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The Mysterious Door

Once on a cold day, a girl named Jasmine was walking down her school's hallway. She walked down that hallway a million times, but today she saw a mysterious door. She tried to open the door, but it didn't open. Suddenly, it opened and then she went inside the door and found a world inside the door which was made from candy. She kept on walking and after some time she saw some people coming towards her. They were not humans, they were zombies who were trying to eat Jasmine. When the zombies came closer to her, she started running towards the mysterious door, to get out of the candy world, but Jasmine could not find the way to the mysterious door she had entered from. Finally, she found the door and came back to the hallway and as soon as she closed the door, the door disappeared behind her and she was left completely shocked.



Aadya Bajaj

5 C

An Eye For an Eye Will Make the World Blind



The world is a beautiful planet that has a lot of trees and creatures, but there is a famous proverb by Mahatma Gandhiji, "An eye for an eye will make the world blind". This means that if a boy punches another boy, and that boy punches back; then both boys will get hurt. This will cause a serious problem because the whole world will start doing the same.

There are reasons for conflicts, but if I had a choice to agree or to disagree, whether they should be fighting or not. I would disagree. People fight and don't keep peace between themselves. One day there will be a 'Hatred Earth' and we all will be sad because of what we have done to our earth. My explanation for conflicts is that people fight for small reasons and they don't keep peace. Sometimes people fight for serious things and sometimes they don't resolve the conflicts between themselves.

If all the people will fight in the world, then there will be a lot of noise pollution on our planet and that's not a good thing. In my opinion, the world could be destroyed due to so much noise pollution.

The solution would be that you should work with peace and kindness; stop taking too much stress whenever you fight, calm yourself or start to count from one to ten. There can be more solutions for conflicts and one of those could be stopping fights all around the world by talking gently and politely so that there are no misunderstandings and conflicts don't occur. We would be happy because no fight equals no issue, and to achieve this everyone should take a pledge to make this world a better and noise free place.

Aneesha Sehgal

5 E

Poem On My Childhood

Poem on my childhood
The most enjoyable period in one's life,
Is the exciting childhood life.
There is so much time to play,
And also make things with clay.
We make many friends,
And chat away to no end.
There is no need to worry,
Or to be in a hurry.
There is no tension,
Nor a problem to mention.
Such a quiet pleasant life,
Is the wonderful childhood life.
There is no need to carry loads,
Or work day in and out laying roads.
But a much simpler job - Studying,
Which is the only short cut for prospering.
Oh! Childhood, I am on cloud nine,
Which I will surely miss down the line.
So friend, enjoy childhood from the core of your heart,
But without neglecting the studies as that is your part.

Arnav Verma

4 A

Childhood Days

Childhood days are the golden days.
To remember them there are many ways.
Close your eyes I'll tell you why ,
You'll see your childhood flashing by.
It is nice to remember all we have done ,
All the joys and all the fun.
Let us cherish all those years ,
But please do not shed any tears.
The best time , and the years of life ,
It is the childhood of everyone's life.

Saamia

4 D





Make It Rain!

Pollution has become a constant danger to our health today. If it's not the Diwali crackers, it's the crop burning, forest fires or even dust storms in Rajasthan. Our city gets blanketed by a haze and people put on their masks -while children are told not to play outside. Everyone faces health problems.

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I wish our government too would consider using this as a solution to solve our never ending pollution woes.

Arhaan Nehra

4 E

What Freedom Means To The Learners Of Grade 3E

Freedom to me is freedom from unnecessary wars happening in the world and losing freedom fighters in them

- Tanzeel Islam

Freedom to me is reading alone without being disturbed

- Trinay Sharma

Freedom for me is to avoid eating boring food- **Vyom Sharma.**

Freedom to me is not being locked within the four walls of the house, but to do what I wish to do- **Rabaan Singh Mehta**

***Editor's Note** - On the occasion of India's Independence Day, the learners were asked to reflect and write what freedom meant to them. The reflections ranged from serious to amusing!*

