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WFL

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My Chinese New Year Riddles

Champion

1A Ho Shing Him

I am brown.
My body is huge.
I have long and thick fur.
I live in a cave and forest.
I have pointed claws.
I eat meat and vegetables.

I am a brown bear.



First runner-up

1D Yeung Chun Lok

The animal is fluffy.
It can be big or small.
It lives in human's home.
It is cute.
It eats dry pet food.
It loves to play with toys.
It has a tail.



It is a dog.

Second runner-up

1B Ma Ching Nam

It is gold, yellow and red.
It is big and long.
It lives in the forest.
It is scary.
It eats meat.
It has a big nose.
It hunts for food.



It is a dragon.

My Chinese New Year Riddles

Champion

2B Frachia Valentina

It is light brown.
When it is a baby, it is small
but it grows big.
It lives in the Savanna.
It has lots of fur.
It eats a lot of meat.
It likes chasing animals and
sleeping.

It is a lion.



First runner-up

2C Lee Yuen Sum

The animal is green.
It is small.
It lives in a wetland.
It is lazy.
It likes sleeping.
It eats grass, flowers and fruit.

It is a tortoise.



Second runner-up

2B Hung Chun Long

The animal is big and long.
It lives in the mountains.
It represents good luck.
It is this year's Chinese zodiac.

It is a dragon.



My Chinese New Year Celebration & Year of the Dragon



Champion



3A Ng Yuet Hei

Chinese New Year is one of my favourite holidays of the year. The vibrant colours, festive decorations and delicious food all come together to create a joyous atmosphere that fills me with excitement and happiness.

During Chinese New Year, I am surrounded by my family members, such as my parents, cousins and grandparents. We eat together, do activities and exchange lots of blessings. We are over the moon.

One thing I love the most about Chinese New Year is the food. We have rice cake, spring rolls and fish. They are my favourite things to eat, so I eat lots of it. I am so full.



First runner-up



3B Ng Yin Hei

Today is Chinese New Year! My family and I are celebrating it together. We like Chinese New Year because we can eat a lot of different food. Usually, my family and I go to Mainland China together. In China, people give us red packets and tasty food such as rice cakes, turnip cakes, egg rolls and watermelon seeds. I also used to light fireworks when I was only four years old. I am turning ten this year. We always say blessings to our elders such as wishing them longevity, good health and many more. I hope everyone likes Chinese New Year too and I wish you a happy new year!



Second runner-up



3D Tong Hay Tung

It is the year of the Dragon this year! I designed and drew a dragon. Its name is Lucky. It has a big head and its eyes are round like balls. It has a snake's tongue. Lucky has two straight sharp horns and long whiskers like noodles. It looks scary and strong because its body is very long and massive. It has six paws that are like chicken feet and its claws are sharp and black. All over its body are thin and hard black scales. It can fly and crawl but it cannot swim. Lucky also has magical powers! Its tears can nourish the dry lands and its claws can turn rubbish into clean water. Lucky is a great dragon!

My Chinese New Year Celebration & Year of the Dragon



Champion



4D Shek Sum Yuet

Chinese New Year is indeed a joyous festival. I thoroughly cherish and enjoy celebrating Chinese New Year because it allows me to gather with my extended family. More importantly, I can receive many red packets and good wishes from elders to the young.

Days before Chinese New Year, I engage in preparations with my family for welcoming a new year such as cleaning and decorating our home with red couplets. Also, we go shopping for new clothes and shoes to wish for a fresh start in the upcoming year.

During Chinese New Year I am usually with my family. We visit and celebrate with our extended family members, aunts, uncles and cousins. We come together to enjoy this festive atmosphere and have a reunion dinner. It is a very nice opportunity for us to share our happiness and exchange gifts and blessings. I also enjoy eating traditional dishes like fish, rice cake and sticky rice balls.

Chinese New Year holds a special and warm place in my heart. It allows me to experience and receive joy, luck, wishes and blessings for the year ahead!

First runner-up



4A So Kwan Kiu

I like the New Year because in preparation for it, my parents will take my brother and I to buy new clothes, shoes and get new haircuts. We will buy some candy, chocolate, red and black melon seeds and other treats to put into the new year box. Mum will also buy some new year gift boxes to give to relatives and friends. We have a lot of activities planned for the new year. I will have breakfast at home on the first day of the Lunar New Year. The house will be very lively in the morning because there will be many aunts and uncles coming over!

After breakfast, it's time to receive the red packets. You can get lots of goodies on the first day of the new year. On the second day of the Lunar New Year, our family will go to my grandparents' house to pay respect, share New Year's blessings and have dinner. My aunts, uncles and cousins are all so happy. During the new year holiday, I will go out with my family to share blessings and play. It is very enjoyable!

Second runner-up



4C Lo Chi Yin

Rosalie is a female dragon with a long and thin body like a snake. She is covered with red scales on her yellow belly. She has red eyes, red hair, two yellow horns and wears red lantern earrings. She has tiny paws and always trims her claws.

She has the power to turn objects into flowers using her paws and her horns can make your wishes come true.

Nobody knows Rosalie's age but she can remember when the Earth was born. She can also use her magic to make gold treasure.

Her hobbies include arts and crafts and writing calligraphy.

**Champion****Primary
Five****Nian the Monster****5C Hui Chit**

That night, I went to the village to get some food because I was so hungry and they had the best food at this village.

Wait!

Before I tell you what happened that night – do you know who I am and where I come from?

My real name is 'Sleeping Dragon' but the villagers have given me another name... 'Nián the Monster' who has lived deep in the sea for hundreds of years.

I spend most of my time sleeping and I only wake up once a year: on the eve of Chinese New Year to search for food in the village. In fact, I don't intend to scare away the villagers. It's just that my appearance and features make people feel afraid. With my naturally long horns and sharp teeth, I have a fierce and intimidating look, which causes people to feel frightened and run away. However, everything changed on that remarkable night when a very special man appeared, changing everything forever!

That day, when I reached the village, things felt different. In the past, it would be dark and quiet with nobody around. But that night, I saw a lot of red, gold and fire in the distance. I wondered if the villagers weren't scared of me anymore! Maybe they were having a welcoming party for me?

As I walked closer, loud noises startled me. I had never heard those sounds before. I felt scared by the bright red and gold things. It was uncomfortable for me because it was so flashy and there were loud explosions too.

Just when I was about to run away from the village, I saw an old man with silver hair and a big shiny object coming towards me. I had never seen anything like it before so I had no choice but to quickly escape.

I hid in the forest near the village and secretly listened to the conversation between the old man and the villagers. I discovered that the old man was teaching them how to frighten me away. I felt powerless and had no choice but to go back to the sea, find food to satisfy my hunger and go back to sleep.

**First runner-up****5B So Tsz Yeung**

That night, I went to the village to get some food because I was so hungry and they had the best food at this village.

I started to eat the cows and pigs since they were the biggest animals. But then, I suddenly remembered to not eat that much so the humans wouldn't know that I had been here.

Then my tail accidentally makes a barrel fall down and the loud bang lets the humans know that I am here. I never ever wanted to make anyone scared or cry because of me. I promise!

It's only because of my big and scary body that everyone is scared of me. But I am the one who protects the villagers. And the only reason I eat the animals each year is not because I don't have my own food, it's because I want to see if there's anything wrong with the animals before the humans eat the animals themselves.

But this year is different. This year there was this man with a square-shaped paper with a scary colour on it. Humans say it's the colour 'red'. Even though I was scared, I didn't let it bother me.

As I kept eating some of the animals, I saw tiny scared children running into their houses and sadness washed over me. It's hard, but I know it is the right thing to do.

Suddenly, a very big and scary sound happened behind me. I turned and saw a lot of fire crackers and everyone was wearing red. I got too scared to continue eating so I ran as fast as I could. Tears rolling down my face until I got up to my mountain. I laid down on my bed.

But I have to think of a way to still keep the village safe because it is my duty as a guardian to protect the village. So, I transformed into a lion to hunt animals because humans say it's normal for lions to eat other animals. Later, I went back to the village.

I held my breath and walked into the village.

Everyone immediately hid in their houses.

I ate every one of those animals. I felt bad but it was what I needed to do. Thankfully, the villagers were fine.

So now, each year, I transform myself into a lion and make sure that every animal is not dirty for the villagers!

Anyways, it's time for me to transform now! Bye and have a great year!

Second runner-up

5D Yang Toyu

That night, I went to the village to get some food because I was so hungry and they had the best food at this village.

My name is Nian. I am a monster. I want to scare the people in the village because I want to eat the food.

The day before Lunar New Year, the people went to the flower market and bought a lot of food and flowers there. After that, I hid behind the grass and waited for the people and animals to go past. When they came, I jumped out and ate them!

Today is Lunar New Year, everyone knows about what happened yesterday so there is nobody that isn't afraid of me.

Suddenly, a special man comes to the village and tells the people that he can scare me away with fire! But he needs to stay at one of the houses in the village. A kind old lady lets him stay at her house.

It is night time and I come to the village to eat all of the food but the man scares me away with fire and the colours red and gold!

The lesson I learnt was that I shouldn't eat people's food or scare them.

I am very scared of them now.

WFL Writing Competition

Primary
Six

A Letter to Yuka & Making a Red Packet

Champion

6B Perlado Jenna Lycl

A Letter to Yuka

Dear Yuka,

How are you? I'm very I'm very excited to hear that you're coming to Hong Kong for Chinese New Year! Chinese New Year is one of the most important festivals for people in Hong Kong. It is important because it is a time where people worship their ancestors, exorcise evil spirits and pray for a good year.

The story of Chinese New Year is about a mythical beast named "Nian" which translates to the word "year" in Chinese. At the beginning of each year, the Nian would attack nearby villages, eat livestock and destroy houses.

One day, the villagers were preparing to leave the village a day before the beast awakens when an old man offered to help stop it from attacking the village. The villagers reluctantly accepted his offer. The next day came and the old man set up bright red paper all over the village along with powerful firecrackers and waited for the beast eagerly.

Once the Nian arrived at the village the day after, the old man set off all the loud firecrackers and showed the red paper to the beast. It was terrified of loud noises and the colour red, so it ran away!

The following day, the villagers came back to village and saw that nothing was damaged. They were relieved and thanked the old man for his help. From that day onwards, the whole village made putting up red paper and lighting fireworks to scare away the Nian a tradition and it never came back again.

Nowadays before the Spring Festival of Chinese New Year, houses are given a deep cleaning and are decorated with red papers. Families and relatives visit each other and exchange good wishes. They have a reunion dinner with a lot of food such as dumplings, spring rolls, glutinous rice, whole fish and more!

Parents and elders also give red packets to children as it symbolises good fortune and financial future. People also buy and sell flowers such as peach blossoms, tangerine trees, orchids and more at the flower market. Firework displays, dragon or lion dances and parades are performed in public places such as Victoria Harbour, Lam Tseun Wishing Tree, Tai Hang, Ngong Ping!

It is also heavily recommended to wear red clothing because it symbolises good luck in Chinese culture. However, colours such as black, white or wearing damaged clothing mean bad luck. Black, white and other dark colours are often associated with mourning and death while old or torn clothing mean a future of poor fortune, so it is best to avoid those types of clothes.

Chinese New Year is all about a fresh new start and celebrating with friends and family.

See you soon!
Jenna

First runner-up



6E Liu Selena

A Letter to Yuka

Dear Yuka,

How are you? I'm very excited to hear that you're coming to Hong Kong for Chinese New Year! Chinese New Year is one of the most important festivals for people in Hong Kong. It is important because it is the time for family reunion.

