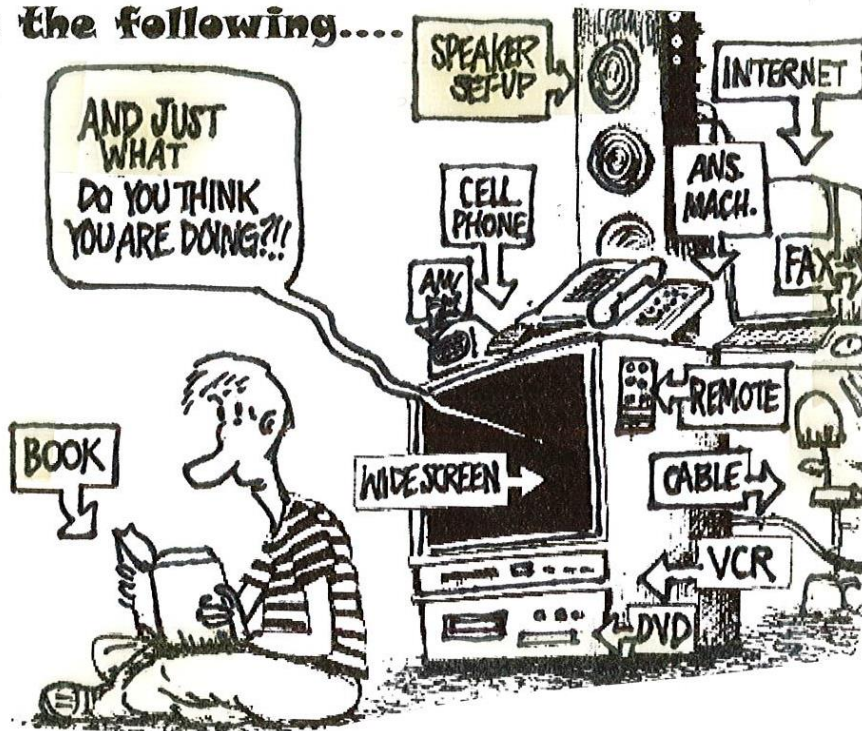


**Ticket to Class...**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Complete the following....**



1. Title this cartoon:
2. "In the age of television, computers, video games, love of reading is not important?" Give facts and examples to support or refute your position.
3. How might children be affected if they are not exposed to reading? At what age, do you think, exposure to reading no longer matters? Why?

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#### 4. Survey

- a. What is the name of the most recent book you read?
  
- b. Do you ever read for fun or relaxation? Why or why not?
  
- c. What genre(s) of books do you enjoy? (mystery, thrillers, romance, etc.)
  
- d. How many hours do you watch television per week?
  
- e. How many hours a week do you spend playing video games (Computer, X-Box, Wii, Candy Crush, Nintendo DS, Play Station, etc.)?
  
- f. How many hours a week do you spend on the Internet with various devices such as computer, Ipods and cell phones)?
  
- g. How much time do you spend texting daily, weekly?

Add up the approximate hours a week you spend on technology? Reaction?

5. What might be the implications of this on reading, vocabulary and language development especially if a child started using this much technology at a young age?

