Reading Homework:

The Echoing Green

by William Blake

The sun does arise,

And make happy the skies;

The merry bells ring

To welcome the Spring;

5 The skylark and thrush,

The birds of the bush,

Sing louder around

To the bells' cheerful sound;

While our sports shall be seen

10 On the echoing Green.

Old John, with white hair,

Does laugh away care,

Sitting under the oak,

Among the old folk.

15 They laugh at our play,

And soon they all say,

"Such, such were the joys

When we all--girls and boys--

In our youth-time were seen

20 On the echoing Green."

Till the little ones, weary,

No more can be merry:

The sun does descend,

And our sports have an end.

25 Round the laps of their mothers

Many sisters and brothers,

Like birds in their nest,

Are ready for rest,

And sport no more seen

30 On the darkening green.

1.) What arises at the beginning of the poem and descends
   at the end?
   a.) The sun
   b.) A bell
   c.) A bird
   d.) An oak tree

2.) What is the setting of this poem?
   a.) The nest of a bird
   b.) The bush where birds live
   c.) The echoing Green
   d.) The home of Old John

Writing Homework:

Directions: Read the list of topic sentences below.

    a. Growing a garden can be fun, good exercise, and will provide fresh fruits and vegetables for thegardener

    b. There are several things you can do to try and fall asleep

    c. The best trip my family ever took was to New Orleans, Louisiana

    d. It is important to completely wash all utensilsbefore using them

    e. It turns out that poetry isn't old-fashioned; it's as modern as the latest hit song!

Which of the above topic sentences would be most appropriate to include in the following paragraph? Type the letter in the blank.

1. [_____]. We drove there in two days. I didn't think it would be very interesting, but I was wrong. We saw the Mississippi River, rode a horse carriage in the French Quarter, and visited a cemetery where everyone was buried above the ground. I liked the food best, especially the New Orleans doughnuts called beignets.

Math Homework:

1. Order the decimals from least to greatest.

Least

↓

Greatest

5.908

5.890

5.089

5.980

2. Match the fraction to the equivalent decimal.

$\frac{4}{9}$
$\frac{2}{5}$
$\frac{4}{6}$

0.4
0.444
0.666

3. Order the fractions from least to greatest.

$$\frac{8}{9} \qquad \frac{6}{4} \qquad 1\frac{1}{3} \qquad \frac{7}{10}$$

4. Solve for the sum of $\frac{2}{6}$ and $\frac{1}{3}$. *Remember all answers must be in simplest form - look at your notes*

a. $\frac{3}{9}$	b. $\frac{1}{3}$
c. $\frac{2}{3}$	d. $\frac{4}{6}$

Virginia Studies Homework:

③ Write down which ocean borders Virginia.

Arctic Ocean   Atlantic Ocean
Pacific Ocean   Indian Ocean

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WHO SAID THAT?

"No more taxes! It's time to fight for our independence!"

A. a patriot
B. a loyalist
C. a burgess

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Science:

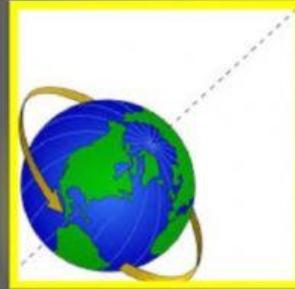#1 THE IMAGINARY LINE THAT EARTH ROTATES ON IS CALLED WHAT?

REVOLUTION   ROTATION

AXLE   AXIS

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#4 WHICH MODEL DEMONSTRATES THE REASON WE HAVE SEASONS?

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