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Twin day



Fun day



STEAM Fair



CBS EVENTS

FUN DAY, TWIN DAY & STEAM FAIR



The month of December brought two exciting events for the staff and students of CBS. The first was our annual Fun Day. This event is always heavily anticipated, and this year was no exception. Students were able to test their skills in a variety of games and activities including darts, soccer, ring toss, bouncing castle and football to name a few. All that energy expended meant eating some of the delicious food provided by several local merchants. All in all, Fun Day was once again a rousing success and certainly lived up to its name.

The second event was twin day. teachers and students teamed up with a partner and came dressed alike. As you can see from the photos, some real creativity was displayed in their choice of costumes. Hats off to all those who participated!

The last week of January ended with a **STEAM** fair organized by our students. Everyone enjoyed the opportunity to explore a wide variety of exhibits and parents were inspired by curriculum-linked STEAM activities presented by our beloved students. Within this developing environment, where robotics, artificial intelligence and virtual reality will be the new reality, it is essential that more pupils, from a very young age, engage with and are excited by STEAM.

Poetry is an art form that has been around for centuries. Poetry can be used to tell stories or inspire people. Many famous authors and poets have said that poetry is one of the most important forms of expression. So why is poetry so important? There are many reasons, but here are just a few.

Poetry has the power to touch our hearts and minds as well as helping us express ourselves in a healthy and cathartic way. It can be a great outlet for our emotions and help us communicate our feelings in a safe and non-judgmental way. Writing poetry can also be a great way to process our thoughts and feelings about difficult life experiences.

In addition, by exploring the emotions and experiences of others, poetry can help us better understand our feelings and motivations. Through the various images and metaphors used in a poem, we can gain a deeper understanding of the author's perspective. Therefore, poetry can be an invaluable tool for personal and global understanding.

There are no limits to what you can write about. You can play around with words and phrases, experiment with different meters and rhyme schemes, and let your imagination run wild. It also teaches you how to use words sparingly. In order to create a beautiful poem, you need to be able to express what you want to say in as few words as possible. This forces you to choose your words carefully and think about what you want to convey. This will help you learn how to express yourself more clearly and concisely.

Regardless of its purpose, poetry has the ability to inspire. Whenever you need a pick-me-up or some motivation, you can turn to your favourite poetry books. There's something about the beauty of words and the power of storytelling that just always seems to speak. Poems have always been a way to step outside of yourself and see the world from a different perspective. When you read a poem, you are transported to another time and place and can see the world through the eyes of the poet. This can be both exciting and uncomfortable, but it is always instructive.

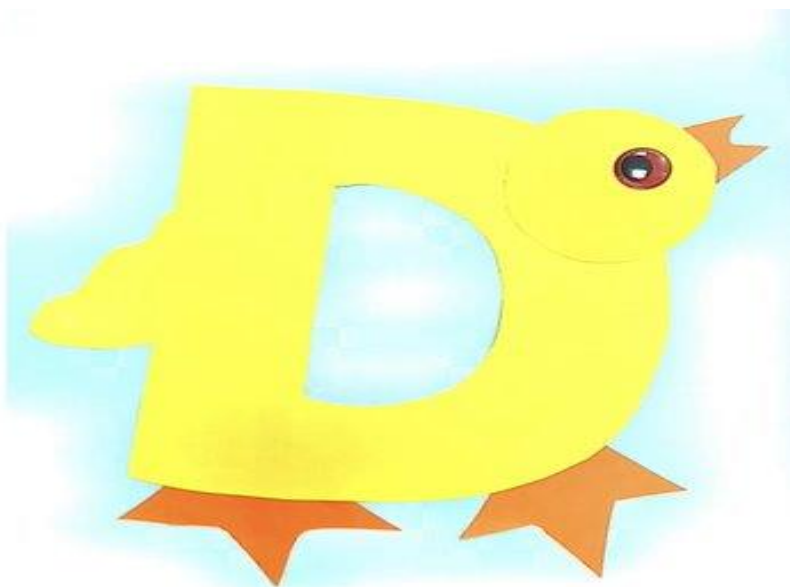
In conclusion, poetry is important because it helps us process the world around us. It allows us to see things in a new way and to better understand ourselves and our relationships.

