



# Elliott's Events

Mrs. Elliott: 3B

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Happy New Year! I hope all of my third grade families had a great break. It was wonderful to see all of the students back at school this week and ready to tackle the second half of the school year!

We spent time this week reviewing rules and expectations. We have a new system in place in our classroom to help motivate students to complete homework and classroom assignments in a timely manner. Ask your child to tell you about it if he/she hasn't already done so. We also worked on setting new academic and personal goals. Each student has a reading goal and a math fact goal for the month of January in addition to a personal goal. The students will be paired up so they can check in and support each other's progress towards reaching their goals. Please ask your child what his/her goals are so you can support at home as well. At the end of January we will celebrate the goals that have been achieved, and we will write new goals for February.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me by phone or email.  
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## Next Week in 3rd Grade:

**Math:** We will work on place value, rounding, and addition strategies for multi-digit numbers.

**Writing:** We will continue to work on narrative writing. We will also complete a mid year district writing performance task.

**Reading:** Reading groups will focus on a variety of reading standards.

**Social Studies:** The students will use the information they found when researching their biomes to write a story with their biome as the setting.

**OUR HABIT OF THE WEEK NEXT WEEK IS: Find Your Voice (New - Habit #8)**

## Specialist Schedule



<b>Monday:</b>	Art 11:05-12:05
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Library 10:00-10:30 Computers 10:30-11:00
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Computers 11:05-11:35 Library 11:35-12:05 Counselor 12:10-12:40
<b>Thursday:</b>	P.E. 11:05-11:35 Music 11:35-12:05
<b>Friday:</b>	P.E. 11:05-11:35 Music 11:35-12:05

## Spelling:

We will resume our spelling word work lists next week. Please be sure to find your child's spelling words from the Friday Folder so you can support his/her spelling practice at home.

## TSD App:

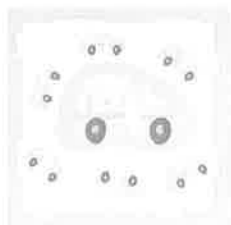
TSD has launched a new mobile app. It can be downloaded from the iTunes App Store and the Google Play marketplace. If you search "Thompson School District" you will find it. The app will tailor information based on the schools you choose.



You can find

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in the app store.



## School-Home Connection

PTO Meeting: 1/13 @ 7PM

No School: 1/18

No School (Teacher Development Day): 1/19

Science Fair: 1/29 from 5:30-7:30

