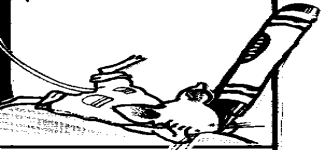


# THE LISTENING POST



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## Week at a Glance

**Mon.**

Math Facts

Spelling: Write words 2 times in ABC order

Reading: Check agenda/reading contract

**Get your parent signature on Reading Log**

Math: Lesson 6.3

**Tue.**

Math Facts

Reading: Check agenda/reading contract

Math: Lesson 6.4

**Wed.**

Math Facts

Reading: Check agenda/reading contract

Math: Lesson 6.6 (skipping 6.5)

**Thur.**

Math Facts

Spelling: Get quizzed. Grade it and get it signed.

Reading: Check agenda/reading contract

Math: Lesson 6.7

**Fri.**

Math Facts

Turn in Reading Log

## Bicycle Safety Week

MONDAY:

We will learn about bicycle safety rules.

WEDNESDAY:

We will be applying what we learned as we actually ride bicycles. If possible, please bring your own bike to ride.

## Kindness week!

TUES - wear a tie/kindness ties us together

WED - wear rainbow/we belong together

THUR - wear a hat/ hats off to kindness

FRI - wear Lincoln colors

## writing this week

The goal is to finish planning our opinion essay and hopefully also finish writing our introduction. More information about the opinion writing unit is on the website.

## NO EXCUSE WORDS

again	against	always	surprise
between	brought	comfortable	course
during	early	example	either
ground	heard	however	forward
due	do	impossible	problem

## California Missions

We are continuing to learn about California Missions.

We will be doing another SMAART sheet for Background Sheet 2. We will definitely read



the information together and I will provide lots of support for writing SMAART answers. **Please refer to the website which explains what each letter in the acronym stands for.**

Last week I carefully explained this and the students were allowed to COPY my SMAART answers as this was a time to learn something new. We worked on this for three days. The most challenging part was the "S." This refers to writing SENTENCES correctly. Meaning including correct capitals, end marks, punctuation, and spelling words accurately. About 70% of the class lost over half the points for this even though they were allowed to copy me. In order to play the game part of this unit, you need to show EFFORT so please be more careful this week. I will still help you a LOT!

## Book Clubs

We are continuing to meet every Friday with our book clubs.



Since we are reading different books, don't forget to write the daily reading in your agenda for the week's chunk. This is written in your Book Contract calendar. This should be in your reading binder.

REMEMBER:

1. There is "wiggle room" with the daily reading. The important part is to have it finished ideally by Wednesday night. If you need time on Thursday to read that is okay but you can't decide Top 4 together if you haven't finished reading the chunk.
2. It is important NOT to read ahead!!
3. For each chapter, write one or two events that you think might be important.
4. **On Thursday, discuss with your book club and decide the Top 4. Then write the 4 post-its.**
5. **Each book club will meet on Friday for their Book Club discussion.**
6. **Make sure to get your reading log signed by next Monday evening. (They will show signatures on Tuesday morning.)**