

Ms. Kimble's 3rd Grade Welcome Letter Welcome to the 2025–2026 School Year!

Welcome to 3rd grade! My name is Ms. Kimble, and I'm so excited to begin this journey with you and your child. As a first-year teacher, I bring fresh energy, a passion for learning, and a deep commitment to helping each student grow academically and personally.

This year, we will work together to meet Georgia's state-mandated reading and comprehension goals. Students will build their literacy skills through engaging lessons, interactive discussions, and a variety of reading materials. One exciting addition this year is that students will begin learning cursive writing —a wonderful skill that builds fine motor coordination and reinforces reading fluency.

## Homework Expectations:

To support learning at home, students will have weekly assignments including:

- 20 minutes of reading, 3 days a week (reading logs must be signed by a parent or guardian)
- Weekly vocabulary assessments
- Fundations phonics work

All homework will be reviewed and graded, and your involvement in supporting these tasks is vital for student success.

I believe strongly that every student is unique. Learning styles, needs, and goals vary—and I take pride in adapting instruction to meet those differences. Whether your child is a visual learner, loves handson activities, or thrives with repetition and structure, I am here to guide them with patience and purpose.

This year, my focus is on communication, progress, and growth. I will keep you informed, involved, and always welcome open dialogue. Please don't hesitate to reach out with questions, concerns, or feedback. We are a team, and I am honored to be part of your child's academic journey.

Let's make this an incredible year of growth, learning, and achievement!

Warm regards,
Ms. Kimble
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