



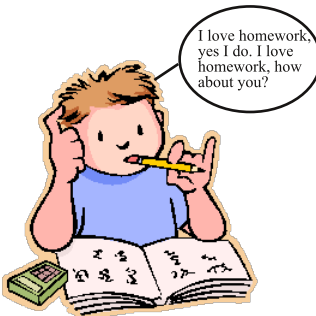
### Wristbands Now Required For Thanksgiving Day Parties



### Thanksgiving Day Last Major Holiday Before Giving Day, Or As It Is More Commonly Known, Christmas



### Overachiever Thankful For Homework Assigned Over Thanksgiving Break



### What I am Thankful For: A Optimist's Perspective

The birds and the bees and the bubblegum trees... I am thankful for the world, which is as sugary and yummy as the big rock candy mountain.

My Thanksgiving cup of apple cider is not just half full; it is brimming over with the fruitfulness of this year's harvest. Yipee!

Thanksgiving. By golly, the word thank is right there in the name. Thank, thank, thank, thank, thank. I just can't say it enough. It reminds me of that song by K.C. and the Sunshine band: Thank, thank, thank, thank your booty. You're welcome.

Pumpkin pie for dessert?! Hip, hip, hooray. Each lovingly handcrafted slice represents the limitless future of the pie industry, especially in Deerfield. And look, doesn't the whip cream look like a cloud. Goody, goody, gumdrops. I just want to fly away in that cloud. Gee whikers, wouldn't that just be dandy?

I am thankful for college applications. Although I haven't heard back from any of the nine schools I applied to, I am sure I'll get into each and every one. Maybe I'll get a scholarship! Maybe I'll use two exclamation points in this sentence!! I did it!!!

Most of all I am thankful for being optimistic. It is better than being a fatalist. Right? Oh no, am I becoming a fatalist? Why do I keep asking so many questions? Will this stop? Do I even know who I am anymore? Oh yeah, of course I do. I am an optimist.

Nothing can ever go wrong.

We'll be fine



### What I am Thankful For: A Pessimist's Perspective

I am thankful for everything. Just everything. Everything is wonderful. How can we not be thankful for the economy? It is going just great! I cannot wait to spoil my kids rotten with presents this holiday season considering how super spectacular the economy is doing. Maybe I'll give them some of my now worthless Bear Stearns stock to use as extra padding for their beds.

I also am really thankful for the travel Thanksgiving necessitates. I simply am beside myself with excitement for yet



another six-hour drive to my mother-in-law's house. There is nowhere I'd rather spend my time than with my in-laws in the beautiful, prosperous city of Flint, Michigan. From the for sale signs to the three paved roads in that town, it sure beats staying in the comfort of my Deerfield home. Who likes the superior food, entertainment options, and working restroom facilities of Deerfield anyways? I surely don't.

And the weather. Don't let me forget to thank some higher power for the weather. The Flint forecast calls for snow, snow, and guess what, a little more snow. I bet it's going to hail too.

Let's not forget to thank day light savings. Thanks to this ingenious idea, it will be pitch black by five for Thanksgiving.

In short, I am so thankful for Thanksgiving, my favorite holiday. Not.

### What I am Thankful For: A Turkey's Perspective

I just have so many things to be thankful for around Thanksgiving time. First, I am thankful for the mass slaughter of my brethren and sisteren so you filthy humans can overeat, adding to your already ridiculous obesity problem. It just makes my gobble shrivel up in anger thinking about a fat American over indulging on my second cousin's thigh. I knew that thigh; it was Yorik's thigh, the turkey who loved Sheakespeare.

Secondly, I am thankful for Fox. They make a mockery of Turkey's during the Thanksgiving football game when John Madden, who has eaten plenty of my friends, gives away the game "turkey leg." Oh well, at least I get to watch such highly competitive teams like the Lions play football on Thanksgiving.

Thirdly, I am thankful for reverting back to elementary



turkey writing by using a long series of lists.

