Grade 3 Homework

As per the agenda contract signed in September:

- " All students are expected to complete and hand in assigned work on time"
- "Parents should be actively involved in their child's homework"
- "Parents should be available to assist their children if difficulties arise"

Parents are asked to check over their child's work for accuracy and to assist with editing. Parents are also asked to please initial the pages of their child's homework upon completion before it is handed in.

Spelling will continue to be done on a nightly basis while the other homework will be done an a bi-weekly basis and due on every second Friday (or Thursday if there is no school.) In accordance to the CBE homework policy of 10 minutes per night, the spelling and part of another assignment are to be completed over the span of the two weeks.

Subject	Due	Completed
Spelling	EVERYDAY	
Math	Jan. 24 th	
LA Writing	Jan. 24 th	
Reading Comp.	Jan 24 th	

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<u>Math</u>

Please complete the attached math sheet.

Reading comp.

Please read and complete the comprehension questions.

L.A Writing

We continue to work on paragraph writing since the beginning of the year. We use the "hamburger model" for the basics of a paragraph. As we get further into the year writing expectations increase so the writing template needs to be expanded, but we have included it so students can use it to brainstorm their ideas.

Paragraph Writing Checklist

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Parag	raph Writing Checklist
1.	I have indented the first sentence
1.	I have started with an introductory topic sentence
2.	I have included a minimum of 3 supporting sentences
3.	All my sentences relate to the topic
4.	I have used a variety of transition words (first, next, then, last)
5.	I have used a variety of words to start my sentences
6.	I have enhanced my writing with juicy words (adjectives)
7.	I have added more details to keep my reader interested
8.	I have written a closing sentence that summarizes my paragraph

Below is an editing checklist:

Editin	g and Improving Checklist
1.	Underline and fix spelling
2.	Circle or add punctuation (. , ! ? A a)
3.	Change a word that doesn't sound right
4.	Erase a word or words that don't belong
5.	Highlight adjectives (is it exciting enough, and did you use juicy words)
6.	Read your work out loud. Does it make sense?

Students need to write the paragraph in their <u>homework</u> notebook, not in their spelling book.

<u>Topic:</u> What would you do if you won a million dollars?

Name: _

Multiple-Step Word Problems



Solve the word problems. Show your work. And use a sentence to anser the question.

 a. Haruto has tomato plants in his backyard. This year the plants grew 127 tomatoes. Birds had eaten 19 of the tomatoes. 23 tomatoes had been ruined by bugs. He picked the rest. How many tomatoes did Haruto pick?

b. Webster Elementary School has 124 first graders and 130 second graders. On Friday, 12 first graders and 9 second graders were absent. How many first and second graders were in school on Friday?

c. Cole and Bryson went to Video Game Land. Cole won 152 tickets. Bryson won 84 tickets. They want to put their tickets together to get a large toy monkey that costs 300 tickets. How many more tickets do they need?

d. Clementine and Jake make cookies for the school bake sale. Clementine baked 72 cookies. Jake baked twice as many as Clementine. How many cookies did they bake altogether?

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Multiple-Step Word Problems



a. Madison is reading a book that has 232 pages in it.
She read 42 pages over the weekend. Then she read 30 more pages on Monday night. How many pages does Madison have left to read?

b. Steven bought two boxes of erasers. One box had 24 erasers in it. The other box had 36 erasers in it. He then gave 18 of his erasers to his friend. How many erasers did Steven have left?

c. In football, a player scores 6 points for a touchdown and 3 points for a field goal. Sujith's team scored 2 touchdowns in this week's game. Last week they scored 1 touchdown and 1 field goal. How many points did Sujith's team score in both games combined?

d. Mia bought a sketch book with 125 blank pages in it. She tears out 7 blank pages for her friend to draw on. Mia draws pictures on 64 pages. How many blank pages does she have left?

Boogie Boarding

The August sun was bright! The morning was already hot! "We will go to the beach after breakfast," said Mom.

Dad packed the truck. Anita and Jose grabbed their colorful beach towels. "Who will get the first turn on the boogie board?" Dad asked. "We will flip a coin to see," laughed the children.

Jose won the coin toss! Time and again he pulled the boogie board out into the powerful surf and rode the waves to shore. He bounced and bumped on the strong waves! Salt water splashed on his face and hair. Finally, Anita could not wait any longer. She waded into the sea. The ocean pulled at her legs. She waved to Jose, and he steered the boogie board toward her. "It's my turn!" Anita shouted into the wind.

1. What did the children have to share? _____ 2. Where do you go to use a boogie board? 3. What do you do on a boogie board? ______ 4. What did they take to the beach besides the boogie board? 5. What are five actions words in this story? 6. How did they decide who got the boogie board first? 7. What do you like to do in the summer? _____