**Bellringers 7**

**Monday, October 19, 2015 Topic: Combining sentences by joining nouns**

Follow the model to combine each pair of sentences below.

Example: The poet wanted people to know about his love. He also wanted them to know about her goodness.

 The poet wanted people to know about his love and her goodness.

1. Our tennis team beat Southside. It also beat Central.
2. Do you want to practice in the gym? Do you want to practice on the field?

**Tuesday, October 20, 2015 Topic: Combining sentences by joining adjectives**

Follow the model to combine each pair of sentences below.

Example: The poet does not need a quiet room to see his love’s image. He also does not need a dark room.

 The poet does not need a room that is quiet or dark to see his love’s image.

1. Will you wear your blue jeans? Will you wear your black jeans?
2. Bill saw fear in his father’s eyes. He also thought his father looked sad.

**Wednesday, October 21, 2015 Topic: Combining sentences by joining verbs**

Follow the model to combine each pair of sentences below.

Example: Come live with me. Come be my love.

 Come live with me and be my love.

1. Volcanoes erupt. They also shoot lava high into the air.
2. T.J. raced around the last lap. He sprinted to the finish line.

**Thursday, October 22, 2015 Topic: Combining sentences by joining adverbs**

Follow the model to combine each pair of sentences below.

Example: Macbeth thinks that actions should be done well. They should also be done quickly.

 Macbeth thinks that actions should be done well and quickly.

1. Pepe crossed the street slowly. He also crossed carefully.
2. My mom cut the radishes quickly into rose shapes. She also cut them expertly.

**Friday, October 23, 2015 Topic: Test prep**

Which choice represents the *best* way to combine the following sentences?

Lady Macbeth washes her hands. She tries to wash away her guilt.

1. Lady Macbeth washes her hands and her guilt away.
2. Lady Macbeth washes her hands but tries to wash away her guilt.
3. Lady Macbeth washes her hands. She tries to wash her guilt away, too.
4. Lady Macbeth washes her hands and tries to wash away her guilt.