Clever Cat and Lazy Cat

Once upon a time, there was a pair of identical twin cats. The first cat's name was Alex and the second one was known as Lilly. Alex was clever, and Lilly was lazy. They both lived next to the King's palace. One day the king's crown was stolen. The King said, "The one who catches the thief and returns my crown, will get a reward of 5 lakh rupees." Everybody got to work trying to look for the crown and catch the thief, but could not catch him. The clever cat Alex said to Lilly, "Come on let's catch the thief." The lazy cat said, "Ok! but I will lie down behind the tree. I am tired." That night the clever cat, Alex set a trap. He kept some shiny stones near the tree and right below it he kept a trap. He then hid behind the tree. The thief came and saw something shining and he said, "I need to take that with me," As soon as he touched the stones, he got caught in the trap. The next day the king was surprised to see the cats with the thief. He asked them who had caught the thief. Alex told the King the entire story. The King was very happy and instead of just giving Alex five lakh rupees, he asked him to live with him. Alex started living in the palace with the King while Lilly was left outside.

Moral: Doing nothing will not help you. Helping others will always be good for you.



Sanchi Anand

4 B

My Mom

She is strong as a lioness,
Beautiful as a princess.
Her food is the best,
She is smarter than the rest.
She gives me gifts,
That's why she is a super it.
She brings a smile on my face,
Beautiful is her grace.
In anything she is never late,
In her heart there is no hate.
She is a great mother, woman and wife.
Life with her, is no strife

Ganeev Chadha

5 E

Be a Changer

The Earth is in danger,
It is time to be a changer.
Stop Global Warming,
This is a warning.
Stop throwing trash,
We must save the Earth in a flash.
Reuse, recycle and reduce,
Stop animal abuse.
The future does not look bright,
Saving the Earth is our right.
Do not pollute,
Give the Earth a big salute.
It is time to find the solution,
Before it is too late to take action.
The Earth is in danger,
It is time to be a changer.



Manjari Shukla

5 C





I Remember

I remember, I remember
The house where I was born, but
that was not long,
But that was not long, When I
grew up along,
My mother reminds me of it,
And I also remember it a bit.



I remember, I remember
I used to play with baby toys,
which filled me with happiness and joy
But now I like technology more,
Especially my PS4
And I like to explore,
In google and more.

I remember, I remember
When my sister came along,
We both became the crowns,
Of our loveable family,
Who take care of us, through our ups & down.

I remember, I remember
Enough of the past, life went so fast
Now I'm 10 years old, and I'm strong and bold
I love my childhood, so far so good

Tanmayi Monga
4 C

Tigers

Do you know about the tigers
Who roam around like ligers?
Looking for animals to eat,
Tasty and full of meat.
Going to warn his family,
About the hunter Corbett Manley.
Scaring animals with claws,
And with load roars and haws.

Look at his sharp teeth,
Which he uses to eat meat,
Though he is very small,
He can destroy a big hall.
They are very bold,
And don't want gold.
They cannot be killed,
Because for that you have to
be skilled.



Ranvir Bhasin
5 B

'If I could Talk to Animals'

I would be overjoyed if I could learn the language of the animals. Then it would not be a trouble to keep guessing what an animal was trying to communicate to me.

I love pets and have quite a few at home. When I am studying and my pet dog comes and stares at me with soulful eyes, I wonder if he is sad, hungry or wants me to pamper him!

When I stand and watch my aquarium, all the fish in it come towards me. When I move my fingers around on the glass, they follow. I wonder if they are delighted to see me or just demanding their fish food!

My pet parrot keeps chirping in a loud voice throughout the day and more so when someone comes visiting. I wonder if he wants some-thing or is just plain jealous!

If I could talk to animals, I could communicate so much too them -that they should not worry too much about the sound of construction or the loud honking of a truck.

When I would go to the forests, I would be able to understand the meaning of the roar of the Lion, whether he has lost his way or he is hungry or his cub is lost! The chirping of the birds, the yell of the Jackals and the hiss of the snake would all communicate to me what is it that they are saying - whether they are frightened, hungry or aggressive.

