## This week in Grade 3

April 16th - April 20th

### Our words of the week:

- l. unhappiness
- 2. general
- 3. make
- 4. put

Every Friday we will have a spelling test on these words. Please practice these words every night at home so your child knows how to spell them and read them in a "snap".

Literacy: This week we will be learning about parenthesis and will review semi-colons. We will also continue to write book reviews to share with other students. Students will be reviewing the sounds for ai/ay and ou/ow.

Writing: This week we will be finishing our independent procedural pieces and will begin letter writing.

**Math:** This week we will be learning about division through equal groups as well as repeated subtraction. Please Practice this at home as it is a hard concept for most students. Students will be working on the 2 times tables this week. Please continue practicing these at home as it will only help your child be successful and feel confident.

### Division through equal groups

Ex: total # of objects  $\div$  # of objects in each group = # of groups

15 ÷ 5 = ? Students will place objects in groups of 5 until they get to their total number of objects (15). The number of groups they have is the final answer.

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### Repeated Subtraction for Division:

Students will subtract the # of items from the total # of objects until they get to 0. How many times they subtracted is their answer.

Ex: 20 ÷ 4 = ? 20 - 4 = 16 16 - 4 = 12 12 - 4 = 8 8 - 4 = 4 4 - 4 = 0 Subtracted 5 times (answer is 5)

#### Reminders: Wed. April 18<sup>th</sup> - F

Wed, April 18<sup>th</sup> – Book Orders Due Thurs. April 19<sup>th</sup> – Zumba \$2