



WWPS Third Grade Promise Standards

Third Grade Families: In Walla Walla Public Schools, we operate in an aligned and coherent system. This means students will receive access to the same promise standards no matter which school they attend. The third grade team at your child's school will support all students to reach proficiency on the promise standards listed below, while also addressing all of the third grade math and language arts standards. Teachers identified these promise standards in alignment with previous and following grade levels to ensure skills build from year to year, and lead to a successful educational career in Walla Walla Public Schools.

Fractions Operations and Algebraic Thinking
Numbers and Operations Base 10 Measurement and Data

Third Grade Math Promise Standards

- Understand a fraction as the quantity formed by 1 part when a whole is partitioned into b equal parts; understand a fraction as the quantity formed by a part of size.
- Understand a fraction as a number on the number line; represent fractions on a number line diagram.
- Interpret products of whole numbers, e.g., interpret 5×7 as the total number of objects in 5 groups of 7 objects each.
- Interpret whole-number quotients of whole numbers.
- Understand division as a unknown-factor problem.
- Fluently multiply and divide within 100, using strategies such as the relationship between multiplication and division. By the end of Grade 3, know from memory all products of two one-digit numbers. (up to 9×9 memorized)
- Fluently add and subtract within 1,000 using strategies and algorithms based on place value, properties of operations, and/or the relationship between addition and subtraction.
- Tell and write time to the minute and measure time interval in minutes. Solve word problems involving addition and subtraction of time intervals in minutes.
- Find the area of rectangle with whole-number side lengths by tiling it, and show that the area is the same as would be found by multiplying the side lengths.

Foundational Skills Reading: Literature Reading: Informational Text
Writing Language

Third Grade ELA Promise Standards

- Know and apply grade level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
- Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
- Recount stories, including fables, folktales, and myths from diverse cultures; determine the central message, lesson, or moral and explain how it is conveyed through key details in the text.
- Describe characters in a story (e.g., their traits, motivations, or feelings) and explain how their actions contribute to the sequence of events.
- Ask and answer questions to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers.
- Determine the main idea of a text; recount the key details and explain how they support the main idea.
- Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly.
- Introduce a topic and group related information together; include illustrations when useful to aiding comprehension.
- Use linking words and phrases (e.g., also, another, and, more, but) to connect ideas within categories of information.
- Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple meaning word and phrases based on grade 3 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.