This month's edition you will see our elementary and middle school students writing acrostic and other forms of poems. This edition is also special as our CBS students, of middle and high school, contributed to design for the first time. We hope that you will enjoy their efforts. Happy reading!

Ms. Henna

Editor-in-Chief





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Shahad Rasman Mubarak
PK 1











phonics

Name EISSAH **Eissah Jk1**









CVC words

Use the words in the box to spell the CVC words below.

mud	fin	cot	lid
nap	jet	mom	dad

			
c o t	j e t	d a d	m u d
			
n a p	j e t	m o m	f i n

Write the missing letter in each word.







	c _ t		l _ d
	_ e t		n _ p
	d a _		m _ m
	m _ d		f i _

Eissa Zaid Al Zaid
JK 1

Name Abdullah Jaber Date _____

JK 2 CVC

Read the words. Color the pictures and write the words.

tap		<div>tap</div>
fox		<div>fox</div>
bag		<div>bag</div>
box		<div>box</div>
mug		<div>mug</div>
kit		<div>kit</div>

Abdullah Jaber Al Enezi
JK 2











Name Salman





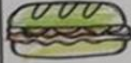



CVC Words

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dog	ten	rub	leg
rob	wax	dip	sub

			
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<div>wax</div>	<div>dip</div>	<div>rub</div>	<div>sub</div>

Write the missing letter in each word.

	ten		ru _
	rob		d _ p
	su _		w _ x
	leg		do _

Salman Shehab Al Jarallah
JK 3

Hansel and Gretel 02-01-2023

Hessah 1A



Once upon a time, there was a boy named Hansel and a girl named Gretel.

Their dad took them to the forest. Hansel and Gretel were lost and they started crying. They found the candy house and went inside. The witch put Hansel

in a cage. Gretel gave him lots of food to make him fat. Gretel pushed

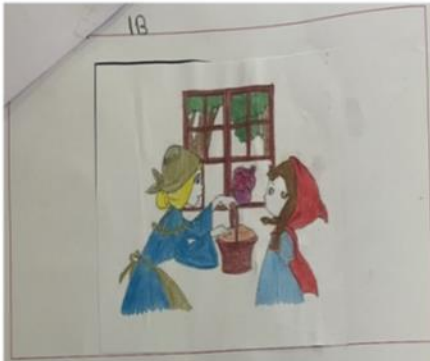
the witch into the oven. Hansel and

Gretel went home. They lived happily

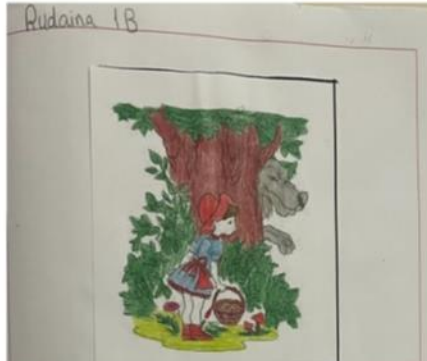
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Once upon a time there lived a girl her name was Little Red Riding Hood one day she went to to her grandma. She took a basket of cookies with her.



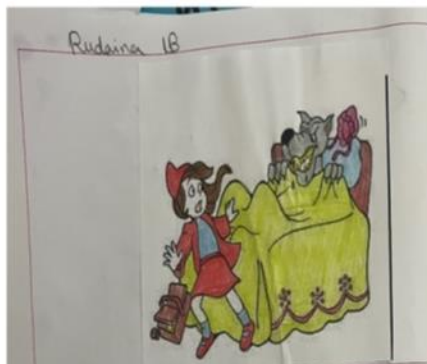
On her way she met a big bad wolf. He asked Little Red Riding Hood "where are you going? Then she rushed to grandma's house and ate her.



