

Dear Upcoming Third Grade Parents,

I am excited to meet your munchkins this coming Fall! As you enjoy the summer season filled with good times and fun memories, remember reading during the summer is very important! Did you know that children may experience learning losses when they don't read during the summer? Research indicates students who do not read over the course of the summer run the risk of losing ground in their reading achievement.

The third grade summer reading book this year is "Frindle" by Andrew Clements. Frindle is about a boy who is known for making school more cool. In the novel he decides to invent a new word for "pen", something which he thought would be small, turned into a major issue in the school and then in the entire town. Your child will definitely enjoy reading this interesting children's book about a child who doesn't give up and always has new ideas up his sleeve.

In addition to reading the book you will create a pendant for the novel, that we will display in our classroom in September, InshAllah.

Summer Reading List:

- 1. Frindle: By Andrew Clements *Required Reading**
- 2. Fantastic Mr. Fox: By: Roald Dahl**
- 3. Lost Treasure of the Emerald Eye By: Geronimo Stilton**

I hope you enjoy your summer and happy reading!

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