



ELA Weekly Newsletter

Name: _____

Week of May 16, 2022

This Week in Ms. Sotomayor's Class

Comprehension: Novel Study - "The One and Only Ivan"

Genre: Fiction/Realistic Fiction

Writing: Realistic Fiction

Grammar: Adjectives

Homework:

All assignments should be printed from Archie at home. Complete and return to school by Friday, 5/20/22 or posted to Archie if completed digitally.

Announcements and Reminders

- 5/18/22: Wear Class Shirt (purple)
- 5/19/22: Portfolio Assessment
- 5/30/22: Memorial Day: No School
- 6/8/22: End of 4th Marking Period

Students will continue taking the Portfolio assessment. **Please make sure scholars are not absent on Thursday, this week.** The Grade 3 Reading Student Portfolio is administered to all students in grade 3 over the course of the 2nd semester of the school year. This assessment consists of sets of reading passages and questions which are aligned to the Florida standards. **The results may be used to demonstrate reading proficiency to justify "good cause" promotion to grade 4 if criteria on the FSA is not met.**

Monday

Homework:

Reading Comprehension
Reread chapter called "H". Ivan is going to paint the word home. Bob doesn't think this word is very important. Explain how Bob is wrong about this. Use evidence from the text to support your answer and include the page number where the evidence was found.

Tuesday

Homework:

Reading Comprehension
Reread chapter called "Finally". The word principle has several different meanings. One of them is that principle is a rule or a habit a person has for their own behavior. Write about a principle you have and explain why it is important.

Wednesday

Homework:

Reading Comprehension
Write a list of words that describe each character. Answer each question in a complete sentence. Restate the question in your response. Use evidence from the text to support your answer and include the page number where the evidence was found.

Thursday

Homework:

Reading Comprehension
Write about one change you would make to the story. What would the change be? Write in complete sentences with proper punctuation and capitalization.

Portfolio Assessment Today

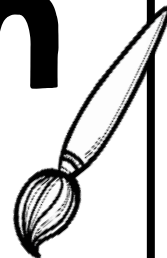
Friday

Homework:

Turn in completed homework or upload completed homework to Archie.

The **One** and **Only** Ivan

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Read to the end of the chapter called “H”.

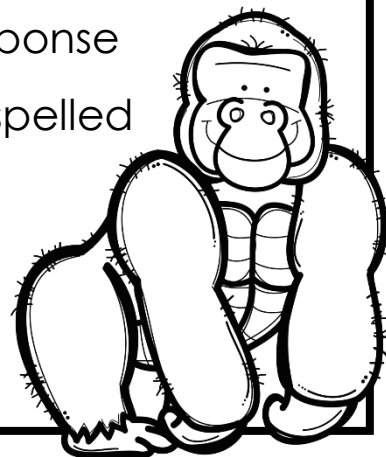
Ivan is going to paint the word *home*.

Bob doesn't think this word is very important.

Explain how Bob is wrong about this.

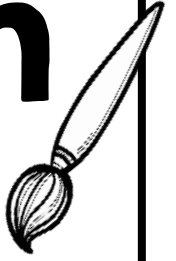
Proofreading Checklist:

- ☐ my writing is neat and easy for others to read
- ☐ my writing makes sense
- ☐ my response begins by restating part or all of the question/prompt
- ☐ I have used all or most of the lines to write my response
- ☐ I have proofread my work to see that words are spelled correctly, especially the words from the text
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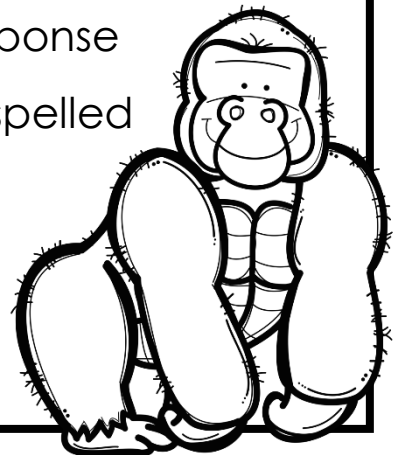
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Read to the end of the chapter called “Finally”.

The word *principle* has several different meanings. One of them is that a principle is a rule or habit a person has for their own behavior. Write about a principle you have and explain why it is important.

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Directions: Write a list of words that describe each character. Answer each question in a complete sentence. Restate the question in your response.

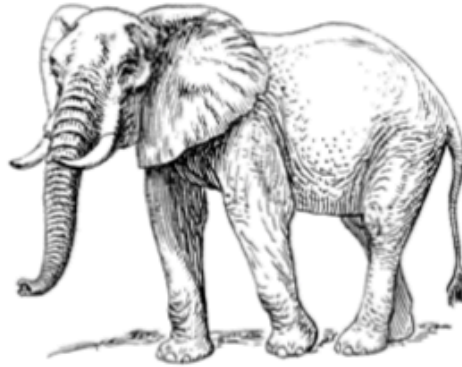


Ivan

Character Traits -

- .
- .
- .
- .
- .

What does Ivan want to happen?



Stella

Character Traits -

- .
- .
- .
- .
- .

What does Stella regret missing out on?



Bob

Character Traits -

- .
- .
- .
- .
- .

How does Bob feel about Ivan?



Ruby

Character Traits -

- .
- .
- .
- .
- .

What does Ruby want to happen?

Write about one change you
would make to the story.



If I were the author...