

I hope everyone is doing well and surviving without your daily dose of Horton!  
LOL I know these are scary times and I'm sure the uncertainty of this Coronavirus has you concerned. Please remember that we serve a God who is omnipotent (Vocab word) and will see us through these unknown times. We have to do our part, and He will do His. Right now, our big part is to practice "social distancing" so the spread of this virus will slow down. I'm sure you already know that, but please practice safe and healthy daily routines.

Speaking of routines, I hope your stay at home routine involves more than sleeping, snacking, and Tic Toc! Remember.... If you want your reading to improve (and we do), you must.....READ! I hope you have your library book with you and spend a little time each day reading it. Scholastic Book Club is offering free shipping on books because of the extended breaks. Please check it out and see if you can find a book you might like to order and read over our extended break. [Scholasticbookclub.com](http://Scholasticbookclub.com). You will have to create an account using your email address and a password. Once in, use our class code: NF82X if you order a book. While there, please check out the Coronavirus section. You will find information, videos, and helpful tips all about how you can do your part to slow this virus down. Another suggestion I have for you to help pass time and even get you out of your house a bit is to purchase a package of seeds. Dollar Tree sells all kinds of seeds. Choose something your family might like to eat, or some pretty flowers. There are all kinds of vocabulary words you will find in the directions! You can look any unknown words up and broaden your vocabulary! Read and follow the directions carefully, water, and watch your seeds grow. I'd love to hear about any words you had to look up, and even see pictures of your plants as they begin to emerge from the soil. You know growing a garden is one of my favorite pastimes. Maybe now you can find out why I find it so exciting! Send any words you find on your directions, or pictures of your plant growing to my email address. [horton@perterandpaultulsa.org](mailto:horton@perterandpaultulsa.org). I'd love to just hear from you too. Let me know what you are spending your time doing, ask me any questions you might have, send me a video of your latest Tic Toc "dance", or maybe you have a really cool idea of something we can do together as a class online!?

I hope you all know that I miss you, I'm praying for you, and really looking forward to seeing you again and knowing that you are all ok.

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