Hello, English Class!

I pray you are all well. I hope you got all your work done from the last couple weeks. We are continuing our grammar review and starting a paper. Please use google.docs for answers to your worksheets and to start your paper. If you have any questions, please email me.

Love in Christ.

Mrs. KO =)

Monday, 3/30 Paragraph Correction 1

Tuesday, 3/31 Paragraph Correction 2

Wednesday, 4/1 Paragraph Correction 3

Thursday, 4/2 & Friday 4/3 Write sentences with the following vocabulary words.

Monday, 4/6 You will be writing an autobiography. (In case you didn't know, that means a paper about yourself.) Write 15 things about yourself you may want to include in the paper.

Tuesday, 4/7 Today I want you to make an outline on how you will organize your paper. An example would be I. Introduction II. Parents and grandparents III. Birth, young years, and childhood IV. Now V. Closing/Conclusion Obviously you will points under each Roman numeral. The Roman numeral would be a topic for each paragraph. Have a nice thesis statement in your introduction.

Wednesday 4/8 Write the introduction to your paper. It should be around 50 words. Make sure it is at least 3 sentences. Try to get the attention of the reader with something interesting.

Happy Resurrection Day! He is risen! Hallelujah!

Paragraph Correction 1

Read the paragraph below. After each number is an error. Please rewrite the line with the correction. Think of spelling, verb agreement, run ons, capitalization, punctuation, missing words, etc.

My name is 1)) Jay Hammond I am a firefighter. 2)) I live in 128 Pine Lane, in Jackson, Mississippi. 3)) I have two childs. One is a girl named Claire. 4)) the other 5)) is boy named Thatcher. 6)) His name after my father. I also have a wife named Jenna. She is 7)) beutiful. She has long, dark, soft hair. 8)) We also got a dog named Buck. 9) He is very obedient but sometimes he barks at night it upsets our neighbors!

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Paragraph Correction 2

Read the paragraph below. After each number is an error. Please rewrite the line with the correction. Think of spelling, verb agreement, run ons, capitalization, punctuation, missing words etc.

1)) This morning, I were making toast for 2)) brekfast. Then I went to the basement

3)) put some clothes in the washer. I heard the smoke alarm. 4)) I think, "Something is burning. 5)) Then something I put in the washer. When I got 6)) up to stairs, everybody was running outdoors. Two fire trucks and a police car were outside of my house. Smoke was coming out of my apartment! My kids 7)) standing outside. They were 8)) weering their pajamas. My kids! Oh no! My toast!

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Paragraph Correction 3

Read the paragraph below. After each number is an error. Please rewrite the line with the correction. Think of spelling, verb agreement, run ons, capitalization, punctuation, words missing, etc.

My name is Thomas Martin. I live 1)) in a farm near Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

- 2)) I raises livestock and grow corn on my farm. My 3)) kid help me. 4)) In the morning, we
- 5)) up very early to feed the animals 6)) Everybody help milk the cows. Then I drive the kids to school. I work in 7)) the fields all the day. When the childs come 8)) home, we all worked together.

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- 1. florid: elaborately or excessively ornamented
- 2. abnegation: denial of comfort to oneself
- 3. adulation: high praise
- 4. emaciated: very thin and weak due to lack of food
- 5. intrepid: invulnerable to fear or intimidation
- 6. rancorous: showing deep seated resentment
- 7. abase: to humiliate or degrade
- 8. anachronistic: not attributed to the current time period or historical period
- 9. precocious: characterized by exceptionally early development
- 10. surreptitious: kept secret especially because it wouldn't be approved of
- 11. enervating: causing weakness or debilitation
- 12. <u>hackneyed</u>: repeated too often; over familiar through overuse
- 13. banal: dull, commonplace
- 14. provocative: serving or tending to excite or stimulate
- 15. spurious: believable but false
- 16. paradigm: an example that is a perfect pattern or model
- 17. opulent: rich or high in quality
- 18. ostracism: exclusion from a group
- 19. obfuscate: to deliberately make something difficult to understand
- 20. tenacious: stubbornly unyielding