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People
Smart



Word
Smart



Nature
Smart



Music
Smart



Logic
Smart



Body
Smart



Picture
Smart



Self
Smart

Spelling: This week's words come from Lesson 18. We have spelling three times each on Tuesday night. The final is on Friday. You can practice at:

<http://www.spellingcity.com/Bolin4H/>

Reading: We are reading a fairy tale called Hewitt Anderson's Great Big Life. We will focus on different narrative forms this week. There are fables, folktales, fairy tales, myths, tall tales, and pourquoi tales. We will look at examples of each. I will send home thinking questions, vocabulary, and descriptions of narrative forms on Thursday evening. Students can reread the story to prepare for Friday's quiz.

Language: We continue to learn and practice our grammar skills with our DOL lessons.

Math: We reviewed Topic 10 skills in class today. Students are bringing home a study guide so they can look over the type of problems they will see on **tomorrow's test**. They will be able to use fraction strips for this test. We will begin adding and subtracting fractions this week. On Wednesday, we will be in the lab using an on-line math manipulative site that will help us practice changing to like denominators before we add:

<http://nlvm.usu.edu/>

Science: Students are almost done preparing their PowerPoint presentations for our inventor unit. Students will start sharing on Tuesday. We will continue until everyone has had a chance to share.