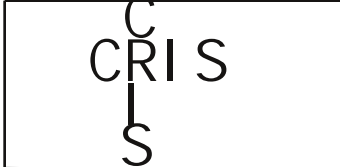
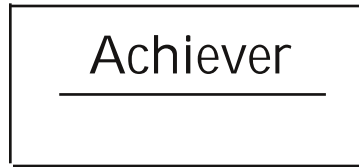
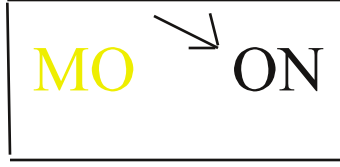
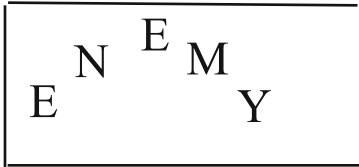
Fourthly, I am thankful for stuffing. As if there were not enough ways to complete the annual turkey genocide, now we can eat every part of my edible body. From turkey soup to fried turkey gizzard, Thanksgiving is one party I cannot wait for. Oh goody, it looks like the nice man with the big butcher knife can't wait to spend Thanksgiving with me either. Goodbye. I hope I give you all terrible, terrible diarrhea.

"I am thankful for not having school for six days straight." A student's perspective.

## PICTURE THIS

HOMEMADE REBUS PUZZLE:

Can you guess the common word or phrase portrayed below?



Last week's answers: Cross Talk (Difficult to get because the picture of Jesus on the cross was censored), Upside down cake, Overlap, Open Sesame

## NUMBERS: 270 Million

The preliminary estimate of turkeys raised in the United States in 2002. That's down 1 percent from 2001. In 2001, the turkeys produced weighed 7.2 billion pounds altogether and were valued at \$2.8 billion. This stat is courtesy of the first thing that popped up on Google.

### FACT:

Every year, the National Turkey Federation presents President of the United States with one live turkey and two dressed turkeys. The live turkey is pardoned and lives out the rest of its days on a peaceful farm.

### LIE:

That turkey deserves to be pardoned. This tradition is yet another example of political special interest groups.

## CRYPTOGRAM CHALLENGE

DIRECTIONS: This is a simple substitution code, each letter is replaced by a different letter. The first person to solve the cryptogram correctly will win a Flipside t-shirt! (first means first to see Sam Block to redeem shirt)

HINT: N = R

**LAST WEEK'S WINNER: President Alec G. Miller** that means, that if there is any of the first letter, replace it with the second letter

"XEG IGPNQ PNG TER TG XERDLEX XEGH TGNG! XEPX'Q TEH TG XRRS XEG  
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 PBO TG AGX XEGF RZZ XEG ERRS! " OGBBMQ LNGGB

Last week's answer: "We're sitting here, and I'm supposed to be the franchise player, and we're talking about practice. I mean listen, we're sitting here talking about practice, not a game, not a game, not a game, but we're talking about practice." Allen Iverson

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>WEEK 1</b>					
Lunch	Chipotle Burritos	Cooker's	Gyros (Bobo's)	Lou Malnati's	Golden Chr
Events	Kick-Off Assembly!	Jewel Shop & Share	Dress Up Day!	Stop the Bop	Show you spirit!
<b>WEEK 2</b>					
Lunch	None	None	Brown's Chicken	Gyros (Bobo's)	McDonald's
Events	Late Start!	Late Start!	Jewelry Sale	Dress Up Day! Stunts!	Jewelry Sai Stunts!
<b>WEEK 3</b>					
Lunch	Potbelly's	Italian Kitchen	Golden Chef	Brown's Chicken	Buff Joe's!
Events	Mr. DHS	Dress Up Day!	iFlirtz & Apparel Pick-Up	Deerfield Idol	Final Phon Call!

DIRECTIONS: Unscramble these four ordinary jumbles, and use the letters in the circles to answer the final question.



Why the Turkey drummer couldn't play music

He was missing his



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last week: FRONT SPANK NOODLE SOLACE What the disgruntled costumer told the Footlocker employee You have NO SOLE

goodwill. Support your stomach, releasing smelly odors, and a worthwhile charity every bite!