

June 24, 2011

Dear Students and Parents,

I just wanted to take this opportunity to introduce myself before the start of the next school year. As you may already know, I teach third grade at Vail Farm, and I'm looking forward to working with you in the fall.

As you will soon discover, you will have lots of opportunities in my class to spend time reading books that you have chosen for yourself. Summer is a great time to explore your reading interests, and as part of your preparation for third grade, I encourage you to spend a little time each day this summer with a book that you enjoy reading.

I look forward to meeting you in the fall. Until then, please make sure to check my website on or after August 25th for your first assignment. The assignment will be located in the "Info" section of the website.

Best wishes! Have a safe and pleasant summer!

Sincerely,

Andrew Stock

SUPPLY LIST

MR. STOCK'S CLASS

Below, you will find a list of supplies that will be of great use to you as we set out to achieve our learning goals and create a comfortable classroom environment in which to learn. Please arrive at school on the first day prepared with the following items:

- A book to read on the first day (it can be one that you've already started)
- 24 Number 2 Pencils
- 2 pencil sharpeners (non-electric with a case to catch the shavings)
- 2 highlighters
- A set of colored pencils
- A set of washable markers
- A set of flashcards for addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division
- An eraser
- 1 marble composition book
- 2 packets of loose leaf paper
- 2 three-subject notebooks
- 5 durable two-pocket folders (these will be handled a lot)
- 2 large Ziploc bags for transporting library books to and from school
- 3 boxes of tissues for the classroom