On Chinese New Year's Eve, family members will travel and gather for a reunion dinner. There are a lot of yummy food on the dining table such as dumplings, rice cakes, noodles, fish and many more. I like dumplings and rice cakes the most because dumplings look like gold ingots and rice cakes are sweet! I think you will like them too!

Do you know that people celebrate Chinese New Year for fifteen days? There are many activities people do before and after this holiday. Before Chinese New Year, we will buy lucky flowers, clean their homes and decorate it with red paper.

After Chinese New Year, we will get red packets from the elderly. It is my favourite part of this festival because we can get a lot of money! Also, lion and dragon dances are also performed everywhere. We can watch a lot of parades and fireworks displays.

People also believe in superstitions during Chinese New Year. Let me share some with you:

- We should not take medicine on the first day of the festival.
- We should not get a haircut during the festival. Instead, get it before the festival starts!
- We should not wear black clothes.

Remember to avoid these and it will bring you good luck!

Oh, I also forget to tell you the story of Chinese New Year. A long time ago, there was a scary, nasty beast called "Nian". When the new moon appears in the sky, it would sneak into a village and scared the people and animals. One day a man found out that the Nian was afraid of noises, fire and the colour red. When the Nian came again, the villagers fought back with loud noises, fire and the colour red! The Nian ran away and left them alone. After that, people started to celebrate by doing the same things every year instead of fearing the Nian. This is the story of Chinese New Year!

I hope you can have an unforgettable time in Hong Kong to celebrate Chinese New Year for the first time. Write soon!

Love,
Selena

Second runner-up



6C Chen Yezhen

Making a Red Packet

On my red packet I drew dragons, gold coins, peonies, peach blossoms, tangerines and a lot of money. At the front of my red packet, I drew a dragon because it is the year of the dragon and it is a powerful animal. Next, I drew some gold coins. I also wrote the Chinese character "Fu" and "2024".

AT the back of my red packet, I also drew a dragon. I want everyone to have luck and wealth so I drew some peonies, peach blossoms, tangerines and a lot of money.

My red packet is red because it is a lucky colour. The drawings of dragons, gold coins, "Fu", "2024" and money are coloured gold. I chose gold because it resembles wealth. Peonies and peach blossoms are seen as lucky flowers that can bring you good luck and wealth.

People often have reunion dinner with their whole family. They also visit the flower market and buy lucky flowers for Chinese New Year. I hope people who use my red packet will get a lot of money in the future.



English

Good Writing

Primary One



1A Jiang Wan Na, Nana

My Favourite Outfit

This is my favourite outfit!

My blouse is purple.

My skirt is pink.

My socks are red.

My shoes are black.

My hat is brown.



1A Lee Wing Lam, Lina

My Group Leader

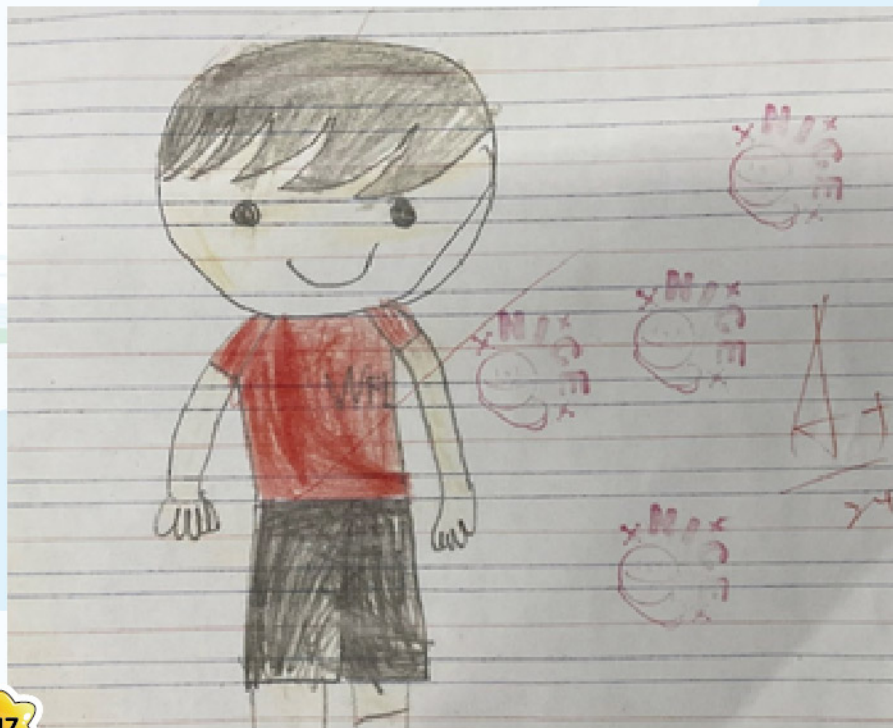
This is Alex.

He is six years old.

He is my group leader.

He is nice and smart.

We are in Class 1A.



1A Li Chun Hung, Alex

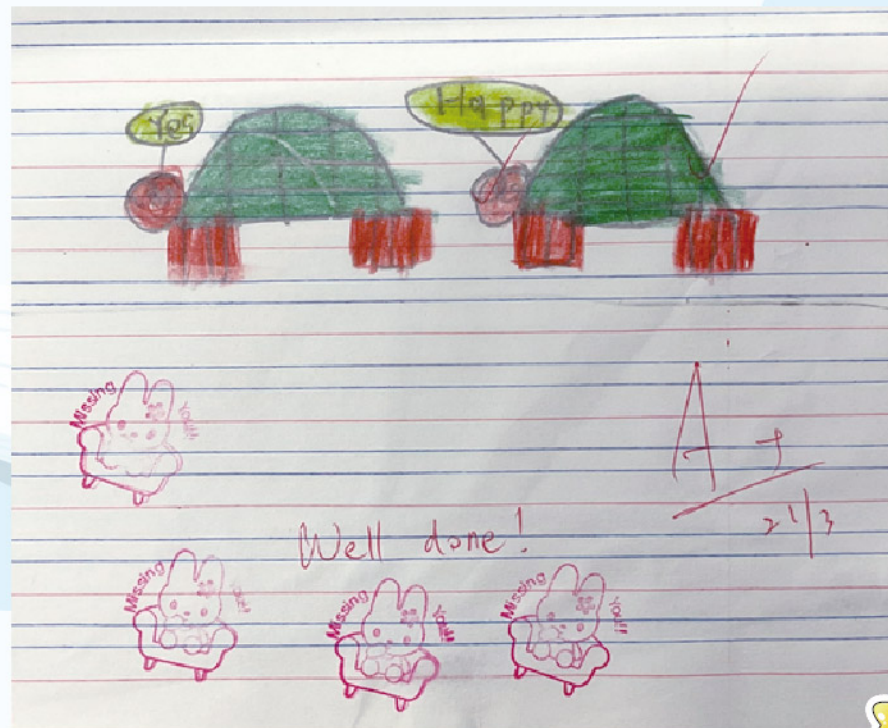
My Favourite Animals

I like these turtles.

They are big.

They are green and brown.

They have fat legs and big eyes.



1B Cheung Chung Wai, Marius

My Favourite Pets

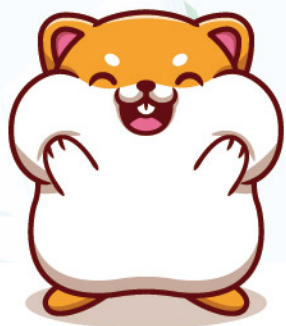
I like those hamsters.

They are fat and small.

They are brown and white.

They have small eyes and long tails.

They like to eat cookies.



hamster

hamster



Coco



Lili

1B Hu Shing Lam, Samuel

Magic Zoo New Animal Creation Competition

A picture of my new animal.



This is my new animal.

It has a panda's head. It has small eyes.

It has a spider monkey's body. It is grey.

It has a spider monkey's legs. They are big and fat.

It has a spider monkey's tail. It is grey.

It is on the grass.

It is walking.

1B Ma Ching Nam, Janis

Myself

This is me.

I am short.

I have a long tail.

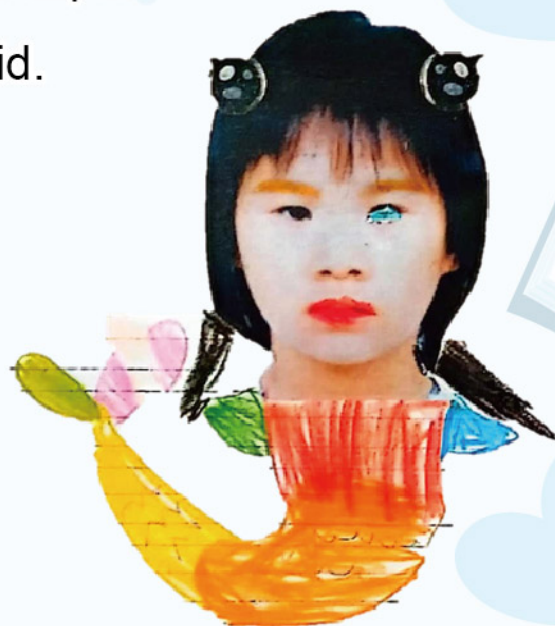
I have a colourful body.

I have long hair.

I have two hair clips.

I am a mermaid.

I look cute.



1C Chan Sheung Wai, Edwin

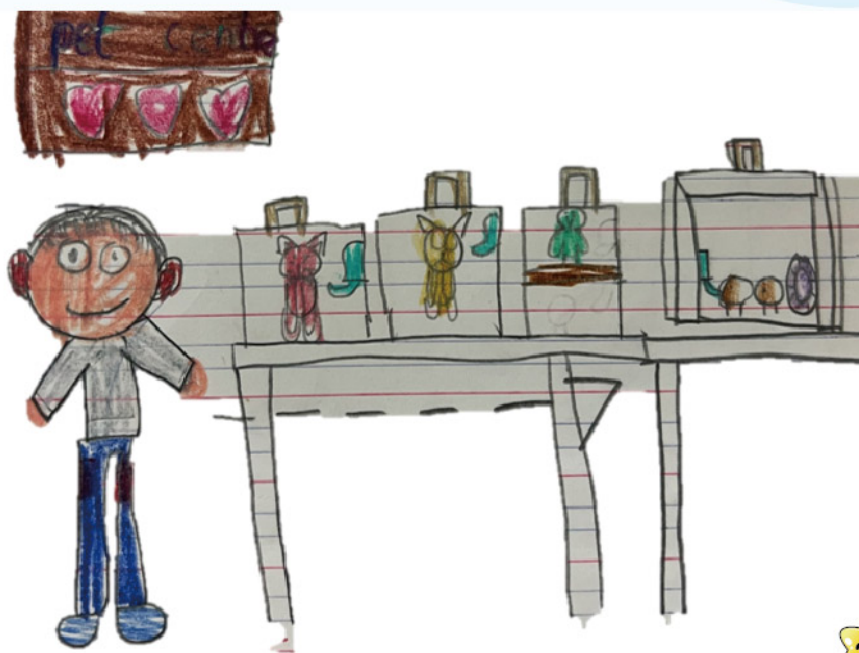
My Favourite Pets

I like those hamsters.

They are cute.

They are white and brown.

They have small eyes and short legs.



1C Chan Tsz Yuet, Jan

My Favourite Outfit

This is my favourite outfit!

My blouse is purple.

My skirt is pink and blue.

My socks are white.

My shoes are pink.

My hat is blue.



1C Lo Nok Hei, Jaden

Myself

This is me.

I am long and thin.

My skin is a little bit dark.

But I have a colourful body.

I have curly hair.

I have short whiskers.

I even have some sharp teeth.

