Weekly Fluency Passages

3rd Grade

**Fluency** means being able to read a text quickly, accurately, and with expression. A fluent reader is better able to understand the text. Rereading and reading aloud is a good strategy for becoming a more fluent reader.

**Reading Fluency Goal for 3rd Grade: 137 wcpm** (word count per minute)

To practice reading fluently:  
**•** Set a timer for **one minute**.  
**•** Read the passage as quickly and accurately as possible.  
**•** Mark the last word with a bracket ( ) read when the timer goes off.  
**•** Record the words *per minute* read in the chart at the bottom.

To determine *Words Per Minute*, count the amount of correct words the student read in one minute. Record that number in the box.

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1st Read – Follow along as student reads and put a slash (/) through any incorrect words. (Use **RED** crayon)

2nd Read – Follow along as student reads and put a slash (/) through any incorrect words. (Use **BLUE** crayon)

3rd Read – Follow along as student reads and put a slash (/) through any incorrect words. (Use **GREEN** crayon)

**\*\* Additional Instruction\*\***

* Take a photo of your completed work, then record yourself (video/audio) reading the assigned text **(for 1 minute ONLY)**. Upload it in Google Classroom.

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