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NEXT WEEKS SPECIALS:

Monday (Day 5)	Guidance
Tuesday (Day 6)	Enrichment
Wednesday (Day 7)	Engineering
Thursday (Day 1)	Tech
Friday (Day 2)	Music

A Note from Mrs. Atkins

Happy Friday!!

What a fun Friday this has been!

We started the day by finishing up our week of creative writing with Mr. Tony Peacock. During their time with Mr. Peacock they learned how to turn daydreams into creative writing pieces, how to include similes to make their writing more interesting, and they learned how to turn memories into stories. We ended our time together by learning how to "Holler". Not only is Mr. Peacock an awesome writer, but he is also a 6 time champion of the Spivey's Corner Hollerin' Contest! You can check out a clip of him by clicking on the following link. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Kr3Y0loun6c>

You can also check out videos of our "hollerin' session" with Tony Peacock on our Class Dojo Story or on our class Twitter

@atkinsallstars.

Following that we spent some time with Ms. Lisa, one of our bus drivers to learn how we can stay safe on the bus. You can see a clip of how to exit the bus safely on Class Dojo and Twitter.

This week in reading we learned the difference between a topic and a theme. A topic is one to three words, but when we are describing the theme of a story we are using a full sentence. For example, bees is a topic, but "Life on Earth would change without bees." is a theme. This weekend spend some time reading a favorite family book or watching a favorite family movie and discussing the theme.

GoPlaySave books were sent home this week. This is one of the PTA's annual fundraisers for the school. The cost of the books is \$30, but they are worth way more than that. They are filled with tons

of buy one get one free coupons and specials offers for everything from fast food restaurants to family attractions and cleaners. All books and/or book orders need to be returned by Friday Aug. 25th. Happy selling!

That covers everything for this week! Have a safe and fun-filled weekend!



Happy Birthday:

- Aug 7th— Grayson
- Aug. 10th— Noah
- Aug. 25th— Taylor
- Aug. 25th— Kelcy

Next Weeks Objectives & Important Dates

Word Work: Parts of Speech

Writing: Narratives

Reading: Inferring

Math: Place Value & Addition/
Subtraction

Science: Animal Adaptations

Social Studies: Establishing
North Carolina

Important Dates:

Aug. 18th— Early Release

Aug. 25th— GoPlaySave books and orders due

Aug. 25th— Field Trip Permission slip and \$ due

Sept. 1st— Online Scholastic Orders Due by 3:30pm