I am scary and look dangerous.

I always like to slither around the village.



1D Chan Pak Kee, Vic

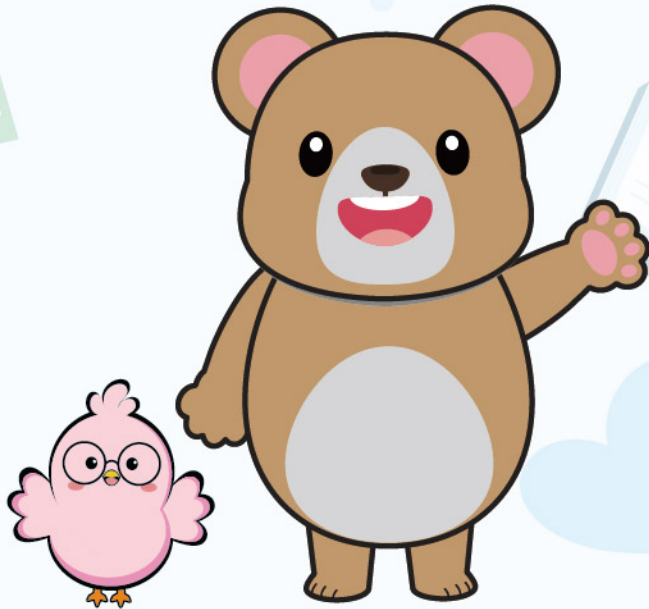
My Toys

I have a doll and a teddy bear.

The doll is pink and yellow.

The teddy bear is brown.

I love my toys.



1D Lee Li, Mia

My Friend

This is Luna.

She is six years old.

Her T-shirt is pink.

Her shorts are pink.

Her skirt is pink and purple.



1D Shek On Wing, Alice

My Favourite Outfit

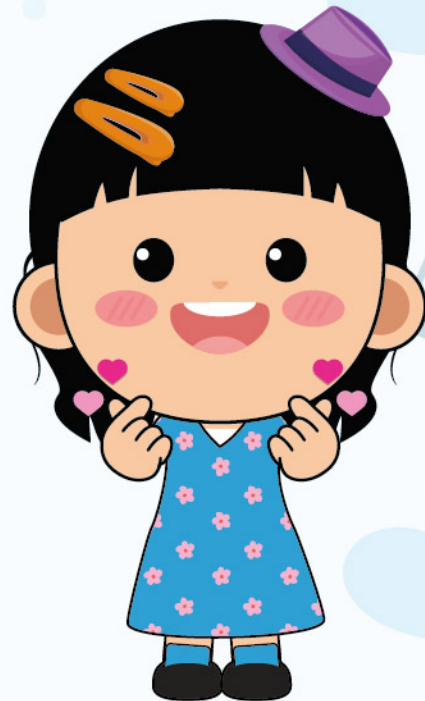
My dress is red and pink.

My hat is purple.

My shoes are black.

My socks are blue.

My hairclips are orange.



English Good Writing

Primary Two



2A Chau Ka Chun, Kasper

About Nick



This is my classmate. His name is Nick. He is eight years old. He has big ears and short black hair. He likes reading. He likes eating pears and strawberries.

He lives in Tai Po with his family. He goes to school by bus. He has no brothers or sisters. Nick's dad is a cook. He cooks food for customers. Nick's mum is a housewife. She looks after the family.

Nick is in Class 2A. He is a class monitor. He is nice. He helps the teachers every day. At recess, we like reading in the classroom.

Nick is fun to be with. I am happy that he is my classmate.



2A Chung Cheuk Long

About Boat



This is my classmate. His name is Boat. He is six years old. He has short black hair. He likes playing. He likes eating ice cream.

He lives in Tai Po. He goes to school on foot. He has two brothers. His dad is a doctor. He helps sick people. His mum is a nurse. She looks after sick people.

Boat is in Class 2A. He is the class monitor. He is nice. He is fun to be with. I am happy that he is my classmate.

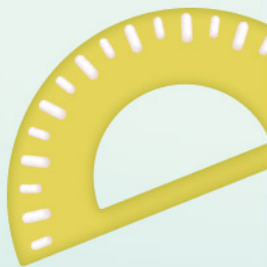


2A Lee Yuen Ying, Stella

Myself



My name is Stella Lee. I am seven years old. I live in Tai Po. I come to school on foot. I have a sister. My father is a foreman. He supervises a team of workers. He works on a construction site. My mother is a housewife. She looks after the family. She works at home. I love my family.



2A Xie Tsz Yau, Mavis

My Sunday



My name is Mavis. I am eight years old. I live in Tai Po. Let me tell you about my day.

I get up at seven o'clock in the morning. I brush my teeth at nine thirty in the morning.

I have lunch at twelve o'clock in the afternoon. I do my homework at seven o'clock.

I have dinner at eight o'clock in the evening. I brush my teeth at nine o'clock in the evening. I go to bed at ten thirty at night.

I feel happy and excited about my day!



2B Chui Cheuk Nam, Nathan

My Wednesday



My name is Nathan Chui. I am seven years old. I live in Fanling. Let me tell you about my day.

I wake up at six o'clock in the morning. I go to school at seven thirty.

I have magic lessons at three o'clock in the afternoon. Then, I have clarinet lessons at four o'clock in the afternoon.

I have piano lessons at five forty-five in the evening. I have dinner at seven o'clock in the evening.

I feel excited and happy about my day!



2B Lam Sit Yuet, Asher

A Story about Nikki and Roy

It is hot and sunny. Nikki and Roy ride a bicycle together. Later, they play in the park. They feel happy.

First, Nikki and Roy play hide-and-seek. Roy covers his eyes and starts to count. Nikki climbs the tree. They are excited about the game.

Next, they play on the roundabout. Roy pushes the handle. Nikki sits on the roundabout and laughs. They are over the moon.

Finally, they sit under a tree. Nikki drinks water. Roy takes some rest. They are tired.



2B Lee King Yau, Kingston

My Monday



My name is Kingston Lee. I am eight years old. I live in Tai Wo. Let me tell you about my day.

I wake up at six thirty in the morning. I go to school at seven ten in the morning.

I have lunch at twelve thirty in the afternoon. Then, I have English lessons at one fifteen in the afternoon.

I have dinner at six forty in the evening. I have a shower at seven thirty in the evening.

I feel happy and excited about my day!



2B Malamug Zoe Asher

My Saturday



My name is Zoe. I am eight years old. I live in Lam Tsuen. Let me tell you about my day.

I wake up at nine o'clock in the morning. I have breakfast at nine fifteen in the morning. I go to church at ten o'clock in the morning. Then, I have lunch with my family at two o'clock in the afternoon. I also hang out at the mall with them.

We have dinner at around eight o'clock in the evening at home. I go to bed at ten thirty at night.

I always feel grateful about my day!



2B Sin Tsz Ching, Christy

My Saturday



My name is Christy Sin. I am seven years old. I live in Tai Wo. Let me tell you about my day.

I get up at ten o'clock in the morning. I wash my face at ten ten in the morning.

I have lunch at one o'clock in the afternoon. Then, I have dancing lessons in Shenzhen at two o'clock in the afternoon. It is fun.

I have dinner with my family at seven o'clock in the evening. I go to bed at ten o'clock at night.

I feel fine about my day!



2C Chan Wing Hin, Austin

About Me



My name is Austin. I am eight years old. I live in Tai Po. I come to school by car.

I have one sister. My father is a driver. He drives a van. He delivers products to customers.

My mother is a nurse. She takes care of sick people. She works in a hospital.



2C Chui Cheuk Huen, Ciara

My Saturday



My name is Ciara Chui. I am seven years old.
I live in Tai Wo. I come to school by school bus.

I have one brother. My father is a cook.
He cooks great food in a restaurant. My
mother is a firewoman. She works in a fire
station.



2C Lee Tsz Cheung, Karson

About Mandy



This is my classmate. Her name is Mandy.
She is eight years old. She has long hair and
small ears. She likes dancing and swimming.
She likes eating biscuits.

Mandy lives in Lam Tin. She goes to school by
MTR. She has one sister. Mandy's father is a
cook. He cooks great food. Mandy's mother is a
nurse. She looks after sick people.

Mandy is in Class 2A. She is the class monitress.
She is helpful. She helps the teachers every day.
At recess, she likes playing basketball in the
playground.

I like her very much.



2D Ho Chun Chit, Double

A Story About Roy and Nikki



It is hot and sunny. Roy and Nikki are at Sheung Shui Park. They ride bicycles and chat together. They are excited.

First, they play hide-and-seek. Then, Nikki climbs the tree and hides. They feel jolly.

Next, they play on the roundabout. Nikki sits on it and Roy pushes the roundabout. They are on cloud nine.

Finally, Roy takes a rest under the tree and Nikki drinks some cola. They feel tired but satisfied.



2D Lau Ho Ching



My Favourite Place In My Dream School

My favourite place in my dream school is the games room. It is on the tenth floor. It is fantastic and huge. There are computers and board games. We can watch videos there. We must listen to the teachers. We mustn't damage the board games. We go there on Mondays and Fridays.



2D So Hoi Laam, Hannah

My Favourite Place In My Dream School

My favourite place in my dream school is the karaoke room. It is on the first floor. It is huge. There are microphones and sofas. We can sing songs there. We mustn't litter or spit. We can go there at recess.



English Good Writing

Primary Three





3A Man Yik Sheung, Svea



Grandma's Birthday

It is Grandma's birthday today so Sam, Mum and Dad go to Mimi Mall with their grandma. They are hungry so they want to have lunch. Grandma wants to eat dim sum so they want to go to Yum Restaurant.

Soon, they arrive at Yum Restaurant but it is closed! Grandma says, 'Oh no! The restaurant is closed!' They are very disappointed and sad.

Suddenly, Sam has an idea. He says, 'Let's go to Mimi Hotel to have a buffet lunch!' Dad, Mum and Grandma agree. Then they go to Mimi Hotel on the third floor together.

In the end, Mimi Hotel is full of people so they go to a café to have afternoon tea. Grandma is so happy. She says, 'Thank you! I'm very happy today!' Dad, Mum and Sam say, 'We are so happy too!'



3A Man Yik So, Suri



A Birthday Gift

Dad's birthday is coming so Mum, Dan and Jane think where to buy a gift for Dad. Jane says, 'Let's go to the shopping centre to buy a gift for Dad.' They feel over the moon.

In the shopping centre, there are a lot of shops, such as cafes, gift shops and bookshops. Mum asks Dan and Jane, 'Where do you want to go?' The children look at the directory of Sunshine Mall. They feel delighted.

Jane says, 'I want to go to the ground floor to buy a dress.' Dan says, 'I want to go to the third floor to buy a book.' They start to argue. Both of them are angry and a bit upset.

In the end, Mum says, 'Please don't argue. Think about something for Dad. Your ideas are not for Dad.' Jane and Dan say, 'We are so sorry, Mum.' Jane says, 'Let's go to the café to buy some coffee for Dad.' Dan and Mum say, 'Good idea!' Then they go to the café to buy coffee for Dad.

At home, they say 'Happy Birthday' to Dad and give him the gift. Dad feels surprised. They are all happy.



3A Ng Yuet Hei

An Unforgettable Picnic

On Sunday, John, Mum and Dad went to May Park to have a picnic. They bring some food like apples, bananas, sausages and cookies to eat together. They are over the moon.

Suddenly, a naughty monkey jumps off a big tree and takes away the big red apple and some bananas. John says, 'You naughty monkey! Don't take away our food!' They are scared and shocked.

