

# Monday - Bell Ringer

**What is the difference between “showing” and “telling”? Explain. (Minimum of 5 sentences)**

The difference between showing and telling is that “showing” is... and “telling” is...

# Monday - Exit Ticket

- 3 things you've learned
- 2 of those things you must explain in detail
- 1 thing you're still unsure of

# Tuesday - Bell Ringer

**Describe a time you were overcome with fear which prevented you from doing what you really wanted. (Minimum of 5 sentences)**

# Tuesday – Exit Ticket

**Write 3 sentences using 3 vocabulary words from this week's selection. Be sure to leave context clues in your sentence and underline your vocabulary word**

# Wednesday - Bell Ringer

**What is the setting for the selection *The Night before Christmas*? How would the story change if the setting took place in the countryside? (Minimum of 5 sentences)**

# Wednesday – Exit ticket

Read this dictionary entry.

**barrage** \ 'bär-ij \ n

1. a continuous attack by heavy guns 2. an overwhelming number of questions or complaints 3. a barrier placed across a river to control the water level 4. a vigorous or rapid outpouring or projection of many things at once

Which definition most closely matches the way the word *barrage* is used in paragraph 1 from *The Night Before Christmas*?



# Thursday – Bell Ringer

**Is it better to have money or have love? You must only have one or the other, not both. Explain your answer. (Minimum of 5 sentences)**

# Thursday – Exit Ticket

**Write two examples of figurative language from *I Am Offering This Poem*, explain their meaning and label them.**



# Friday – Bell Ringer

**Explain which do you relate more with, the excerpt *The Night Before Christmas*, or the poem *I Am Offering This Poem*. Explain what that personal connection is. (Minimum of 5 sentences)**



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