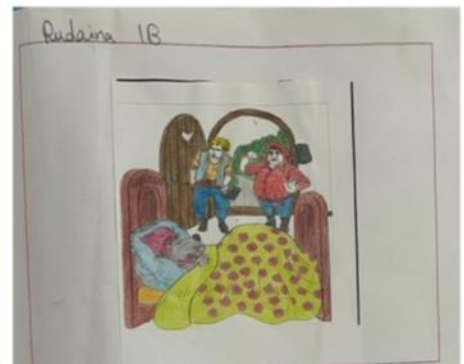
Then the wolf wore grandma's hat and her gown and he slept in her bed.



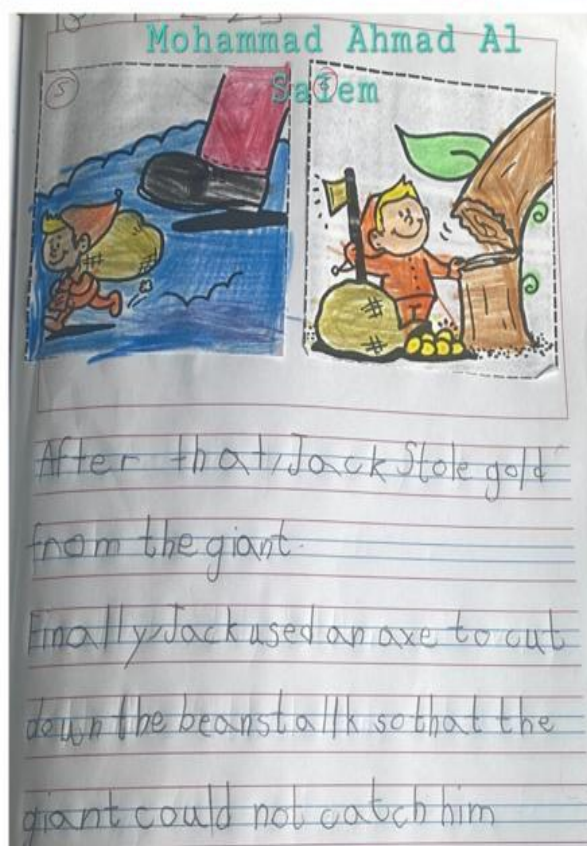
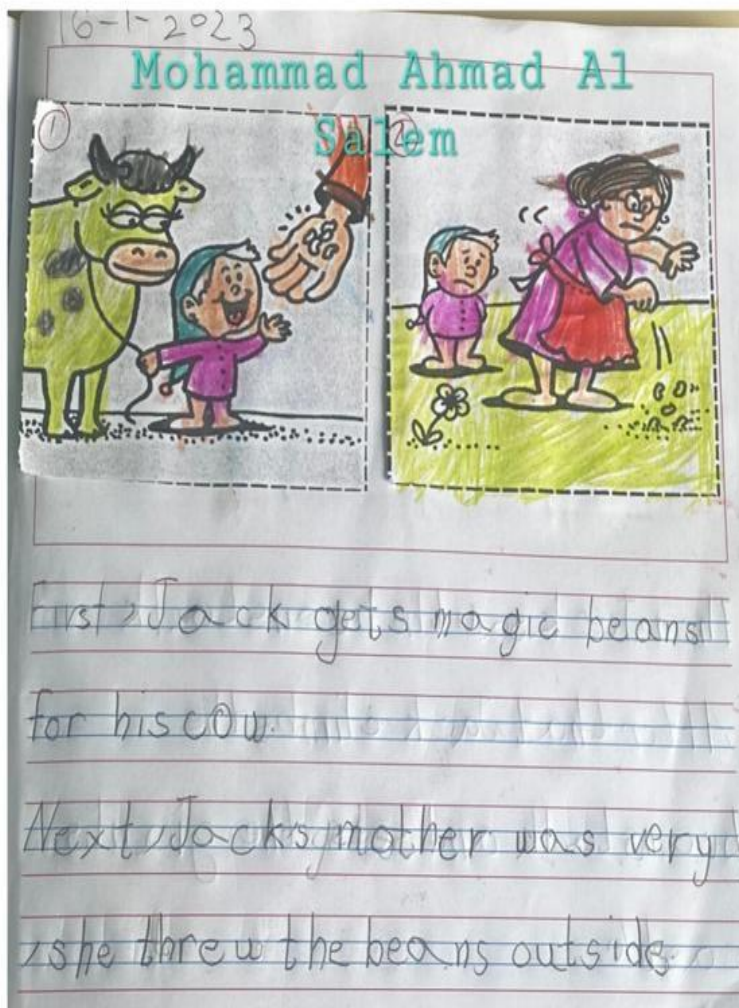
when Red Riding Hood came in she asked her grandma why you look so different? She had big eyes and big mouth. The wolf jumped and wanted to eat Red Riding Hood.