To conclude, I have always dreamt that when I grow up, I would invent a machine which could understand the language of the animals and could communicate it to us human beings.

Pranav Gupta
5 E



My Last Summer Vacation Abroad

On sixteenth of June, my Grandparents and I took a midnight flight from Delhi to Frankfurt and then all the way to London. We checked into Novotel Hotel located at Lambert Road, on the bank of Thames River. We took a cruise on Thames River. We visited Trafalgar Square, Buckingham palace, British Parliament, London Bridge and we also took a ride on the London-eye.

Then we travelled to Edinburgh, in Scotland where we visited the Royal Castle, Old-High School and other beautiful places.

Our third journey was to Zurich in Switzerland. We stayed with the family of a friend of my grandfather. We visited Richen river fall and also some other wonderful places.

After our Switzerland visit, we proceeded to Genova in Italy, where we visited the house of Christopher Columbus and the famous fish aquarium. We also visited an old place of worship.

The vacation was absolutely wonderful!

Vansh Bhardwaj,
2 A



The Investiture Ceremony

The investiture ceremony was a very memorable and proud moment for me. I along with all the council members of the school practiced many times for the march past. Ajay Sir and Neeti Ma'am came to see our preparation for the march past. After we had practiced marching, we trained for taking the oath. So, when Anandam Das Sir, our Academic Director took our names, we marched towards him and accepted to be what we were chosen to be. When my turn came, I marched forward and said "I WILL SIR" to accept my position of the house prefect of Faith house. Neeti Ma'am congratulated me when she attached the badge on my chest. I felt very proud when everyone clapped for me. I also got to know the other council members of the school. I had lots of fun in the investiture ceremony and will try my best to deliver my duties responsibly throughout the year.



Ronit Anand
5 C

Save Water: Now or Never

Today water is a major problem in the whole world. If we don't take a step to save it today, very soon we will also face the same problem which Cape Town is going through.

They don't have water to drink. And if we do not alert the people of Delhi, will be without water by the year 2030. As per the BBC reports Bangalore will be the next Cape Town and many more Indian cities to follow. So it's now or never. *Let's take a pledge to save water.*

Most important, plant trees and take responsibility for its care. We must save trees and grow those plants which help in balancing our environment, so that nature's balance remains intact and the water cycle is not disturbed, which means rainfall is not affected. Besides this, we must collect rain water and reuse it.

We must use mugs and buckets for washing cars and taking a bath. Water leakage should be checked immediately. We should also save our water bodies like ponds, lakes, river, seas, oceans etc. I have noticed in my own school, almost everyone takes a full glass of water and later wastes half of it. Even when we attend parties, we just drink a sip from a bottle and waste the rest of it. We must to stop this bad habit and even ask our parents to follow. Another very important thing which I have noticed is that the water tanks in our homes keeps overflowing, so we should have an electric bell as a warning signal. I have one in my home and I hope you all will all have one too.

We can reuse water discarded from RO water purifiers and air conditioners. It can be easily used for cleaning purpose. I request you all to *PLEASE SAVE WATER*. Even if a glass of water is saved by all, I think an entire days water can be saved.

It's Now or Never.

Aadhya Wadhwa
4 C

Friends

There lived a squirrel,
Upon a tall tree.
It had some friends,
One, two and three.
They bought for her
A very big gift.
But it was too heavy,
For them to lift.

Nivriti Agarwal

(with Nani)

1 B

IF I AM LOST IN THE SPACE.....

If I am lost in the space, I will feel bit scared. But it will be fun too. I will see many planets like Mars, Jupiter, Venus, Saturn, Mercury. I will see many stars. I will also see the moon, sun and earth. I might see an alien or an astronaut. Very politely I will ask them for help. I will ask the astronaut "Will you please take me back to the Earth in your space rocket." Then I will go back to Earth with him. It will be a nice experience. I will tell about my experience to my parents.