After the monkey takes away the fruit and escapes, Dad chases after it. Dad shouts, 'Hey! Naughty monkey! Give us back our fruit!' They are furious.

After a while, the monkey feels tired and drops the fruit on the ground. Dad runs fast to take the food back. They are all relieved.



3A Xu Wai Chun, Jason

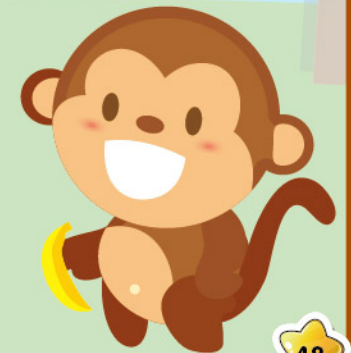
An Unforgettable Picnic

Last Sunday, John has a picnic with his parents in May Park. They bring a lot of food, such as biscuits, bananas and apples. They feel happy.

Suddenly, a monkey jumps off from a tree. It takes away some bananas and an apple. John says, 'Oh no! It is taking away our food!' They feel shocked.

Next the monkey escapes. Dad chases after it. He shouts to the monkey, 'Stop! You little naughty monkey!' He feels angry. The whole family don't know what to do.

At last, the monkey comes back. It gives the fruit back to the family. They smile and say 'thank you' to the monkey. They are over the moon and have the wonderful picnic again.



3B Chan Chun Yuen, Jason

Betty's Diary

14th May, 2024

Sunny

It was Grandpa's 60th birthday today.

In the morning, my parents, my grandparents and I went to the pier. We took a ferry to Lamma Island to celebrate Grandpa's birthday. I felt excited.

In the afternoon, the weather was good so we went to a beach. Dad swam in the sea and Mum read a book under a tree. I built a beautiful sandcastle with my grandparents. We felt glad.

In the evening, we went to a Chinese restaurant for dinner. We ate lots of food, such as chicken, vegetables and mushrooms. Then, I said, "Happy birthday, Grandpa!" and gave him a gift. He felt delighted and said, "That's really nice of you." I felt over the moon.



3B Lai Hei Man, Hailey

Grandma's Birthday

It's Grandma's birthday today so Sam, his grandma and his parents go to Mimi Mall to have lunch. They look at the directory. They want to go to Yum Restaurant on the second floor because Grandma loves eating Chinese food. They are very hungry.

Soon, they arrive at Yum Restaurant and they find out that it is closed. Grandma says, "Oh! Where can we eat now? I'm starving!" They are disappointed because they can't eat Chinese food.

Suddenly, Sam has an idea. He suggests, "Let's go to Mimi Hotel to have a buffet lunch. I'm hungry." All of them say, "Good idea!" They feel delighted.

In the end, they eat a lot of food, such as fried eggs, noodles, rice and Grandma's favourite food- dim sum. After lunch, Sam gives Grandma a DIY handbag. She feels surprised and says, "Wow! It's so beautiful! Thank you all for the lunch and handbag." Sam and his parents feel very joyful.





3B Lee Ying Tung, Leona

A Birthday Gift



Dad's birthday is coming so Dan and Jane want to buy a present for him. They go to a shopping centre with Mum. They are excited about it.

In the shopping centre, they are happy. Sunshine Mall is big with lots of shops, such as cafés and bookshops. Mum asks, 'Where do you want to go?' Dan and Jane reply, 'Let's go to the gift shop! We can find presents there.'

However, Dan wants to buy a storybook but Jane wants to buy a dress. They argue about what to buy loudly. They are unhappy.

In the end, Mum says, 'Dad does not need a dress or a storybook. He needs something that is useful.' Dan and Jane buy a blue tie at last because they see Dad wearing it every day. They are happy with the final decision.



3B Leung Yee Ling, Vivian

A Birthday Gift



Dan, Jane and their mom are at home. They want to buy a gift for Dad in a shopping centre because Dad's birthday is on 15th April. They feel excited.

Then, they arrive at Sunshine Mall. It is huge with a lot of shops. They look at a directory. Mom asks, "Where do you want to go?" Then, Dan and Jane start to argue with each other. Dan wants to go to the bookshop to buy a storybook but Jane wants to go to the clothes shop to buy a dress. They feel unhappy.

Finally, Mom says, "Stop arguing! The gift is not for you two! Let's go to the gift shop and buy a card for Dad. Jane and Dan say, "Ok, Mom." Later, they buy a card in the gift shop. They feel good.



3C Hui Ting Ho, Lewis

A Birthday Gift

Today, Dan, Jane and Mum want to buy a gift for Dad because Dad's birthday is on 15th April. Mum says, 'Let's go to a shopping mall.' They are surprised.

Next, they go to Sunshine Mall. However, Dad wants to go to the book shop to buy a comic. Jane wants to go to the clothes shop to buy a dress. Mum is angry and says, 'We are not here to buy a gift for ourselves. We need to buy Dad's birthday gift.'

Then, they go to the cake shop to buy a cake for Dad. Dan says, 'I want the chocolate one for Dad'. Jane says, 'I want the strawberry one for Dad.' Mum says, 'Actually, Dad likes the mango one.'

Finally, they go home to celebrate Dad's birthday. Dad enjoys his birthday party and says, 'You three are my best birthday gift ever.' They are so happy.



3C Lau Ka Lok, Lucas

A Picnic Day

One day, Amy and her dog Tom are in the country park in the morning. Then, they play fetch. When they are playing fetch, Danny and his mum eat sandwiches. They drink juice but Amy and her dog are still playing. After that, Tom eats Danny's first sandwich. Danny says, 'Wah-wah-wah-wah-wah.' Amy says, 'Sorry, my dog eats your sandwich. I have no money but I have an ice cream for you.' Danny says, 'Thank you.' Amy says, 'No problem.'

Tom will have no food in a week and Tom feels sad.



3C Lee Shing Hang, Hillson

An Unforgettable Picnic

On Sunday afternoon, John and his parents go to May Park to have a picnic. They bring food like bananas, juice, sausages, cookies, cola, fruit, potato chips and more. They feel joyful to have a picnic together.

Suddenly, a monkey jumps out from a tree and steals John's favourite fruit. John says, 'Give it back to me! That is my favourite fruit!' Then the monkey gets away with all the bananas. Dad chases and finds the monkey but it is too late because the monkey already eats up all the bananas. John is upset because he can't get his bananas back. Dad says, 'I'm sorry for not getting back the bananas. I'm too tired of running.'

In the end, John's mom finds out that the basket has some bananas left. John's mom says, 'What an unlucky day!'



3C Wong Wing Lam, Reni

Grandma's Birthday


Today, it is Sam's grandma's birthday so Sam, Grandma, Dad and Mum go to Mimi Mall. Sam's mother wants to go to the café. His father wants to go to the ice cream shop. Sam wants to go to the hotel and Grandma wants to go to the Chinese restaurant. They are hungry. Sam says, 'Today is Grandma's birthday so we can go to the Chinese restaurant to eat dim sum.' They feel happy and excited.

Soon, they go to Yum Restaurant, and they see a sign. Sam reads the words and says, 'It is closed! Oh no!' Grandma feels devastated, blue, sad and surprised.

Then, Sam has an idea. He says, 'Let's go to Mimi Hotel to have a buffet lunch because there is some dim sum.' Grandma says, 'Oh yes, I like dim sum.' The family go to Mimi Hotel to have a buffet lunch with Grandma.

In the end, they eat a lot of food like cakes, dim sum, pies and curry. The food is very tasty. Grandma says, 'I am very happy with you all today. I love my birthday very much and I love all of you. Sam, your idea is very good. I like it.' Sam says, 'Grandma we love you so much.' They feel very happy and over the moon.





3D Lo Ka Chun, Ricky



A Birthday Gift

Dad's birthday is coming so Jane, Dan and Mum go to Sunshine Mall. They want to buy a gift for Dad. They feel excited.

In the shopping mall, there are lots of shops such as stationery shops, bookshops, cinemas and restaurants. Dan says, 'Wow! This shopping mall is so huge! Let's go to the second floor.'

However, when they go to the second floor, they start to argue. Dan says, 'I want to buy a storybook for Dad.' Then Jane says, 'Mum, don't listen to him! I want to buy a dress.' Jane and Dan feel angry.

In the end, Mum says, 'Jane, Dad doesn't wear dresses. We are not going to buy a dress.' Then, they go to the bookshop to buy a book for Dad. Dan feels happy but Jane feels so sad.



3D Tong Hay Tung, Hana

A Birthday Gift

Dad's birthday is coming so Jane and Dan plan to buy a birthday gift for Dad. They go to the shopping centre to buy the present. They are excited.

In the huge shopping centre, there are lots of shops such as clothes shops, toy shops and bookshops etc. Mum asks Jane and Dan, 'Where do you want to go?' Jane says, 'I want to go to the clothes shop.' Dan says, 'I want to go to the bookshop.' They are delighted.

However, Dan wants to buy a book for Dad but Jane wants to buy some clothes for him. They start to argue. They are upset.

In the end, after discussing, they agree to buy a book and a pair of jeans for Dad. They are pleased.



3D Yang Hao Rui, Timmy

Grandma's Birthday

It is Sam's grandma's birthday. Sam and his family go to the shopping mall. They are hungry so they want to eat dim sum for lunch.

Soon, they arrive at Yum Restaurant. However, the restaurant is closed. They are disappointed.

Suddenly, Sam has an idea. He says, 'Let's go to Mimi Hotel to have a buffet lunch there.' Sam's family like his idea. They are over the moon.

After the lunch, Sam and his parents take a taxi home. In the taxi, Grandma finds out her mobile phone is in the hotel so they rush back to the hotel to get the phone. Luckily, Grandma finds the phone in the hotel. She is happy.



English Good Writing

Primary Four



4A Lee Yuet Yau, Ashley

Kelly's Weekend

One Friday afternoon, Kelly and her parents took the train to The Peak because Kelly got good results in her exams and her parents wanted to celebrate with her. First, they looked at the beautiful view. Then, they went shopping and bought Kelly some clothes.

After a while, they were hungry and tired of walking, so they went to a Chinese restaurant to eat seafood and they had some fish, crabs and prawns. They thought that the prawns were the most delicious. Kelly ate a lot of seafood. Her mum said, 'Kelly you ate too much!' Kelly replied, 'Don't worry. I'm going to be fine.' Mum was worried about her.

But later that night, Kelly felt sick and had a stomachache. She cried, 'I can't sleep. My stomach hurts.' She shouted to her mum for help because she was in pain.

When Mum noticed that Kelly was in pain, she brought her to the hospital for a check-up. The doctor said, 'Kelly cannot eat too much seafood or else she will have a stomachache again.' Then, the doctor gave Kelly some medicine. After taking the medicine, she felt a lot better.



