

# Ruth McGregor Elementary

## Third Grade Expectations

### Language Arts

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- All of Second Grade Expectations

#### READING

- Fluently read text at grade level.
- Complete weekly reading logs to track at home reading (15 minute per night goal).
- Successfully read and test on four books per month in individual reading level.
- Accurately read 3<sup>rd</sup> grade sight words from a generated list.

#### WRITING

- Write complete sentences using capitalization and punctuation.
- Form and write paragraphs; topic sentence, supporting details and using evidence.
- Correctly form and write words/letters on notebook paper using manuscript and cursive.
- Know spelling rules and use words correctly in context.

### Mathematics

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- Know multiplication facts through 10's.
- Know basic addition and subtraction facts with regrouping.
- Tell time using an analog clock to the minute.
- Count, add and subtract money.
- Know place value through hundred thousand.
- Compare fractions and decimals.
- Find perimeter and area of a geometric shape.
- Identify angles.

### Social Studies

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- Know and label the five Great Lakes.
- Know the Michigan Native American tribes.
- Correctly write their own mailing address.
- Understand map skills using compass rose.
- Identify rights and responsibilities of citizens.
- Recall current events.

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## Science

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- Students will know how to observe, record and collect data.
- Students will carry out inquiry based experiments in the following areas; motion, lights and sound, earth materials, and living organisms.