Ishanvi Lakhotia

1 B





“Cronus the Digital Adventure”

It was 2nd September when I downloaded a game named “Cronus”. My siblings had come to celebrate my birthday at my house. After they had kept their gifts, I called them to play the game. After the game loaded, we selected the 3-player mode because we were three brothers. Then we selected our characters. I chose “Typhon”. My siblings chose “Jack” & “Zeus”. As we started the game, we got sucked physically into the game. It happened so fast that I could not see or feel anything. When we landed on the platform, we heard a voice that told us how we could get out of this game. We had to get past three stages that would test our thinking & fighting skills.



Stage 1

We started in a dark forest. It was very dark, so we took Zeus’s lightning bolt as a torch to see. While we were walking, the bush behind us moved. Suddenly a lion like creature jumped out. I was scared out of my wits, so I teleported out of the jungle, leaving Jack & Zeus behind. Then I began to feel a little lonely and I learnt two things, First: I could teleport! Second: The true value of teamwork. So, I teleported back there and killed the creature. I also teleported us out of the jungle.

Stage 2

We ended up in a dark cave. The cave was a maze. Using our minds, we completed the maze.

Final stage

The final stage was all black. We had to enter our real names. After we had done that, the ground started shaking and a scary creature came out! It started attacking us. I got furious and I had a huge battle against it. Then I remembered that I could teleport so, I finished it once and for all.

Finally we came out of the game. We hugged each other and deleted the game immediately. It was the scariest experience I’ve ever had, but it taught me the true value of teamwork.

Soumya Bhangar

5 A

Time Machine

See I am travelling through time,
I’m doing some experiments online.
I’m inventing things for my safety,
So that I return as a celebrity.
My first destination,
Will surprise the whole nation.

I am going to Mesozoic Era,
With lots of euthanasia.
Dinosaurs are want I want to see,
Whether they like to eat candy.
I will make many dinosaur friends,
I will not relieve their names otherwise my rivals will trend.

Now it’s time for the future,
I think it will harm nature.
2050 is where I’m going,
To see the time machine whooshing.
It’s going to be cool,
Just wait until and see who will rule.

Ranvir Bhasin

5 B

The Girl With The Long Blonde Hair

The girl with the long blonde hair
She wears a football dress,
She is certainly not me
The girl with the long blonde hair.

She was a grateful swan
But she left at dawn,
She sparkled like the sun on the sea
The girl with the long blonde hair.

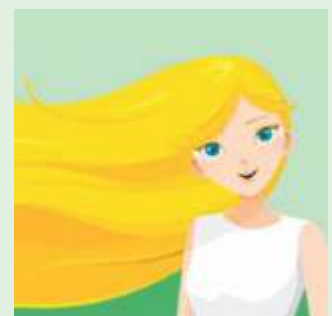
She was a package of talent
She said she was this, was that
She said she will come in a minute
She never came back. Her talent was left with me

She never got a chance to become the queen

The girl with the long blonde hair.

Ivana

4 B





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Arhaan Nehra

4 E

Grammar

In second standard,

We are learning grammar pattern.

It's a town of nouns and pronouns,

Verbs make them go around,

Adjectives make their personality found.

Articles are amusing,

We have to do the right choosing.

Sometimes above and sometimes under,

Prepositions make me wonder.

There are many synonyms of a word,

Some we have not even heard.

Antonyms and synonyms never listen to each other,

But still they call themselves brothers.

Punctuations are our expressions,

Full stop, comma and a mark for a question

There are many grammar topics we are going to learn,

Which will make grammar more fun.

Aahna Sadh

2 A

My Big Brother - Ankit Bhaiya

My Brother is strong,
He can't go wrong,
He helps me in my studies,
I have no worries.
He is tall, handsome, sturdy
Brainy , fun and my best buddy.
He runs to pick me up from my
school bus stop,
And never lies to me.
When I get tired,
He carries me on his shoulders atop
He studies hard but remains playful,
Helps me with my homework , never says no.
I wish him good luck and love him a lot .



Anya Aggarwal

2 A

Animals Are The Best

Animals are the best
As they are our special guests,
Animals are our best friends
With them our gloomy day comes to an end,
Animals are the best
They cheer us up before a test
Animals are dangerous
But they look gorgeous.

