



Weekly Homework and Study Guide



Name: _____

Week of: **April 8th – 12th**

Nightly Homework Assignments
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily Math Review • Study Spelling Words • Study Vocabulary Words • Read for 20 Minutes
Important Dates and Reminders
Monday, April 22nd <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mid-Term Reports (grades are always available in the Focus Portal)
Progress Monitoring 3 Dates
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May 1st Reading • May 2nd Math
Class Website
http://mrsalbro.weebly.com/

Spelling Words	
re-, un-, -less, -ness	Module 8 Week 2
Basic <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. unfold 2. rejoin 3. reheat 4. unfair 5. rewrite 6. unwrap 7. painless 8. helpless 9. kindness 10. fearless 11. goodness 12. spotless 13. softness 14. darkness 	Review <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 15. invited 16. planned 17. drumming 18. changing Challenge <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 19. forgiveness 20. effortless 21. reawaken 22. unequal <p>Students will be tested on all 22 words.</p> <p>All spelling tests will be multiple choice.</p>

Stories	A Bumpy Ride	Rosie Revere, Engineer
Introducing Critical Vocabulary		
engineer	An engineer is a person who uses science to design and build machines. <i>The engineer designed a new rocket that uses less fuel.</i>	
perplexed	If you are perplexed, you feel confused and worried about something. <i>We're perplexed by this math problem and don't know how to solve it.</i>	
lingers	When something lingers, it remains for a long time. <i>After Dad cooks breakfast, the smell of burnt toast lingers in the air.</i>	
whirled	Something that whirled twirled around several times. <i>At the amusement park we went on a ride that whirled high in the air.</i>	
baffled	If you are baffled, you are confused. <i>I was baffled by Henry's request for more lemonade since he had a full glass in front of him.</i>	
dynamo	A person who is a dynamo has a lot of energy and is very good at what she or he does. <i>Maria is a dynamo who does twice as much as the rest of us, and twice as well!</i>	

Make and Confirm Predictions

- A prediction is a guess about what will happen next in the story. You can use pictures or text clues to help you make your predictions.
- Some ways to start your predictions:
 - I predict that...
 - I think ____ will happen because ____
 - When I read ____, it makes me think ____ will happen.
 - I bet the character will ____
 - I wonder if ____ will happen next.

Before Reading	Look at the title and the pictures to help you make predictions.
During Reading	Stop every few pages to make a prediction about what will happen next.
After Reading	Think: Did I make accurate predictions? What clues helped me predict what would happen next?

Figurative Language

Type	Definition	Example
alliteration	The repetition of a sound in a sentence or series of sentences.	Mrs. Miller makes melodies during music. The rain roared right outside my window.
hyperbole	Exaggeration	I'm so hungry I could eat a horse. I have a mountain of homework to do.
idiom	A nonliteral phrase. It doesn't mean exactly what it says.	It's raining cats and dogs. I'm going to hit the hay.
metaphor	Used to compare two things symbolically. A phrase describing something	My room is a pigsty. I am a night owl.
onomatopoeia	The words used to describe a sound actually resemble the sound.	The ghost said "boo". splash – pop – buzz – bang – hoot – zap
personification	Used to give a nonhuman object human characteristics.	The trees danced in the wind. The stars in the night sky winked at me.
simile	Used to compare one thing against another using the words 'like' or 'as'.	As strong as an ox. Meg and I are like two peas in a pod.

Latin Roots – “vis” and “mem”

vis means “see”		
vision	visible	visit
supervise	television	revise
visionary	visual	advisor

mem means “mindful of” or “recall”		
remember	memento	memorize
memory	memorial	memorabilia
memoir	commemorate	memo

Prefix – “ex”

A **prefix** is a word part added to the beginning of a base (root) word that changes the meaning of the word but cannot stand alone.

ex meaning “out of” or “used to be”				
excerpt	excavate	exhale	expel	ex-president
exit	exoskeleton	exceed	excel	ex-girlfriend
exchange	excess	excite	exclude	
excuse	extract	expand	exhaust	