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Classroom Cereal

Story 23

Part 2 of 5

Date: _____

“Inferno Snacks”

Part 2 of 5: Platform

Directions

1. Read the story
2. Find the five errors
3. Mark the errors using the key

“What kind of platform is that?” Jamie said, walking up to Kevin W. as the crowd around him began to disperse. Kevin W. had hopped back up on the table. He was leaning down to shake hands with his supporters.

“Its a table,” Kevin W. said through a big, fake smile. “But it works like a stage.”

“Not that kind of platform, wingnut,” Jamie replied. “Your campaign message. Nothing but *Inferno Snacks* in the cafeteria? The entire school will be sick within too days.”

“It’s what the people wants,” Kevin W. said, still shaking hands. “If you don’t like it, don’t vote for me. But it won’t make much of a difference. I’m the only candidate. I’m running un-uphold.”

“You mean *unopposed*?”

“You betcha!” Kevin W. hadn’t even looked at Jamie. He just kept grabbing hands grinning away. Jamie looked at the massive line wrapping around the cafeteria. Just about every sixth grader was waiting for the vending machine. But there were a few, Jamie noticed, at the salad bar.

“Not anymore,” she said. “I officially declare my candidacy for sixth grade class president. And I challenge you to a debate.”

Jamie pointed to the the stage on the other side of the cafeteria.

“This Friday, on *that* platform,” she said. “See you then.”

Key

- Spelling error
- Add punctuation
- Capitalize letter
- Remove word
- Wrong word
- Move word
- Make letter lower case

Checklist

1.
2.
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Question

The word “platform” has two meanings in Part 2. What are they?