



# GREEN MAGNET ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

*Leadership and World Languages*

## 3rd Grade Newsletter

September 4, 2018

We have had a great first week back!

- ★ **Reminder** - If you have not yet done so, please fill out and return the white Locator card to your child's teacher as soon as possible.
- ★ **Monthly calendar** - Please check the monthly calendar in the daily take home folder for important dates in September.
- ★ **mClass** - We will begin our beginning of year reading benchmark testing this week. We will be looking at students' reading comprehension levels and reading fluency. At the end of the testing window, we will send home letters with the benchmark results.
- ★ **BOG** - 3rd grade students will take the BOG (Beginning of Grade) reading test on Tuesday, September 11. Please have your child at school on time that morning. Students will take a practice test and learn how to use the tools prior to taking the BOG. We will send home their scores on a later date.
- ★ **Weekly Reading Log** - We will send home a weekly reading log, and we encourage students to read nightly and answer the accompanying question. Students may turn in the log on Fridays. Reading nightly helps with reading comprehension and fluency.
- ★ **Open House** - Please join us for Open House on Tuesday, September 11 at 6:45pm! You will get a chance to learn about the 3rd grade curriculum, Read to Achieve, and the EOG tests.

THANK YOU,

*Ms. Calixte, Ms. Khan, Ms. Larkin, Mrs. Palumbo*