

Monday, March 30, 2020 ELA/Science

1) Read the following passage and highlight the vocabulary words in the text.

2) Underline the main idea of the first and second paragraph.

3) Fill in the boxes, look for words that contain the matching short and long vowel sound.

Vocabulary

Conducted—done by

Stalk—follow or hunt

Confirmed—made sure

Solitary—alone

Sparse—a little bit or not a lot

Species—a type of living thing that belongs to a certain group

**Coyote- Badger Partnerships**

A 1992 study conducted by the University of California’s Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Biology confirmed that coyotes and badgers hunt together. Generally, coyotes hunt out in loose packs. Sparse prairie and desert vegetation can make it difficult to stalk prey, however.

When coyotes and badgers team up, they track small burrowing animals such as the prairie dog and ground squirrel. If the prairie dog or ground squirrel is above ground, the coyote usually chases it down. If the prairie dog or ground squirrel have gone underground, the badger takes over the hunt. Both species were found to find more food hunting together. While coyotes have been known to eat badgers and badgers have been known to eat coyotes, their interactions appear to be peaceful and good for each other.

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Conger, C. (2018). Coyote- Badger Partnerships. *Leading the Way*, 16(7), 17.

## Hundred Chart

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
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61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100

**Tuesday, March 31, 2020 Math: Count by 2's—Base ten representation part 2/2**

- 1) Use the hundred chart to practice counting by 2's. Find some loose rocks, beans, cereal, buttons, sticks, Lego blocks, sunflower seeds, or whatever small things you can find. Practice counting by 2's by making groups of 2.
- 2) Show the numbers 1 to 50 by drawing base ten blocks to represent the amount.

1= 

10= 



Hills Brothers Coffee

By: Luci Tapahonso

My uncle is a small man.  
In Navajo, we call him, “shida’í,”  
    my mother’s brother.  
He doesn’t know English.  
    but his name in the white way is Tom Jim.  
    He lives about a mile or so  
    down the road from our house.  
One morning he sat in the kitchen,  
drinking coffee.  
    I just came over, he said.  
    The store is where I’m going to.  
He tells me about how my mother seems to be gone  
every time he comes over.  
    Maybe she sees me coming  
    then runs and jumps in her car  
    and speeds away!  
    he says smiling.  
We both laugh—just to think of my mother  
jumping in her car and speeding.  
I pour him more coffee  
and he spoons in sugar and cream  
until it looks almost like a chocolate shake.  
Then he sees the coffee can  
    Oh, that’s that coffee with the man in a dress,  
    like a church man.  
    Ah-h, that’s the one that does it for me.  
    Very good coffee.  
I sit down again and he tells me.  
    Some coffee has no kick.  
    But this one is the one.  
    It does it good for me.  
I pour us both a cup  
and while we wait for my mother,  
his eyes crinkle with the smile and he says,  
    Yes, ah yes. That is the very one  
    (putting in more sugar and cream).  
So I usually buy Hills Brothers Coffee.  
Once or sometimes twice a day,  
I drink a hot coffee and  
  
    it sure does it for me.

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**Thursday, April 2, 2020    Math: Count by 5's—Base ten representation    part 2/2**

- 1) Use the hundred chart to practice counting by 5's. Find some loose rocks, beans, cereal, buttons, sticks, Lego blocks, sunflower seeds, or whatever small things you can find.

Practice counting by 5's by making groups of 5.

- 2) Show the numbers 51 to 100 by drawing base ten blocks to represent the amount.

1= ■

10= 

100= 

Friday, April 3, 2020

ELA/Social Studies

Noun—A person, place or thing

Verb—An action or state of being

Context clue words: *is, or, means, the definition*

A. Read the following passage.

1) Box the nouns 2) Circle the verbs 3) Underline the meaning of the **bold** words.

### Political Parties—by Susan LaBella

Do you know what a political party is? It has nothing to do with birthdays. A **political party** is a group of people who have similar ideas about what the government should do. They work together to elect people of their party into government office.

The United States has two big political parties. One is the Democratic Party. The other is the Republican Party. Many other, smaller parties also exist.

Political parties in the United States **nominate**, or choose, the people they want to elect. Once those people are chosen, party members work to win votes for their candidates. Party members want their candidates to be the ones making laws and the ones carrying out those laws.

The Democratic Party is the United States' oldest political party. It began nearly two hundred years ago. Democrats who became president include Bill Clinton and Barack Obama.

The Republican Party began in the 1850s. It was nicknamed the "Grand Old Party," or GOP. Republican presidents have included Donald Trump, George W. Bush, and his father, George H.W. Bush.

Many Americans are members of a political party. No one has to be a member of any party to vote in an election, however. In the end, the voters decide which candidates get elected.

**B. Listen to the news on the radio, or on the tv, or read it in the newspaper, and write down on the bottom of this sheet, who the Democratic candidates are, and who the Republican candidate is for the next Presidential election.**

**Democratic Candidates—**

**Republican Candidate—**



Monday, April 6, 2020 ELA/Science

Read the following passage.

