Weekly Agenda

(March 7th – 11th)

**Reading:** We have introduced our new story *Romana Quimby: The Extra-Good Sunday.* We will finish it up this week and will have our test on **Friday, March 11th.** Our **spelling test** will also be given on this date. Aside from this story, we will be hitting it hard for the IREAD test. This means going over

-synonyms

-antonyms

-prefixes

-suffixes

-homographs

-homophones

-beginning, ending, and vowel sounds of words

-context clues

-analogies

-reading comprehension (main idea and details, authors purpose, sequencing, etc.

**\*\*\*IREAD testing is March 14th- 16th\*\*\***

**Math**: We have just finished up the last section in chapter 7 over division. I will get with Ms. Korte and we will decide when their math test will be given. I will let you know as soon as we figure that out.

**English**: We have learned all 8 parts of speech (PNV- AA- PIC= pronoun, noun, verb – adjective, adverb- preposition, interjection, conjunction). We are working with homophones and reviewing possessive noun adjectives and possessive pronoun adjectives. I have been very impressed with the students ability to classify sentences. I really believe it is helping their writing skills. Their grammar has improved tremendously.

**Science**: Like I had mentioned last week, they are finished with chapter 4. I had a test planned last week but with ISTEP, we did not get to it. I handed out the study guides on Friday (3/4/16) and they will be due **Tuesday, March 8th.** Their test date is up in the air as well, I am not sure how our days will go with IREAD the following week. If we are not switching classes that week, I will not be able to give the test. I will let you know the date as soon as I can.

**Religion:** We are almost finished with our chapter on Lent. Students will have their test on **Thursday, March 10th. \*\*don’t forget to take the chapter review quizzes online for extra points!\*\***