4A Sze Priscilla

A Diary Entry

21st February, 2024

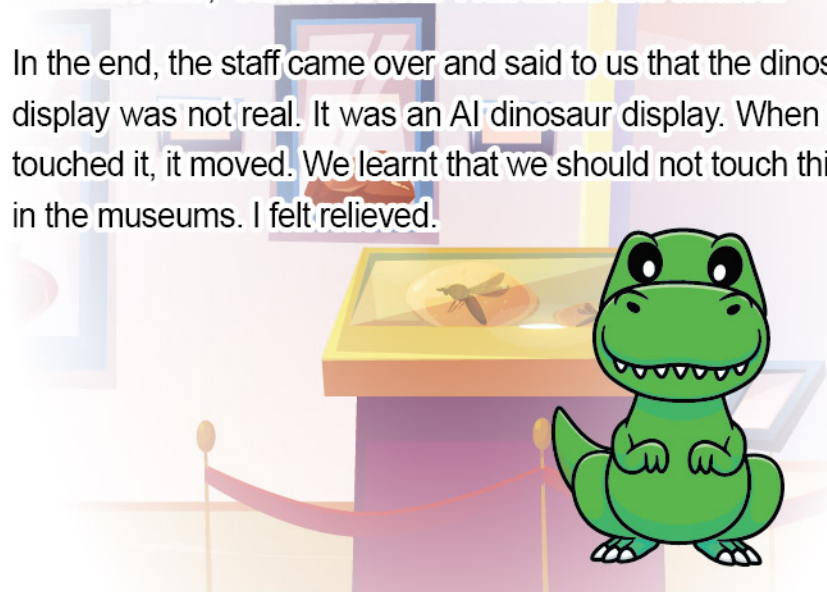
Sunny

Yesterday morning, our class teacher, my class and I went to the Hong Kong Science Museum in Tsim Sha Tsui. We visited the museum and looked at the dinosaur displays. I felt happy.

After that, my classmate Ken touched a dinosaur display because he was curious. I shouted, 'Stop! You can't touch it! You will break it.' I felt cross and mad.

But, Ken did not listen to me and kept touching the dinosaur display. Suddenly, the dinosaur opened its big mouth and roared. My classmates and I saw it and wanted to tell the teacher. I said, 'Oh no! It's real!' I felt afraid and terrified.

In the end, the staff came over and said to us that the dinosaur display was not real. It was an AI dinosaur display. When you touched it, it moved. We learnt that we should not touch things in the museums. I felt relieved.



4A Wang Zi Heng, Richard

Christmas Shopping

Yesterday, Mum and I went to a department store because Christmas was coming and we wanted to buy some Christmas gifts. I wanted to buy some chocolate for my friends. I was happy.

After that, Mum and I lined up at the cashier's counter. A lady and a man waited in front of me. The lady took out some money from her handbag. We waited patiently.

Suddenly, a man came and asked, 'Where is the toilet?' But at the same time, I saw the man steal the lady's mobile phone. I was shocked.

Then I shouted, 'The man stole the mobile phone!' The other people caught the man. Mum called the police. Soon, the man was taken away by the police and I felt very proud after that.



4A Xu Yang Yang, Amy

Tom's Birthday Surprise

Tom is an unhealthy boy. He always eats junk food such as cupcakes and chocolate. He refuses to eat vegetables and fish. Mum was worried.

The day before Tom's birthday, Mum asked, 'What do you want for your birthday this year?' Tom said, 'I want a strawberry birthday cake tomorrow!' Mum promised him one. He felt joyful.

The next day, Mum bought a veggie cake. There were a lot of vegetables such as broccoli, carrots and small potatoes. He felt disgusted and sad.

Finally, Tom secretly threw the veggie cake into the rubbish bin. Mum punished him angrily. Tom said sorry to Mum. Tom was upset.



4B Chong Yau Hei, Aidan

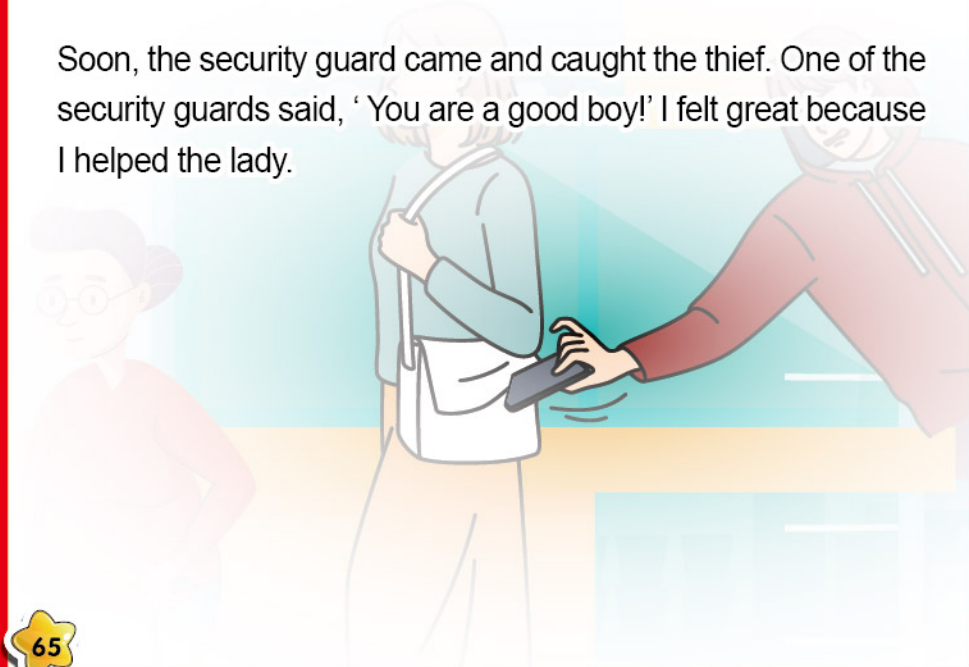
Christmas Shopping

Christmas is coming. Mum and I went to the department store. We saw lots of boxes of sweets. Then we bought some Christmas gifts for my friends.

After choosing the gifts, we went to the cashier's counter to pay. We lined up at the back of the line so we had to wait. I saw a lady take her wallet out of her handbag. I was patient in the line.

Suddenly, a man came and asked, 'Where is the toilet?' At the same time, he put his hand into the lady's handbag and tried to steal the mobile phone. I was nervous. I shouted, 'There is a thief at the cashier's counter!'

Soon, the security guard came and caught the thief. One of the security guards said, 'You are a good boy!' I felt great because I helped the lady.



4B Law Ching Man, Jamie

A Diary Entry

Yesterday, my teacher, my classmates and I went to the Hong Kong Science Museum. We visited an exhibition. We saw many dinosaur displays and learnt about dinosaurs. I felt joyful.

Suddenly, my classmate Ken wanted to touch a huge dinosaur display. I said, 'Stop! Ken! You can't touch it.' I was shocked.

However, Ken continued to touch the dinosaur. Soon after he touched it, the dinosaur roared at us loudly. We were very scared. Then the teacher came. I told the teacher what happened and she was very mad. She said to Ken, 'Don't touch any displays again.' 'I'm sorry!' Ken replied. I was afraid.

After that, we looked at the other displays. We enjoyed the exhibition very much. We felt cheerful.



4B Lin Tsz Fung, Ivan

Tom's Birthday Surprise

Tom is an unhealthy boy. He always eats sugary food such as cupcakes, sweets and chocolate. He refuses to eat vegetables and fish. Mum was worried.

This year, Mum asked, 'Tom, it's your birthday tomorrow! What do you want?' Tom wanted a chocolate birthday cake. Mum promised him one. He felt excited.

The next day, Mum bought a veggie cake. Tom saw that there were a lot of vegetables on it such as broccoli, carrots and small potatoes. He was disappointed.

After tasting the cake, he thought it was delicious. Tom enjoyed eating the cake. He was as happy as a clam.



4B Yu Bo Yan, Ken

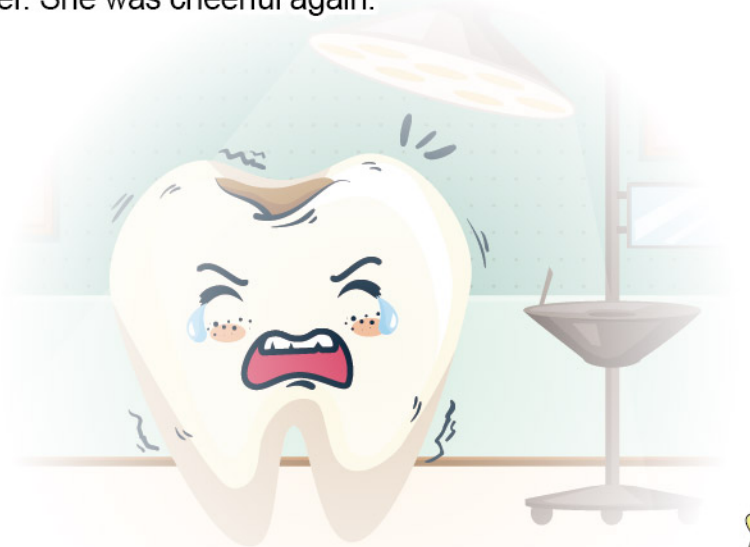
Lisa's Bad Habits

Lisa is an unhealthy girl. She always eats too much sugary food such as sweets, chocolate and cakes. Also, she always drinks a lot of soft drinks such as cola and juice. Lisa enjoys the food and drinks very much.

Lisa has other bad habits too. She brushes her teeth three times a week and she never goes to the dentist. Mum is always worried about her.

One day, when Lisa woke up in the morning, she had a toothache. She said, 'Mum, I have toothache. I feel horrible!' Lisa couldn't go to school. She felt upset.

Later that day, Mum took Lisa to the dentist. The dentist advised Lisa to brush her teeth twice a day, eat less sugary food and drink fewer soft drinks. After seeing the doctor, Lisa felt better. She was cheerful again.



4C Law Chi Yin, Jimmy

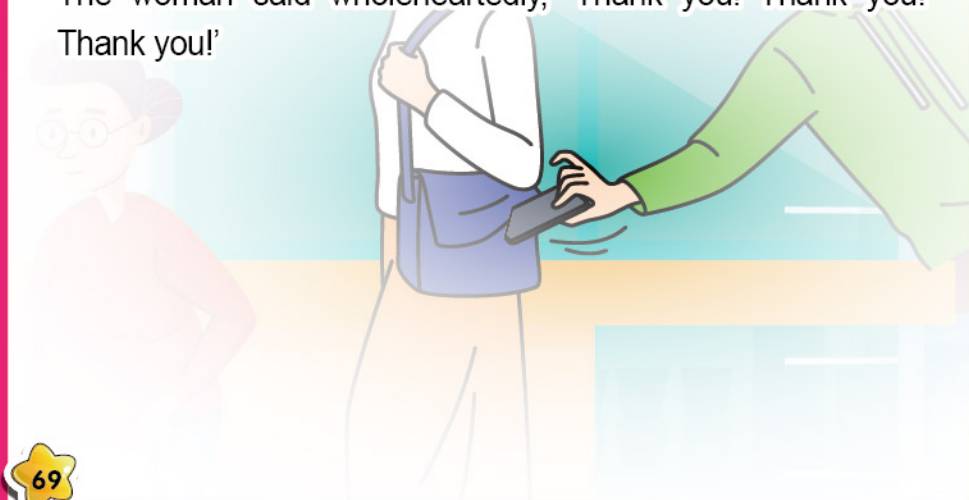
Christmas Shopping

Yesterday, I wanted to buy some Christmas gifts for my friends, so my mum and I went to a department store to shop.

When we went into the department store, we saw a lot of gifts. Mum said I could choose more than three gifts. I exclaimed, 'Really? Hurray!!!' I bought four big beautiful gifts.

Then, we lined up. I saw a woman take out some cash from her bag, but she forgot to close it. Suddenly, a man came up and asked, 'Where is the toilet?' Shockingly, his left hand was stealing the woman's mobile phone.

The man then went away. I thought I should go and get the woman's phone back. Then I chased the man. I ran at full speed. Yay! I caught him. I brought the woman's phone back. The woman said wholeheartedly, 'Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!'



4C So Yat Hei, Ivan

A Diary Entry

Yesterday, my class and I went to the Hong Kong Science Museum to look at an exhibition of gigantic dinosaurs and other extinct mammals. I felt excited.

After a while, we came across an exhibit of a Tyrannosaurus Rex. Ken thought it was very interesting so he tried to touch the display. Luckily, I stopped him from touching it and prevented it from potentially collapsing.

