

Ms. Barrett's Newsletter



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Reading Log – I am changing the reading log for the class. The new reading log will be handed out weekly (on Monday stapled to the spelling activities) and will require the students to do a small amount of writing about what they read each day. Students are expected to read for 20 minutes Monday-Thursday.

Sticky Notes – We are using 3 inch by 3 inch sticky notes for reading. As students read they will take the time to pause and write a thought, question, or summary for the page. They will also define vocabulary words and place those on the page where they are found. We will go through the notes fairly quickly, so if you can purchase some for your child or donate some to the class it will be very helpful.

Math – Unit two- probability and graphing ends next week. Students will need to be able to create a line plot and place events on a probability line. Vocabulary: line plot, median, mode, range, impossible, unlikely, equally likely, likely, certain.

**Reading Vocabulary (test date: September 30th) Story: *The Baker's Neighbor*
Website: http://www.kyrene.org/reading/4th_grade/theme_1/index.htm**

shiftless, indignantly, ad lib, shamefacedly, luxury, assent, privilege, elated

**Spelling List #6 (test date: September 30^h) Website:
<http://www.spellingcity.com/denilya/>**

Carved, garden, harm, farther, barked, alarm, chart, starved, harder, parked, smartest, charge, guard, argument, hardware, garbage, harsh, parts, radar, harbor

Coming Next Week:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Reading Unit 1 Post-test Read 20 Minutes Spelling HW Math- Unit 2 Pg.	Math- End of Unit 2 Assessment Read 20 Minutes Spelling HW Math- Unit 2 Pg.	Read 20 Minutes Spelling HW Math- Unit 3 Pg.	Read 20 Minutes Spelling HW Math- Unit 3 Pg.	Reading Test. Spelling Test.

Name _____

Conduct Grade _____

All assignments completed on time? Yes No

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