



# HES 3rd Grade Newsletter



Week of September 18, 2017

## Mark Your Calendars

- **MAKE IT HAPPEN** campaign continues!!!
- **Science Fair parent signature slips** located in the planner due Monday, Sept. 18
- **MAP math test** Monday Sept. 18
- **Fire Safety presentation** by Mecklenburg County fire personnel Tues. Sept. 19
- **Science Fair Project parent meeting** in Media Center @ 6:00pm-Tuesday, Sept. 19 PLEASE ATTEND! Project boards will be for sale!
- **NO SCHOOL** Sept. 21-22
- **Progress Reports** Thursday, Sept. 28

## HOMEWORK

- Excel math sheet except on excel test days
- math workbook page with problems personalized for your child
- vocabulary words to study

## A note from the teachers



Rules for third grade ☺

- Listen and look at the speaker when s/he is talking.
- Follow directions quickly.
- Respect others. Respect yourself. Respect our school.
- Make smart choices.
- Be safe. Be kind. Be honest.

Ask your child to show you the hand signals that accompany each rule. If your child does not follow these rules, there will be communication with you.

*Vocabulary words* -Test Wed Sept. 20 from the book Miss Nelson is Missing

**whiz**-move very fast

**squirm**-wiggle, or twist your body from side to side, usually because you are bored or uncomfortable

**rap**-tap or hit something sharply (forcefully) and quickly

**snap**-speak sharply or angrily

**likely**-probably will happen or is probably true

**unlikely**-it probably will not happen or is probably not true

---[www.cms.k12.nc.us](http://www.cms.k12.nc.us)

Here you can access the Student and Parent Portal! Check it out!

---THE PLANNER

Here you can find ...who to email absence excuses to, CMS calendar, science fair information, dress code, volunteering, personal property at school, cafeteria information, tardies, transportation, student fees, early dismissals

## Curriculum Corner

**Science-** the scientific method

**Language Arts/SS-** common and proper nouns, building reading stamina, filling out a reading log, choosing appropriate reading spots, figuring out tricky words, stopping and jotting while reading, and practicing different word sorts / what is 'culture'

**Math-** using arrays to understand multiplication, knowing that two numbers can be multiplied in any order and the product remains the same, using sharing to separate equal groups and to think about division