He said I have big teeth all the better to eat you. Red Riding Hood shouted for help.



Some hunters heard her and came to help and rescue her and grandma.



Basel

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Jack and the Beanstalk

Once upon time there
lived a boy called Jack they
lived in a cottage the mother
told Jack sell the cow brought
beans



He climbed up in the
beanstalk.



She threw the beans
from window the mother
was very angry



Jack ran away
from giant.



Jack saw a giant
beanstalk.



He Jack climbed down
and chop beanstalk
and the end of story



Rhyming Couplet

I went out in the Sun

To have some fun.

I see a fluffy cat

And it's chasing a tiny rat.

The smelly fish is in the tin.

My older sister got hurt by a pin.

My pet dog went to the vet.

For my birthday I got a nail-polish set.

My friend touched a black cow.

I don't know how!

My sister took my toy and I was mad.

So my mom was sad.

Now I go to rest

To be the best.

Acrostic Poem

Brave and not scared at night.

Awesome, amazing and amusing boy.

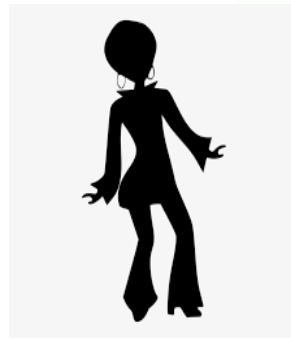
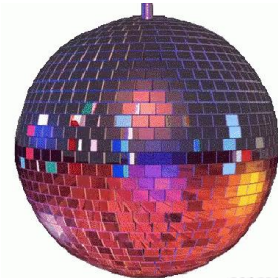
Disco dance is what he likes.

Energetic so that he can be faster than Sonic.

Really tall like his best friend Yousef.

Bader Adel Al Baker

Gr 3 B



Basmah Ahmad Al Khanderi

Gr 3 A



Meshal Abdulaziz Matar

Gr 3 C

My Dream Job

My dream job is to be a fire fighter. Firstly, I can stop the fire. Moreover, I can help save the lives of people. Furthermore, I can drive a big red truck. Additionally, the fireman's clothes are very cool and will help me protect myself from the fire. In addition, we have water in the truck to help put off the fire. Lastly, my family will be very proud of me because I am a fireman. That's why I want to be a fireman.

Chicken Noodles

I hear bubbling and slurping.
 I smell chicken spices.
 I see yellow zigzag lines.
 I feel soft slurpy noodles.
 I taste spicy chicken.
 What could it be?
 It's chicken noodles!

**Candy**

I like Candy.
 I think Its dandy.
 It's good to eat.
 It's just too sweet.



Candy makes my heart beat.
 Candy is what I like to eat.
 My favorite color of candy is blue.
 Candy acts like glue.