But Ken didn't care and slapped it while no one was watching. My friend and I saw his hand touching it so we went to tell the teacher.

Later, we found the teacher and told her about the problem. The teacher warned Ken not to touch the exhibits ever again. Finally, Ken felt regretful.



4C So Yi Shun, Sasha

Lisa's Bad Habits

Lisa was an unhealthy girl. She had bad eating habits. Lisa liked having sugary food such as cola, chocolate and cupcakes. She had a sweet tooth. She said 'yummy yummy' while having her favourite snacks. She felt joyful.

She brushed her teeth three times a week. She never went to the dentist because she thought seeing the dentist was terrifying. Her mother said, 'You ought to brush your teeth twice a day and go to the dentist twice a year!' But she didn't listen to her mum's advice. Soon, she got tooth decay.

One morning, she woke up and had a swollen face. She suffered from the pain for hours. She went to the bathroom and checked in the mirror. She said, 'Oh no! My tooth is black!' She got severe toothache. She was frightened because she would need to see the dentist.

At the end of the day, she went to the dentist as it hurt so much. Luckily, she recovered soon. She never ate sweets after that. She brushes her teeth twice a day and visits the dentist twice a year. She is over the moon because she has strong and healthy teeth now.



4D Chen Wan Hei, Odin

A Diary Entry

30th November, Thursday

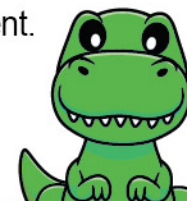
Sunny

Yesterday my class teacher, my classmates and I went to an exhibition about dinosaurs in the Hong Kong Science Museum in Tsim Sha Tsui. I felt jolly.

After we entered the museum, my class teacher announced that we could explore the museum by ourselves. When I was walking by a dinosaur display known as the T-rex, I noticed that my classmate Ken was about to touch the T-rex. I wanted to stop him so I shouted immediately, 'Stop! You can't touch it!' I felt stunned and startled.

Ken didn't listen to my advice. In fact, he slapped the T-rex's mouth. The display's mouth opened and let out an ear-splitting roar. My classmates and I were afraid because we were scared that our teacher would be cross with us. Little did we know that something worse was going to happen...

Ken accidentally placed his hand in the T-rex display's mouth. Its mouth closed suddenly and Ken's hand got stuck there. He let out a blood-curdling scream! Our teacher heard Ken's scream and immediately called the police. In the end, Ken had to be sent to the nearest hospital for treatment.



4D Ma Ching Yuet, Tracy

About Myself

My name is Tracy Ma. I am nine years old. I am in Class 4D. I am the tallest in my class. I have sparkling brown eyes.

In my spare time, I do a lot of activities. I always play with my baby sister. At home I like dancing and singing with my baby sister. I sometimes go running but I never play dodgeball. I don't like playing baseball or football. I like watching MSA YouTube channel because the videos are interesting and touching. I don't like the news because it is boring.

My favourite subject is English. I like playing Kahoot games because we can learn a lot of things. I like Music too because it is cool to listen to my teacher and classmates sing.

My favourite teacher is my English teacher, Miss Tse. She is friendly and beautiful. She is nice to me. She likes playing games with us and chatting with us at recess.

I am happy with who I am. I hope you like reading about me.



4D Tang Yui Ting, Ryder

Kelly's Weekend

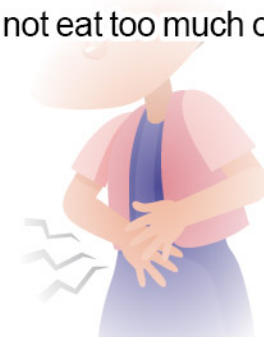
In the morning, Kelly and her parents went to The Peak because Kelly got good results in her exam. Firstly, they looked at the amazing view of Hong Kong. They were over the moon.

After a while, they felt very hungry so they went to a Chinese restaurant. They ordered a lot of mouth-watering food like shrimps, crabs and fish. Kelly thought, 'The fish is delicious. The crab is more delicious than the fish, but the shrimps are the most delicious.' Therefore, she ate up the whole plate. She felt full and happy.

Later that day, Kelly woke up at midnight and had a stomachache. She exclaimed, 'Mum, help me please! My stomach hurts!' She burst into tears because she felt sick and unhappy.

Mum heard Kelly's voice and went to Kelly's bedroom in a flash. She said, 'Kelly, you should go to the toilet!' Kelly listened to Mum so she dashed to the toilet. Once she sat down on it, she had diarrhea. After that, she felt much better.

Kelly learnt that she should not eat too much or she may feel sick.



English Good Writing

Primary Five



5A Lee Siu Hin, Hinson

A Story About Jason

It was eleven thirty at night. Jason was still playing online games on the bed. He hadn't gone to bed. He hadn't done his homework yet.

The next morning, Miss Chan saw Jason with a bandage on his arm. Miss Chan asked, 'What's the matter?' Jason said, 'I helped my mum sweep the floor. I fell over on the ground because I was careless. I broke my arm so I haven't done my homework yet.' Jason didn't tell the truth. Miss Chan said, 'I'm sorry to hear that. I hope you get well soon.'

In the afternoon, Miss Chan said, 'Class 5A, we'll go to Ocean Park soon. Jason hurt his arm so he can't go to Ocean Park with us. He will stay at school.' Everyone was happy but Jason was disappointed because he couldn't go to Ocean Park.

In the end, Jason felt sorry. Jason told the truth and said sorry to Miss Chan, so Miss Chan let him go to Ocean Park. He learnt that he shouldn't tell lies.



5A Lee Tsz Yau, Yoyo

Behaving in Public Places

I think good manners are very important. We should be polite to others and behave well in public.

In the restaurant, we shouldn't talk on the phone loudly because it is rude to disturb others. We should talk to the waiter politely. We shouldn't make a mess at the table because it is very rude! We should eat quietly.

In the cinema, we should wait patiently in the queue for tickets and snacks. We shouldn't talk loudly during the film. We shouldn't use our phones because the light will disturb others. We should put all our rubbish in the bins on our way out of the cinema.

If we have good manners, everybody will love us and we will stay away from all troubles.



5A Li Tsz Yin, Ada

A Journal

10th November, 2023

Friday

Yesterday, I had my birthday party at home. My family decorated the house. We put up the banner and some colourful balloons. It looked beautiful. My dad gave me a birthday present. It was a big robot. I liked it very much. I felt excited.

Then, I blew the candles and made a wish. My family sang songs and clapped their hands at the same time. Suddenly, my sister accidentally knocked down the robot.

The robot broke. I burst into tears. My sister was very worried. My father and mother comforted us.

In the end, my family went to a department store and bought a new robot. My sister said sorry to me. I forgave her. This was a fantastic experience.



5B Chen Chun Ip, Kelvin

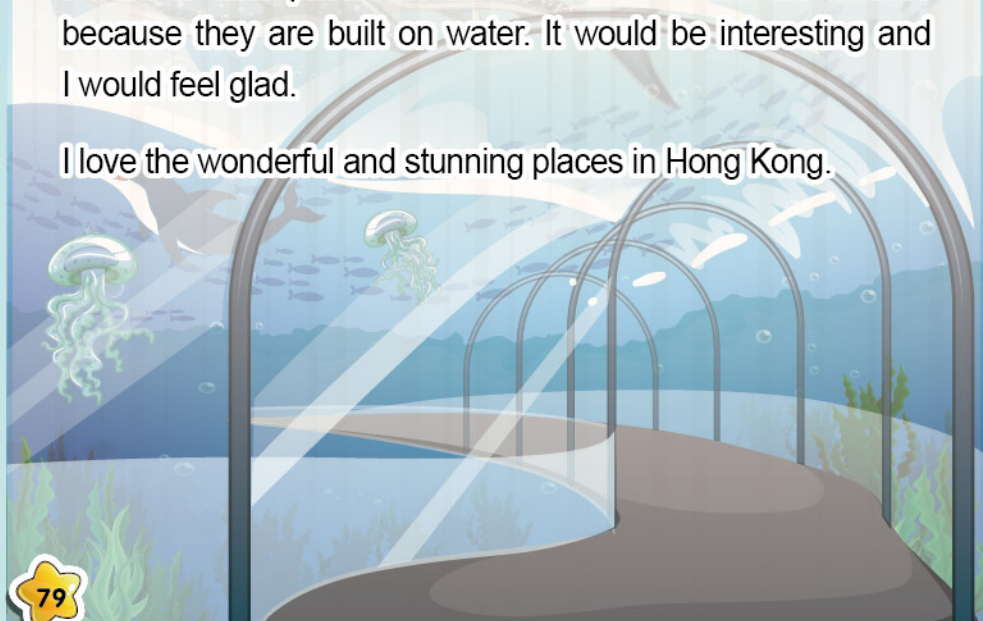
Interesting Places that I Like Most in Hong Kong

There are many interesting places in Hong Kong. I have visited Ocean Park and Disneyland. But I have never been to Tai O.

I have been to Ocean Park once. I visited the aquarium. There were sharks, fish, jellyfish and dolphins. It was fascinating. I took a ride on the Ferris wheel. It was very interesting. I went on the exciting rides. They went very fast. I also saw the giant pandas. The pandas were black and white. The pandas had huge black circles on their eyes. They were cute. It was interesting.

I have never been to Tai O. I want to visit the fishing village. I want to take photos of Tai O. I want to see the houses because they are built on water. It would be interesting and I would feel glad.

I love the wonderful and stunning places in Hong Kong.



5B Liao Jiang Yu, Seaman

An Accident

One rainy day, Pam and her little brother Joe were playing with a ball in the living room because it was rainy outside. They could not go to the park. All of a sudden, the ball hit a vase accidentally.

Their mum heard the sound and came out. She was very mad because it was Mum's favourite vase. Mum blamed Pam and Joe. They were sorry about it and they said, 'Sorry, Mum. We will never play with the ball at home. We will make a new vase and give it to you.'

After a while, Pam had a creative idea of upcycling. They used an old water bottle to make a new vase for Mum. First, they used a cutter to cut the lid off the water bottle. After that, they stuck stickers to decorate the vase. Finally, they put some flowers into the new vase.

In the end, they gave the plastic bottle vase to Mum. Mum was very happy and forgave them. Pam and Joe learned a lesson. They would never play with a ball at home again.



5B So Tsz Yeung, Alice

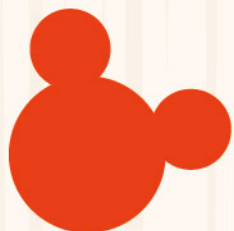
Interesting Places That I Like Most in Hong Kong

There are many interesting places in Hong Kong. I have visited Disneyland and the Hong Kong Museum of History. But I have never been to the Peak.

I have been to Disneyland twice. I first went there when I was five for my kindergarten graduation and went back to Disneyland again last April. I went Space Mountain. It was very scary! I visited the castle to see Ariel and Cinderella and took photos with them and many other cartoon characters. They were super beautiful and lovely! After a long day of playing in Disneyland, I went home. My day was loads of fun!

I have never been to the Peak but I hope someday I can go there so that I can visit the wax museum and ride on the Peak tram.

Overall, I think Hong Kong is a beautiful place to visit. Travelling around Hong Kong is loads of fun! I love Hong Kong.



5C Chung Ching Wing, George

My Birthday

Yesterday was my birthday. Mum and Dad decorated the house with a banner and some balloons. Dad gave me a robot. When I saw the robot, I felt very surprised because it is my favourite TV robot!

