

## **This Week in Grade $\frac{3}{4}$ - Oct.31-Nov. 4**

Words of the Week:

**anyone, favourite, myself, then, were**

Please practice these each evening as we have a spelling test on them on Friday. Students should be able to read and spell them in a snap.

**Reading Log:**

Please be sure your child is reading nightly. After reading, check your child's comprehension and ask them to tell you what the book was about. *Please sign the reading log in their home books by Thursday to let me know how often they practiced that week.*

**Math:**

We will continue to review counting coins. We will also begin talking about place value and will learn a new game to help us understand place value more. Please have your child work on the IXL website for extra math practice. Please see Flex math post to see what your child is up to in Flexible Math.

**Writing:**

We are discussing ways to grab our reader's attention by using onomatopoeia, a question or someone speaking. We will look at different ways to end our writing instead of "then I went to bed" or "The End". We will be working on a new independent piece that will be marked and sent in your child's SWYK folder soon. Ask your child what their writing goal is for their next piece of writing.

**Social Studies:**

We have begun discussing directional words. Ask your child if they can direct you to a certain location you frequent often. We will be learning how to read maps and legends as well as looking at a Compass Rose.

**Health:**

For the next few weeks, Mr. Campbell will be coming into the classroom to discuss friendship with us and how we act and speak to be friendly.

**Reminders:**

- **Picture retakes:** Thursday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2016.
- **Sock Hop at lunch:** Thursday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2016