

3.RL.10 Parent Helper

I CAN READ AND COMPREHEND LITERATURE, INCLUDING STORIES, DRAMAS, AND POETRY.

Your child is learning to read and respond to third grade literature.

Vocabulary Terms:

Character

Poetry

Drama/Play

Story

Illustrations

Literature

Author

Comprehend

Sample Questions To Ask Your Child:

What kind of text is this?

How are the stories (poems/plays) alike? Different?

What is the main idea of this text?

Does this story remind you of any others you have read? Is this poem like other poems the author has written? Have you ever read a story like this before?

Write answers to respond to any of the above questions.

Need more resources?

You can practice this standard with your child using any fiction text. It is important to remember that your child should be able to look back in the text to find answers and should also be able to show you where they found them. By the end of third grade your child should be able to read and comprehend texts that are on grade level. Check with your child's teacher to determine your child's current reading level and how you can help them move toward that goal.

Book series for third graders:

Magic Tree House

Nate the Great

Amelia Bedelia

Ricky Ricotta's MIGHTY ROBOT

Diary of a Wimpy Kid

Arthur chapter books (by Marc Brown)

Cam Jansen Mysteries

Ramona Quimby

Nancy Drew Notebooks

Babysitter's Club