



# Mrs. Deal's Class Newsletter

Week Of  
October 15

## Coming Up

October 17 – Ident-a-Kid  
October 22-26 – Red Ribbon Week  
October 26 – Fall Festival  
October 29-November 2 – PTO Book Fair

## Reading

### Critical Reading

Students will learn and study the elements of literary nonfiction such as personal narratives, biographies and autobiographies.

## English Language Arts

### Patterns of Power

Focus Statement for the week:  
*I use verbs to show time: past, present and future.*

### Creative Writing

4<sup>th</sup> Grade – Personal narratives.  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade – Sensory Language and Poetry

## Vocabulary

- Sensory Language
- Figurative Language
- Metaphor
- Simile
- Hyperbole
- Alliteration
- Personification
- Onomatopoeia
- Idiom