Then I closed my eyes and made a wish. Everybody clapped their hands. Suddenly, my sister dropped the TV robot. I heard the sound so I opened my eyes immediately.

When I opened my eyes, I was annoyed with my sister because my TV robot was broken into pieces! My sister felt very scared. Dad comforted her and said, 'Don't worry.'

My sister said sorry to me and told me that she would buy a new TV robot for me. I forgave her. Then I closed my eyes and made a wish again. Everybody clapped their hands and sang the birthday song to me. Finally, we ate the cake happily. We had a good time.

I hope my next birthday will be fun.



5C Ibe Prince Kelechi

Interesting Places that I Like Most in Hong Kong

There are many interesting places in Hong Kong. I have visited Ocean Park. But I have never been to Hong Kong Disneyland.

I have been to Ocean Park once. Even though we only went there once, we did lots of things. We went there during the Christmas holiday. We visited the aquarium. The sharks and fish were so cool! We took a ride on the cable car. The view was amazing! We also looked at the exotic animals such as sealions and axolotls. We went on the rides too. They were a bit scary, but also very exciting! We also went to a visitor centre. The staff explained to us how sea animals live, eat and sleep. It was very interesting!

I have never been to Hong Kong Disneyland. I hope I can go there soon. I want to go on the rides, watch the magic show and watch the firework displays there.

I love the interesting and beautiful places in Hong Kong.



5C Zhang Ruoxi, Rose

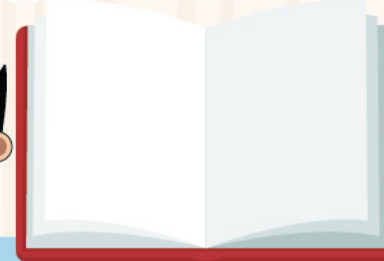
A Story About Jason

One day, Jason played online games until half past eleven at night. He was so happy that he didn't finish his homework. He came up with an idea to avoid doing his homework. Then he went to bed.

The next morning, he wrapped a bandage around his right arm and then went to school. When he arrived at the classroom, Miss Chan saw his arm and asked, 'What's wrong with your arm?' Jason answered, 'Yesterday I fell over when I was sweeping the floor. I broke my arm so I didn't do my homework. I'm sorry!' Jason lied to Miss Chan because he did not want Miss Chan to punish him.

In the afternoon, Miss Chan walked into the classroom and said, 'Today we're going to Ocean Park. Jason's arm got injured so he can't go and needs to stay in the classroom.' Jason was very disappointed.

In the end, Jason told Miss Chan the truth. Miss Chan told him that he shouldn't tell lies again. Then she took the class to Ocean Park. Everyone was happy. Jason learned a lesson that he shouldn't tell lies.



5D So Ting Lok, Gavin

A Story About Jason

One night, Jason played online games until 11:30 p.m. in his bedroom. He didn't do his homework but he didn't care.

The next morning, Jason went to school. He decided to lie to Miss Chan because he didn't want Miss Chan to be angry. Miss Chan saw the bandage on his arm and asked, "What's the matter?" Jason answered, "Last night, when I was sweeping the floor, I fell over and broke my arm. I couldn't do my homework." "I hope you will get well soon," said Miss Chan.

In the afternoon, Miss Chan said to the whole class, "Tomorrow we will go to Ocean Park. We will feed the animals and see the pandas. Jason broke his arm so he needs to stay at school." Jason felt disappointed but other classmates were very happy.

At the end, Jason decided to tell the truth. He told Miss Chan softly, "Sorry, I lied to you. I didn't break my arm. I played online games last night so I didn't do my homework." Miss Chan was shocked and angry. She said, "If you can do all the homework today, you can go to Ocean Park." Finally, he could go to Ocean Park. He was delighted.

After that day, Jason learnt he shouldn't lie to anyone. This is an important lesson in his life.

5D Yang Toyu, Tony

Interesting Places that I Like Most in Hong Kong

There are many interesting places in Hong Kong. I have visited Ocean Park but I have never been to the Peak.

I have been to Ocean Park twice. I first went there with my family when I was four and again when I was five. I visited the aquarium. There were many sea animals, such as jellyfish, sharks, octopuses and starfish. I enjoyed watching them because they were interesting. I also rode on the cable car and looked at the view. It was wonderful. After that, I saw the giant pandas. One of them was sleeping. They were very cute. Next, I played games in the game booths. I won a prize so I was excited.

I have never been to the Peak. I hope I can go there next month. I want to look at the view of Hong Kong and go shopping at the Peak Tower.

I love the interesting and fantastic places in Hong Kong.

5D Zeng Fanming, Eric

An Accident

Yesterday, Pam and Joe stayed at home because it was raining. They were bored so they played with a ball. Unluckily, the ball hit a vase on the table accidentally. They felt really shocked and scared because their mum would be angry.

At the same time, Mum heard the sound so she went out of her bedroom. She asked, "What happened?" Joe answered, "The ball hit the vase so it's broken." Mum felt annoyed. She blamed Pam and Joe, "Why did you break my favourite vase?" They said, "We're very sorry." They were very upset.

After that, Pam had an idea and she suggested, "We can make a new vase for Mum." Joe asked, "How do we make it?" Pam answered, "First cut the plastic bottle in half. Then decorate it with the heart-shaped stickers. Finally, put the flowers in it." Joe said, "OK, let's go to make it!"

In the end, Pam and Joe made a beautiful vase. They gave it to Mum. She was surprised and said, "What an amazing vase! Thank you." They felt glad.

After this incident, Pam and Joe learned that they shouldn't play ball games at home.



English Good Writing

Primary Six



6A Kan Yu Him, Eugene

A Picky Eating Princess

Once upon a time, there was a king who loved her princess, Ann. He ordered his chef to cook her all kinds of food. However, Ann was a picky eater so she wasted a ton of food. The chef warned Ann to stop the bad habit and have a balanced diet but she didn't listen to him.

One day, while Ann was having lunch, a fairy appeared suddenly. She told Ann not to waste food. She said, 'You shouldn't be a picky eater!' However, Ann turned a deaf ear. The fairy was mad at Ann so she cast a spell and turned Ann into a cow.

The fairy took Ann to a grassland and told her that she could only eat grass for the rest of her life. Since then, Ann ate grass every day. She hated it but she had no choice. When Ann saw the fairy again, she begged the fairy to turn her back into a girl. She said, 'I will stop being a picky eater and start eating healthy food.' The fairy knew Ann had learnt her lesson so she turned Ann back into a human.

In the castle, the chef found Ann had made some changes. He was over the moon. Ann learnt not to be a picky eater and she didn't waste any food anymore.



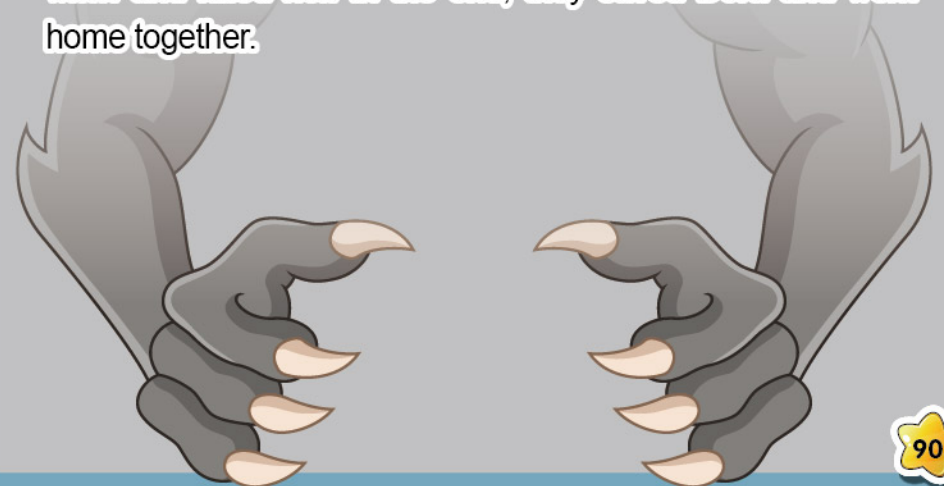
6A Wong Yu Hin, Ben

The NEW Boy Who Cried Wolf

A long time ago, there was a shepherd boy whose name was Peter. One day, Peter was bored so he made up a story and played tricks on the villagers. He shouted, 'Help! A wolf is here!' Some villagers went to Peter and planned to help him kill the wolf. Peter had a good laugh. The villagers were angry. His friend, Mark was disappointed with Peter.

One day, Peter told the villagers and Mark, 'My little sister Dora was caught by a witch.' The villagers turned a deaf ear and went away. They did not believe in Peter. Mark said, 'I can help you but you can't tell lies anymore.' Peter was pleased.

The next day, Peter and Mark went to the castle. Mark said, 'Let's save Dora and kill the wicked witch.' They went into the castle. The witch kept Dora in a dark room. They fought with the witch and killed her. In the end, they saved Dora and went home together.



6A Guo Donghao, Gerry

An Accident

Yesterday was a sunny day. My family and I planned to have a road trip. We were excited about it. However, on the way, while we were singing happily, it started to rain.

When we were near a hill on Shine Road, there was a landslide! I screamed loudly while my dad was trying to drive fast and escape from it. Suddenly, a huge rock hit our car. We were stuck on the road and we were terrified so Dad dialed 999 immediately. I was anxious so Dad and Mum comforted me gently. After a while, some firefighters and an ambulance arrived. The firefighters rescued us. It took a long time because we were trapped in the car. Then, they put me on a stretcher. The paramedic asked me, 'Are you alright?' I replied weakly, 'I am fine. Where are my parents?' She said, 'They are injured badly but they have just been saved. They have just got some first-aid treatments.' Then, we were sent to the hospital.

Fortunately, we were all rescued. When I saw my family, I burst into tears. I hugged them tightly. The doctor told us to rest at home for two weeks. That's an awful experience for me.



6B Lu Anna

Football Dream

Tom and his father were watching a football match at the stadium in the afternoon last week. It was exciting. The spectators cheered loudly for their favourite teams. The match was intense. Tom wanted to be a successful football player who wins the World Cup for his country when he grew up.

One day, while Tom was practicing with his teammates, he accidentally twisted his ankle and couldn't stop crying. His heart sank when he realized that his dream might not come true.

Fortunately, with the courage of Tom's football coach, he didn't give up. He listened to the doctor and practiced playing football after he recovered fully. He became stronger and stronger. Finally, he became a football player and won a World Cup trophy!

According to the world-famous inventor Thomas Edison, our greatest weakness lies in giving up. We should never say no to difficulties ahead. Instead, perseverance is the key to success.



6B Luo Shaopo, Potter

A Picky Eating Princess

Once upon a time, there was a picky-eating princess called Princess Ann who lived in a castle. At lunchtime, Princess Ann had a lot of food, like chicken, steak, salad, ham, and fruit but she didn't finish all of it. She wasted a lot of food.

Suddenly, a fairy appeared. She was very angry because Princess Ann wasted a lot of vegetables. The fairy cast a spell on Princess Ann. She turned into a cow which enjoyed eating grass. Princess Ann felt scared and she burst into tears. She said, "I am very ugly. Oh no!" Then, Princess Ann ate a lot of grass. Although she liked eating grass, she wanted to turn back into a human.

Princess Ann felt regretful because she was a picky eater at lunchtime. She learnt she shouldn't be a picky eater and she begged the fairy, "I won't be a picky eater anymore. Please turn me into a human." The fairy forgave Princess Ann and turned her into a human. Princess Ann learnt a lesson and the fairy was happy.



