



Darul Arqam School Summer 2021



Entering Third Grade

Dear Parents,

Assalamu Alaikum. My name is Suzan Srouji, and I will be your child's 3rd grade teacher for 2021-2022 school year. Summer is an important time for each of us. It is an opportunity to rest and relax with our families and friends. Even though, it is a much-deserved time of rest, it is also important that we maintain learning for our kids. Daily reading, writing and math are critical. Vacations and special events also contribute to learning environment. It is my sincere hope that you spend time this summer continuing your child's learning progression. The summer packet attached provides you with activities to maintain this important learning. As always, the best practice for reading is to read daily for minimum 25 minutes. Please turn all assignments first week of school in a composition notebook.

May you have a blessed, relaxing, enjoyable, and fun filled summer! I Cannot wait to meet your child next year in school inshallah.

Best Regards,

Suzan Srouji

Suggested reading:

Dragons in a Bag (By: Zetta Elliott)

Of Giants and Ice (By Shelby Bach)

Keep a reading log and record your daily reading in it. Reading log must be included in the back of your composition notebook.

Decorate a poster with the characters from the above book you read on it and bring it back on first day of school. (Be creative)

July

Third Grade

2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4	5 Go outside with your parent. Find a flower. Discuss the major parts and how those parts serve a purpose (Stem-support; flower-reproduction; roots-absorb nutrients, anchor into ground; leaves-create food for the plant). Draw and label a picture of a plant with the above parts.	6 Suppose you had not memorized 6x 7 yet. Explain two different ways you could find the product of 6x7. Use a drawing or equation to show how you would do that.	7 Use a piece of cardboard or index card to make a bookmark. Draw a picture of the book on one side with a few sentences that tell about the book. On the offer side list the title and author. Use in your books this summer!	8 Fill a glass with water and ice. On a piece of paper, make a sketch of what it looks like. Place the glass of water outside. In one hour observe the glass of water. Sketch what you see. How has the glass changed? Why do you think this change has taken place? Record your thinking (condensation, sun's energy, water cycle).	9 Find something small enough to put in your pocket. Write a poem or story about it.	10
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18	19 Begin reading a chapter book either hardcover or an eBook. Go to a family member and share the story and encourage them to read with you.	20 Aisha is building a backyard pen for her new puppy. The length of the pen is 6 meters and the with is 4 meters. What is the area of the puppy pen?	21 Enjoy these great websites for free. Free Reading Websites Starfall Fun Brain Storyline online National Geographic Kids	22 Draw a 3 column chart on paper. Label each column solid, liquid and gas. Look around the house and draw or list the things that would fit into these categories. Write about how solids, liquids and gases are alike and different.	23 Write a letter to a friend telling what you have been doing so far this summer.	24
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August Third Grade

2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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8	9 Write your 7, 8 and 9 multiplication facts. Have an adult give you a quiz.	10 Walk through your house and outside. Write down 3 items inside that are compound words and 3 items outside.	11 If you could create an invention to solve any problem, what would it be? Write about it!	12 What are three new words you learned this summer? Write these words, their meanings, and illustrate a picture for each.	13 How many words can you make of the word: "Teamwork" write them down.	14
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22	23 Estimate how many jumping jacks you can do in a minute. Then time yourself and write your actual number. Record your answers.	24 How many words can you think of that end with ug,-ut,-or un? Write them down!	25 6+4+8 names the same number as 9+9. Write three more number expressions for the amount 9+9.	26 Go for a walk with your parent and write all the sound you hear and what was making those sounds.	27 The first day of school is coming up soon! Write a story about how you feel about starting school. Also tell what you are most excited about.	28
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