Mrs. Simms says the whole class is guilty in the playground incident.

What does Suds realize about himself for the first time?

What appears on Mrs. Simms' desk the next morning? Describe her reaction.

Third Grade Angels: Chapters 8 and 9 Questions

How does Suds show perfect angel behavior in Chapter 8? Use details from the chapter to support your answer.

Do you think Mrs. Simms thinks that Suds is perfect? Explain your thoughts.

Explain why Suds' mom thinks that Mrs. Simms might have spies.

Third Grade Angels: Chapters 10 & 11 Questions

What's the one thing Suds can improve on at home, according to his mom?

How do you think Suds feels about being kind to his sister? Use text details to support your answer.

Even though Suds is doing all the perfect things, why can't he relax?

Third Grade Angels: Chapters 12 and 13 Questions

Describe some of the "back to bad" behaviors in Chapter 12.

Why do you think that most of the students are starting to act badly?

Why is Suds spending more and more time in the tub?

Third Grade Angels: Chapters 14 and 15 Questions

Describe the first and second "Oh No" things that happen to Suds.

Describe the third and fourth "Oh No" things that happen to Suds.

Why doesn't Suds want to get up and go to school?

Who receives the first halo?

How does not winning the halo make Suds feel, and why?

Third Grade Angels: Chapters 16 and 17 Questions

Explain why Suds feels like a bad loser.

According to Mrs. Simms, why does Constantine Pappas
get the first halo?

Do you think Mrs. Simms had spies working for her?
Explain your thoughts.

I'm an Angeli!

Imagine that you are a student in Mrs. Simms' third grade class. Describe what you would do to earn a halo.