Aksheeti Chetia

5 B





Own Up To Your Mistakes

This story is about a girl named Richa who was a much pampered girl. Whenever her parents went to the market, they bought her various toys, more than what she really needed. One day when she entered her classroom, she saw everybody gathered around her best friend, Tina. Richa went closer and found that Tina had an imported pen and was getting everyone's attention in the class. Richa got a little jealous and felt left out. During assembly, Mrs. Ramachandra, Richa's class teacher, asked Richa to bring a piece of chalk from the class. Although it was very dark in the class, Richa could see Tina's bag. She peeped into the bag and spotted the pen and flicked it. Then she quickly grabbed the chalk that was on Mrs. Ramachandra's desk and went back to join in the assembly.

Richa couldn't sleep well that night. She had kept Tina's imported pen under her pillow and thought about what she had done. Next morning during the first period, Tina was surprised to find her pen missing. She complained to Mrs. Ramachandra about her pen being lost. Mrs. Ramachandra was very upset and asked the class if anybody has seen the missing pen. Finally Richa couldn't take it anymore and told her teacher that she was the person behind the missing pen.

Mrs. Ramachandra calmly told her that she was very proud of Richa for being brave and admitting her mistake. Richa couldn't believe her ears. Mrs. Ramachandra advised Richa to return Tina's pen and apologize to her. Richa did what Mrs. Ramachandra said and she never repeated this mistake again.

Moral: Always be honest and own up to your mistakes

Adwita Singh

2 A

Save Food - Feed the Hungry

Food wastage is wrong on so many counts. Where the extra food could have been used to feed the under nourished, its wastage also adds to the environmental hazards as most of the food ends up in landfills.

10.7% of the world population is under nourished, while in India 14.5% of the population is under nourished. 1 in 4 children in India are malnourished. Isn't it time for us to wake up and take some steps to prevent this?

These simple steps can help us do that:

1. The 'Best Before' date on every product is not actually its expiry - please use your judgment before discarding these.
2. Food Banks need to be accessible. This is where all the extra food from homes, institutions, restaurants and events can be sent to be distributed amongst the needy.
3. Food Distribution centres in every 10 kilometers radius so that the needy can have easy access to them.
4. We should try to not waste food in our plates - take as much as you need and go back for a second helping.
5. Food close to the expiration date in grocery stores should be given to the needy free of cost.

If we come together and take a vow not to waste food, I believe that hunger and malnourishment can be reduced in the world.

Arhaan Nehra

4 E



Sportsmanship: True Essence of Life

Good Sportsmanship is very important aspect of the game. All those who like sports should have the spirit of true sportsmanship in them. It consists of all which is good in human nature. It is not only the understanding about sports and rules, but also about the commitment to play fair and have respect for the opponents. A true sportsman takes the entire team along and does not focus only on his or her success.

Children like us learn sportsmanship from our elders, especially from our parents and coaches. Displaying sportsmanship is more important than winning or losing.

Rishit Kanodia

3 C

One Day I Dreamt

One day, I dreamt that the sun and the moon were friends.

They both came together.

The weather was pleasant.

It was neither too hot nor too cold.

It was so good, I wish it would hold

Vedant Jain

2 D





Three Best Friends And The Magic Door

There were three best friends: Vansh, Ronit and Isaac. They were in Vansh's office. When they were sitting in the office, suddenly a magic door appeared. They tried to open it but it didn't open, it was locked. Suddenly the door automatically opened. They entered through the door into another office named Dude Perfect. They saw some people there. Their names were Tyler, Cody, Garrett, Cory and Coby and were collectively known as the Team Dude Perfect. Vansh described what had happened and Dude Perfect team told them that the magic door actually belonged to them. The three best friends were amazed on hearing that. Then they went back to Vansh's office and found that the door had miraculously disappeared. They kept wondering if it was a dream or was it a reality.



Vansh Arora
5 A

The Best Thing Ever

While i was going somewhere,
I found a pigeon feather in the air.