- 1) Box the nouns
- 2) Circle the verbs
- 3) Find a short and long vowel for each vowel
- 4) Underline words that are past tense, or already happened

My Bean Plant—by Rachelle Kreisman

My grandfather loves to grow plants. He raises vegetables and fruits, and he takes great care of all of them. Last week, Grandpa gave me some green bean seeds. Now I can grow my own green bean plant.

I brought my seeds home and showed my mom. She helped me get my green bean project ready. First, we put some soil in a pot. Then we planted a few seeds. I remembered that Grandpa told me that plants depend on water and sunlight to grow. So I put the pot in a sunny spot by the window, and I added some water.

I checked on my plant every day. When the soil felt dry, I added more water. Today, I saw a tiny stem. The plant is growing! Over the next few weeks, more stems and leaves will grow. Then flowers will grow, too.

What am I most excited about? I cannot wait to eat the beans! I think they will taste even better because I grew them myself.

What is the main idea of this story?

- A. The main character takes care of a green bean seed and helps it start growing into a plant.
- B. The main character’s grandfather loves to grow vegetables, and he takes great care of all his plants.
- C. The main character is excited to eat green beans because they are a tasty vegetable.

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**Tuesday, April 7, 2020      Math—Addition and Subtraction word problems**

Read and answer the following word problems. REMEMBER THAT LARGER NUMBERS GO ON TOP WHEN SUBTRACTING

Addition word clues—altogether, in all, total, more

Subtraction word clues—take away, left, how many more, fewer

1. 114 birds were sitting in a tree. 21 more birds flew up to the tree. How many birds were there altogether in the tree?

2. 29 birds were sitting in a tree. Some more fly up to the tree. Then there were 142 birds in the tree. How many more flew up to the tree?

3. Beth has 74 crayons. She gives 25 of them away to Jen. How many crayons does Beth have left?

4. Cindy's mom baked 41 cookies. Paul's dad baked 38 cookies. Cindy and Paul ate 6 cookies each and then brought them to school for a party. How many cookies did they bring to school altogether?

5. 18 children were riding on the bus. At the bus stop, some more children got on the bus. Then there were 25 children altogether on the bus. How many children got on the bus at the bus stop?

Wednesday, April 8, 2020

ELA/Writing

Please read the poem and answer the questions and follow the writing assignment on the next page.

**Remember the Things They Told Us – by Luci Tapahonso**

Before this world existed, the holy people made themselves visible by becoming the clouds, sun, moon, trees, bodies of water, thunder, rain, snow, and other aspects of this world we live in. That way, they said, we would never be alone. So it is possible to talk to them and pray, no matter where we are and how we feel. *Biyázhí daniidlí*, we are their little ones.

Since the beginning, the people have gone outdoors at dawn to pray. The morning light, *adiníidín*, represents knowledge and mental awareness. With the dawn come the holy ones who bring blessings and daily gifts, because they are grateful when we remember them.

- 1) Box the nouns 2) Circle the verbs 3) Underline the plural nouns (Plural means more than one)
- 4) Tell me in 5 sentences what you do in the morning. Tell me about your morning routine.

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**Thursday, April 9, 2020      Math—Addition and Subtraction Word Problems    part 1/2**

Read and answer the following word problems. REMEMBER THAT LARGER NUMBERS GO ON TOP WHEN SUBTRACTING

Addition word clues—altogether, in all, total, more

Subtraction word clues—take away, left, how many more, fewer

1. Misha has 434 dollars. How many more dollars does she have to earn to have 547 dollars?

2. There were 28 girls, 35 boys and 3 teachers on the playground at recess. How many children were there in all?

3. There were 151 geese in the farmer's field. 28 of the geese flew away. How many geese were left?

4. The elephant had 407 peanuts. She ate 129 of them. How many peanuts did the elephant have left?

5. There were 44 boys and 53 girls on the playground at recess. Three girls were called into the school before the bell rang. How many children were on the playground when the bell rang?

**Friday, April 10, 2020**

**ELA/Social Studies**

**A. Read the following passage.**

- 1) Box the periods    2) Circle the Capital letters    3) Underline words you don't know

Important People—by: Michael Stahl

The janitor is the person who helps keep the school clean. Every morning students come from all over and walk into the school building. A building can get dirty, especially when a lot of people go into it. The janitor sweeps and mops the floors so that the dirt brought in gets cleaned up.

The teacher is the person who runs the classroom. The teacher helps you learn about different topics and gives you assignments. If you don't understand something, you can ask the teacher for help.

The principal is the person who is in charge of the whole school. The principal is the leader of the school. The principal is in charge of all the teachers at the school. The principal is the person whom parents call when they want to talk to someone about the school. The principal usually sets high expectations for the students and makes sure that learning is happening in the school.

American schools are in a city or town. The city or town has a leader, too. The leader is usually called the mayor. The mayor is in charge of running the government of the city or town. The mayor works with the people in the city or town and the other people in the government to fix the problems of the city or town. The mayor has a lot of responsibility.

**B. Listen to the news on the radio, or on the tv, or read it in the newspaper. Who are the important people during this COVID-19 pandemic? Who are the people that still have to go to work and who are helping others? Draw and color a picture of the important people you know of.**