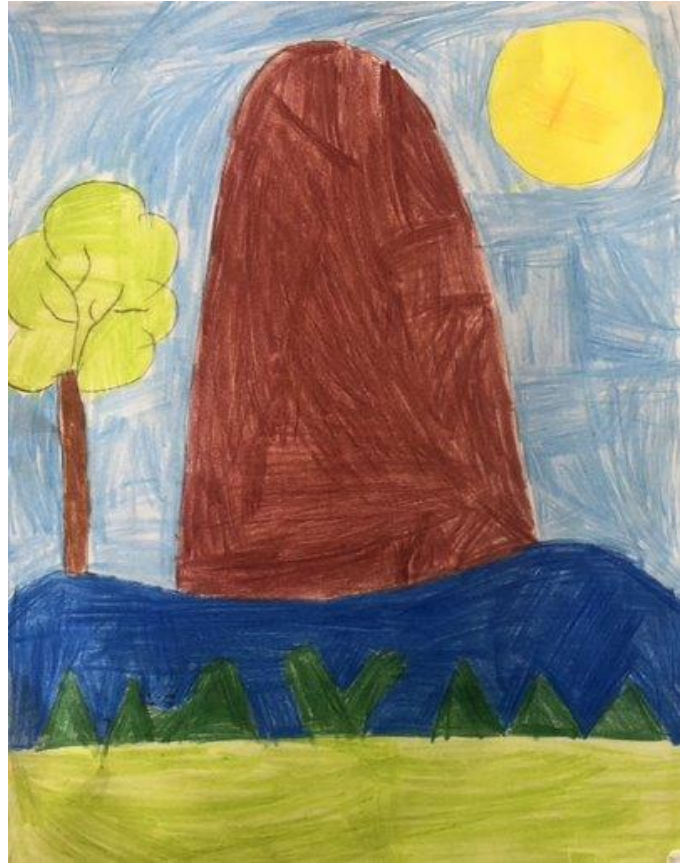
Haneen Saad Al Enizi**Gr 5 A****Yousef Abdulawhab Al Khbaizi****Gr 5 B****Fortnite**

A new, fresh day
 And I can finally play my game.
 It's from Battle Royal,
 And it's not lame.
 It has a lot of fame
 Because it's fun.
 Unlike the other games,
 You can run.