Then i picked it up,
And put it in a cup.

An idea came into my mind,
To write with the feather i did find.

I bought a sheet,
and was trying to make it neat.

I was trying to write like olden times,
But i was confused with their signs.

When I had finished,
I waited for a minute.

I was waiting for it to dry,
And i was very shy.
It was looking very beautiful,
But it was untidy as usual.

Kashvi Kothiyal
5 A



The Lost Wallet

Last night when we were returning from a function, my father's wallet fell down. He did not even realize it! When we reached home he found that his wallet was missing from his pocket. So he slept without keeping the wallet in the cupboard. He got worried. The next morning there was a call on his phone of a man who had found my father's wallet! He told us that he had found my father's visiting card in the wallet and he had called us from the number written on the card. We all were very happy and planned to give him a gift. When he came in the afternoon, my father thanked him and gave him the gift, but he refused to accept it. We thanked him again and he went away. I will never forget this incident.

Honesty is the best policy
(based on true event)

Diva Vikrant Singh
5 A

My Baby Alligator

I Have a Baby Alligator
That Is Scared To Step Into The Elevator !!

The Elevator Is Brown
It Goes Up And Down.
But My Baby Alligator Is Scared To Go In The Elevator !!!

The Elevator Makes No Noise
My Life Is Full Of Joys.
But Still!!! My Baby Alligator Is Scared To Go In The Elevator !!!!

So Hey ! My Alligator ! Let's leave the elevator and take the escalator !!!

Vivaan Mathur
4 B





The Wizard Student



Once upon a time there was a wizard who knew all about magic spells. The wizard's name was Driligent. He had a servant whose name was Loaf. Loaf wanted to learn magic from his master but his master was not convinced of his capabilities. One day Driligent went out to the market to buy a list of things. He told Loaf to fill the dry well in his house with water. After Loaf heard his work he got a plan to make his work easier and fun. After Driligent had left, Loaf went to search for the spell book that his

master always used. He found the book and started searching for a magic spell that would make the buckets alive and work for him. He spoke out the spell while waving the spare magic wand his master had kept. After the buckets came alive Loaf asked them to get water from the river and put it in the well. The buckets started to work when Loaf thought of taking a nap. Not long after the well was full with water. The buckets still did not stop working and the water started spilling and filling the house. When the water reached Loaf, he woke up and saw that the house was getting filled with water. He told the buckets to stop but they did not listen, so he took a hammer and broke the buckets, yet they joined themselves as they were magical. He went to the spell book and started to search for a spell which could make live things lifeless, but he could not find one. Then suddenly his master appeared, Driligent saw the mess and took out his wand and made all the water vanish even from the well. He had to give Loaf a punishment for this. So Driligent gave Loaf a small punishment which was to fill the well with water without magic. Driligent also told Loaf that from then on, he would be his student and learn about magic. When Loaf grew up he became a great wizard and remained grateful to his master for his entire life.



Myra Maheshwari
5 A

The Church at Auvers

Vincent Van Gogh was born in Netherlands. He started painting at the age of 27. He died at the age of 37. He became only famous after his death. He was a very poor artist and he had neither food nor money. I like him because he never stopped painting even though he had no food or money.

Some of his famous paintings are Starry Night, Café terrace at Night, Sunflowers, The Church at Auvers and his many self- portraits.

I have reproduced one of his famous paintings 'The church at Auvers,' but I have used my own bright colours in it.



Parthav Jindal
2 D

IB-PYP Early Years and the Importance of Play

The PYP is the appellation used for the Primary Years Programme of the IB. It is a holistic programme, child centric in nature, where the early learners are actively engaged in their learning and take its ownership. Play is the essence of childhood and comes intuitively to children. They learn best at play. IB recognizes its immense importance and value in all learning areas of early childhood. Research has it that optimal learning happens in a child when he/she is young, as in that stage the brain is programmed to benefit from all learnings experiences.

