

## Dear Family Member:

For the next week our class will study the genre of argumentative text. We will be focusing on how landmarks help tell the story of our nation's history. We will read about and discuss some famous landmarks in the United States.

Here are some resources that you can use with your child to help reinforce the skills we'll be practicing.

## Word Workout

 Vocabulary You and your child will use the words for this week to try to describe the Lincoln Memorial. Some of the words have more than one meaning, and you will try to use those words more than once.

## **Spelling Words**

 Week 5: Long o You and your child will take turns spelling the words for this week. One person will read a word out loud, and the other will spell it.

Comprehension: Main Idea and Key Details

Social Studies: Landmarks/Symbols/Biographies

Read Aloud: 14 Cows for America (9/11)

AR: Remember students should be reading every night! They need 3 AR points a week! Thats 1 AR test a day (if they are not reading chapter books). We read Mr. Poppers Penguins as their chapter book for the month of September. October they will need to read 1 chapter book! If your child is already reading chapter books they will count. They need 8 chapter books all school year! (1 per month)

Thank you for helping your child grow!

Ms. Swaffar