

THE LISTENING POST



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Week at a Glance

WEEK BEFORE BREAK

We are going to be **BUSY** working and having fun! So our normal Monday through Friday routine is not happening! Woo hoo!

All work will be done at school with the exception of Book Clubs.

Also, **extra** reading time will be given in class to read since we will have our Book Club time to write our Top 4 post its on Wednesday.

Mon.

Reading: Chapter 6 and jot dots

Tue.

Reading: Chapter 7-8 and jot dots

READING LOG FROM MONDAY'S BOOK CLUB WILL GO HOME FOR PARENT SIGNATURE.

Wed.

Reading: Chapter 9 - 10 and jot dots

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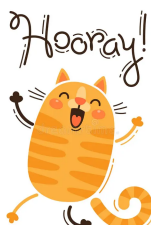
Reading: Make sure you are ready for Book Club tomorrow

Fri.

NOTHING! Happy start of vacation!

ProjectCornerstone on Wednesday!

We're so excited to have our second Project Cornerstone! HUGE thanks to our volunteers!



BICYCLE SAFETY WEEK

MONDAY:

We will learn about bicycle safety rules.

FRIDAY:

We will be applying what we learned as we actually ride bicycles. **If possible, please bring your own bike to ride. And bring your helmet if you have one.** (Spares are available so don't worry!)

Book Clubs



We made it through the first week with a Book Club format! Hooray!

FYI, we had our first book club meeting TODAY (Monday).

The Reading Log will be coming home on Tuesday for your signature. It will have 3 grades:

1. Post-its
2. Book Club participation
3. Book Club reflection ("After we Met")

THIS WEEK:

We will be doing our 2nd week of the book club routine. The steps are the same, but **this week our Book Club meeting will be on Friday, which is the normal routine.**

As a reminder:

1. Read the daily reading assigned each day. That also involves writing jot dots for each chapter. Time will be provided at school.
2. While reading, write jot dots on post-its about things you think are important for each chapter.
3. On WEDNESDAY you will sit with your book club and decide together the Top 4 things. Then you will be given class time to write thoughtful post-its about those 4 events. Make sure you are writing about "under the ocean" ideas.
4. On FRIDAY you will participate in your book club. After the meeting, you will write your reflections on what you discussed. This is on the back of the reading log and is called "After we meet I am thinking..."
5. Also on Friday you will turn in the Reading Log. This will go home on the following Monday for a parent signature.

REMEMBER:

Class time will be provided each day to read the daily assigned chapters. However, if you do not finish the reading in class, it IS HOMEWORK.

It is very important to be prepared for our club discussions which happen on Fridays.

If you are reading the book with your child - thank you! It is very important to spend a few minutes every night to discuss and brainstorm ideas.

BALLOONS OVER BROADWAY Parade!

We've all made "balloons" and we will be parading at Lincoln on Thursday at 8:15. You are welcome to come and cheer!!