Keeping the above in mind IB treats play as a key factor in fostering learning in children. Rather than treating it as just a means of entertainment, IB uses it as an instrument which helps mentors to strategize, teach, assess and plan for the young learners. IB recognizes that 3-5 year olds are imaginative, resourceful and perceptive individuals who need stimulating experiences to make sense of the world around them. Play provides a plethora of such experiences for them. It encourages the early learners to develop social, cognitive, psychomotor, language and critical thinking, skills. It also provides an emotional scaffolding. Through play, children learn to express themselves, regulate their thoughts and form an understanding of the world they live in. They create games, role plays and other engagements while playing. They learn all the while by doing this and draw on their experiences and learnings to handle situations and solve problems in later life.

To facilitate these learnings experience, the IB brings play right into the classrooms. It plans situations, provocations, classroom settings, resources and materials, which results in responses leading to immense learning of various types. The teachers play a key role as she observes children at play. She carefully documents their interests, styles, needs and patterns. In addition she finds out their strengths and areas which need to be worked upon. She also uses play to assess every learner. Based on her observations she plans further curricula and learning experiences to enrich and optimize learning.

Learning in IB is based on inquiry. IB learners strive to be inquirers who "develop their natural curiosity. They acquire the skills necessary to conduct inquiry and research and show independence in learning". MTPYPH-pg 42.

If parallels are drawn between the two, play and inquiry are similar and intertwined. In either scenario the child is playing. During play, a child intuitively explores, inquires and tries to find answers to the questions he has formed; along the way the child learns concepts and skills. It is the most enjoyable and developmentally suitable approach to teaching. To make play more relevant and meaningful the PYP advocates reflection, which follows play and is an essential part of inquiry. It enables students to think about their learning and draw inferences. This also helps them to take charge of their learning and have a voice in it.

Learning through play lays a strong foundation for all future learning and development. Play is emerging to be a hugely significant instrument in the learning- teaching world and IB acknowledges this whole heartedly.

Alka Sarkar
Head Pre Primary



Artists at Genesis



Prayan Sharma 2C



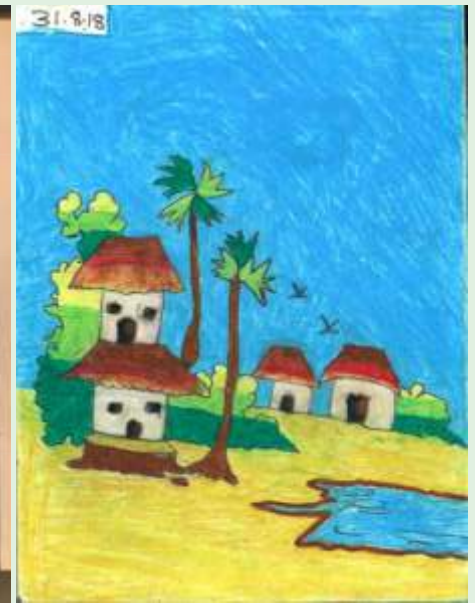
Shawhen 2A



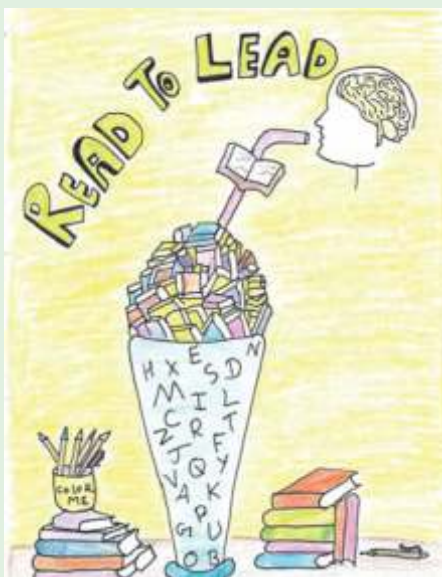
Ramya 2B



Avijaya Singh 2D



Aryama 2B



Priyanshi Singhal 4D



Hridaan Bhasin 2D



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Arnav Verma 4A



Prarthana 4 B



Nirvan Janapala 2A



Rashmi Nair 2D



Dhruv 2A



Arya Nur D