6B Perlado Jenna Lycel

The Boy Who Cried Wolf



A long time ago, there lived a young shepherd named Peter. He was a mischievous boy who often played tricks on the villagers in town whenever he was bored. Normally the tricks would be him screaming for help to make the villagers come to the hills when he watched over his sheep. Then the villagers would storm away in anger while he laughed at them with glee.

One day, the boy was bored as usual and planned the next trick to play on the villagers. He came up with an idea on how to get the villagers' attention. "Help! Help! There's a wolf! Please help!" the boy cried. The villagers rushed in and asked, "Where?" The boy laughed, "There's no wolf! Oh my! You are so stupid!" The boy cackled with delight. The villagers realized that there was no danger and stomped away in an annoying manner, except for the shepherd's brother. "Peter, if you're going to keep doing this, no one is going to believe you once you tell the truth." He sighed. Peter chuckled, "It's alright, Mark! I'll be alright!"

One day, the shepherd was laying down with his younger sister Dora. Suddenly, a strange witch approached the girl. Peter didn't notice the amount of danger his sister was in, until she was screaming for Peter. He tried to go after the witch but she vanished into the air in the blink of an eye. He was in disbelief that something like this would happen. He ran to the villagers. "You're just trying to play another trick on us! We won't fall for it." The villagers walked away except for Mark. "Dora? The witch took Dora? Oh no!" he gasped. "We should make a plan on how to get her back," Peter said worriedly. They both agreed and devised a strategy on how to get their sister back until midnight. Then they both went to bed.

The next day, Peter and Mark started preparing everything for the extraordinary adventure and set off for the forest by using a map which helped them to locate the witch's castle. "I believe this is the place where Dora was taken to," Mark said and pointed to a large and dark castle that sat at the edge of a cliff. They cautiously entered the castle's doors and walked through the pitch black, creepy and eerie hallways of the castle. Finally, they stumbled upon a door that they could hear Dora's cries from. They opened the door and saw her in a large cage in front of the witch. The witch turned around and laughed at them. "You are a bit too late, boys!" Mark ran towards the witch and started fighting with her. The witch dropped the key to the cage and Peter grabbed it immediately and started to unlock it and found Dora. The cage was successfully opened and she was out. They managed to get to the village safely. They were tired but relieved that Dora was unharmed. Peter finally learned his lesson in the end.

6D Xiao Xuan Ni, Nichole

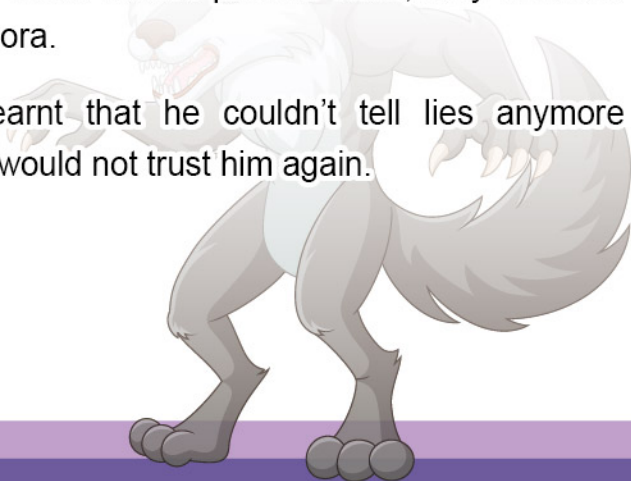
The NEW Boy Who Cried Wolf

One day, Peter went to the farm with some sheep. He thought it was boring so he shouted, "Help! There is a wolf!" Then, many villagers ran to the farm and wanted to help Peter. But there was no wolf. The villagers were very angry. Mark came and said, "Peter, please don't tell lies!"

After a while, Peter saw a witch catching a girl who had short hair. Peter was so scared and wanted to ask for help. So he shouted, "Help! A witch caught my friend Dora!" He ran in front of the villagers but they said, "We don't believe you anymore! There are no witches!" Then, Peter only went there with Mark.

Peter and Mark thought of a plan about how to save Dora. First, they stole in the witch's castle and found Dora. But they needed a key to open the door. So, they found the witch and the key was in the witch's pocket. Then, they stole the key and saved Dora.

Finally, Peter learnt that he couldn't tell lies anymore because people would not trust him again.



6D Zhang Tsz Mang, Jasmine

A Picky Eating Princess

A long time ago, a princess who was called Ann lived in a castle. Ann was a picky eater. She didn't eat meat.

Suddenly, a fairy appeared. The fairy said, 'You are wasting food!' Then, she cast a spell and turned Princess Ann into a cow.

After a while, Princess Ann was eating grass. She was regretful because the grass was terrible. After that, she begged the fairy to turn her back into a princess.

Finally, the fairy turned her back into a princess. Princess Ann didn't pick particular kinds of food to eat and she felt guilty for wasting food before.

After this incident, Princess Ann not only cherished food, but also told others not to waste food.



6D Zou Zilang, David

A Picky Eating Princess

One day, there was a princess named Ann in a palace. She was very picky about food since her childhood. Although there was a lot of food on the table, she didn't want to eat. There were vegetables, meat and fruit. This caused her to be very thin.

Suddenly, a fairy appeared. The fairy said angrily, 'Don't waste food!' The fairy cast a spell and turned Ann into a cow. The fairy brought Princess Ann to the grassland to eat grass. She was regretful. She begged the fairy, 'Turn me back into a human. I won't waste food.'

Finally, the fairy turned Princess Ann back into a human. Princess Ann was not a picky eater anymore. The fairy felt very glad. Princess Ann felt grateful.

At the end, Princess Ann learnt not to be a picky eater and knew how to cherish food.



6E Liu Selena

New: The Boy Who Cried Wolf

Once upon a time, on a sunny Monday morning, Peter, the shepherd was bored. He didn't want to do the same old things again and again every day – taking the sheep to the hilltop and then having a rest afterwards. Peter thought for a moment and muttered, 'Why not playing a trick on the villagers? That is a good idea! Let me have a try!'

Peter yelled loudly, 'Help! Help! There is a wolf!' The villagers stopped doing their work. They took their wooden sticks and rushed to the hilltop as quickly as they could, including Peter's best friend Mark. Peter saw the villagers standing in front of him. He roared with laughter, 'Oh! How stupid you are! It's just a prank for fun!' The cross villagers stomped off. Mark shook his head and said, 'Peter, don't tell lies. It is not good. No one will believe you anymore if you do so!' Peter didn't even care about what Mark said.

On a gloomy morning, Peter cried his eye out because his sister Dora was caught by a wicked witch. He begged the villagers, 'Please, can you help save my sister?' 'No, I bet this is another prank!' a villager roared. No one in the village believed Peter. Peter burst into tears. Only Mark believed him and comforted him.

The next day, Mark took Peter to the cliff. In front of them was an enormous castle. Mark whispered, 'The witch took Dora to this castle. Be careful and be quiet!' Peter was very nervous and frightened. He didn't know what to do. His blood ran cold. They crept into the castle through a window. Peter followed Mark to the door. Mark opened the door quietly. He did not want to make a noise. Inside there was a wand and a magic book. 'Why did you take me here?' asked Peter. Mark explained, 'You need this wand to save Dora. Look at the first page of the magic book.' Peter opened it. There was a spell to turn people into a mouse forever. The two boys learnt the spell very quickly. They rushed to another place. Through the glass window, they saw Dora in a wooden cage.

Peter opened the door and saw the wicked witch. They fought and fought. At the same time, Mark tried to open the cage. Unfortunately, Peter tripped and fell onto the floor. Mark was in a panic because the witch could catch and kill him easily when she heard him screaming. Mark then shouted, 'Wand! The wand!' Peter took out the wand and cast a spell. The witch was turned into a mouse – from then on till forever! Mark opened the cage and saved Dora. They escaped and ran as far as they could.

Finally, Mark, Peter and Dora returned to the village. The three of them felt pleased for what they had done. They were on cloud nine. Peter stopped smiling and looked at Mark sincerely, 'I'm sorry, my old friend, I shouldn't tell lies and risk your life. My heart goes out to all the people I have lied to.' Mark giggled, 'I'm glad that you know lying is not nice. I hope you will not do it anymore.'

Peter, Mark, Dora and their parents had a great feast. They were all very proud of Peter and Mark. They then lived happily ever after.

6E Xu Chung Yu, Sean

My Favourite Book

Adventures, they are awesome and kind of scary for people. Today, I would like to tell you about a book called 'The Axe Boy'. It's all about this boy who grows up super fast because he has many crazy adventures.

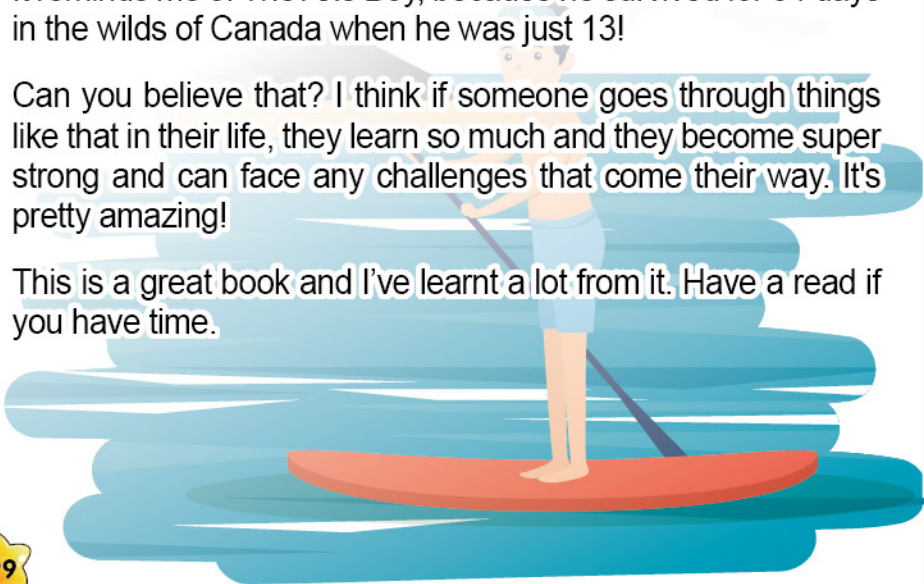
The writer writes in a way that makes you feel like you're right there with the characters. He actually talks about his own life in the book and how he thinks everyone should have a reason and be brave enough to survive.

So, it reminds me the piece of news I watched on TV that a man got into trouble in the sea while doing stand-up board paddling last week. He had been floating for about 20 hours, drifting from Mainland China to Hong Kong. It was horrible but he didn't give up and finally he got saved.

It reminds me of The Axe Boy, because he survived for 54 days in the wilds of Canada when he was just 13!

Can you believe that? I think if someone goes through things like that in their life, they learn so much and they become super strong and can face any challenges that come their way. It's pretty amazing!

This is a great book and I've learnt a lot from it. Have a read if you have time.



6E Zhang QiXiang, Eric

A New Festival

Have you ever noticed that children are becoming less interested in traditional Chinese food? It is crucial for Hong Kong children to have opportunities to get in touch, understand and pass on Chinese traditions.

I would like to create a Chinese Traditional Cuisine Festival, which can raise student's interests in traditional food. At this festival, students need to prepare specific dishes, such as Dim Sum and Dongpo Pork. They have to bring it back to school and share it with their classmates. Through hands-on learning experience, children can learn knowledge in an engaging way. It also provides a platform for children to share their cooking experiences and promote Chinese traditional cuisine.

This festival not only offers a delightful culinary experience but also provide a glimpse into China's rich cultural heritage. Exploring these dishes allow us to appreciate the flavors, symbolism, and traditions that make Chinese cuisine so unique and cherished.