**Yousef Ahmad Al Enizi****Gr 5 C**



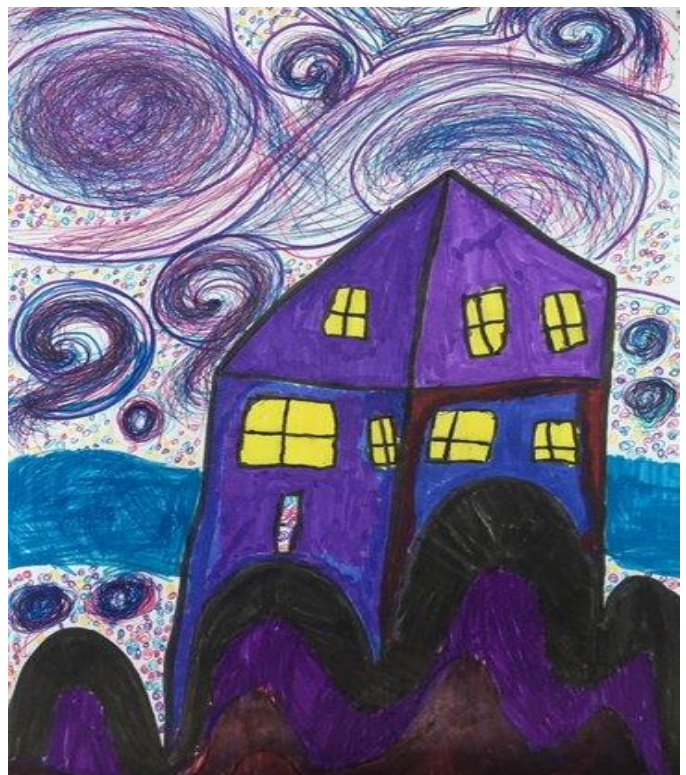
Hessah Meshal Al Mutairi
Gr 3 A



Abdulrazzaq Ibrahim Al Ghemlas
Gr 3 B



Suhaib Nawaf Al Daihani
Gr 3 C



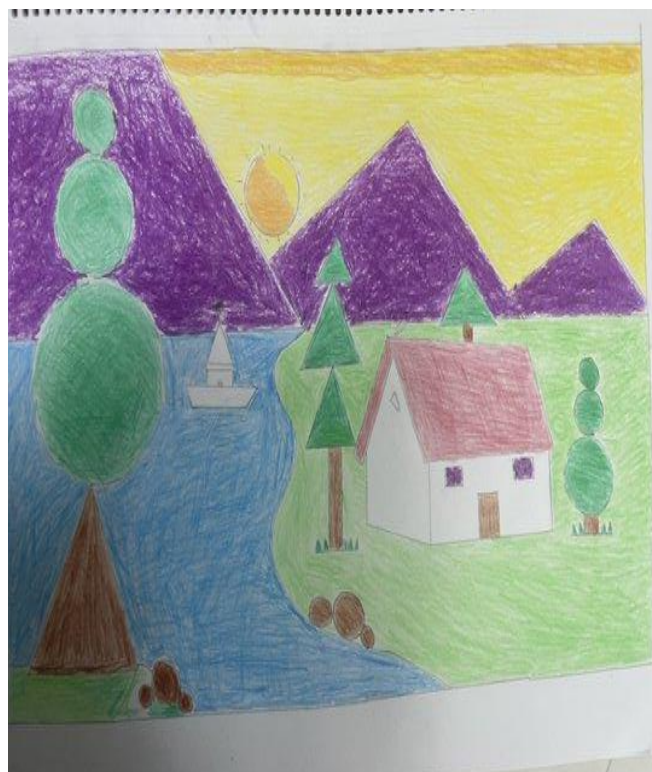
Noor Mohammed Al Adwani
Gr 5 A



Mohammad Salman
Gr 5 B



Abdulrahman Faisal
Gr 5 C



Mohammad Mater Al Mutairi
Gr 7 A



Turki Yousef Al Nasser

Gr 9 B



Hamad Meshari Al Zanki

Gr 11 A

Acrostic Poem**Dolphins**

Diving deep under water

Over the water they jump

Lemons are not good for dolphins

Perfectly gliding,

Happy and playful

Interesting to me at least

Never ending adventures, they seek

Sea creatures at their best.



My Winter Break

My winter break was fantastic from start to finish because it came after the hard work and stress of midterm exams. It was unimaginably great. It was special because I spent more time with my family, went to fancy restaurants, watched movies, and so on. The most special day during my winter break was my trip to the beach on New Year's Day. It was a truly unforgettable experience.

On the morning of the trip, I was filled with excitement and anticipation for all the fun that was to come. One of the highlights of my trip was trying out some new activities. I had always wanted to ride a jet ski. When my cousin offered to take me out on his jet ski, I jumped at the opportunity. It was an exhilarating experience. At night, to be precise, ten minutes before midnight, there was an amazing fireworks display.

The next day, as the sun rose, I felt cool wind rushing through my hair and face. I played with sand and collected a lot of beautiful seashells. Finally, I would say that my winter break finished too quickly, like a beautiful dream.



Saud Ali Al Shammari

Gr 7 B

HOLES Novel Character Analysis Stanley Yelnats

Character Analysis



Description: Stanley Yelnats is a shy, awkward, and overweight boy who comes from an overprotective family. He lacks self-confidence yet he's very optimistic and always sees good in people and situations. During the time he spent in the detention centre, he developed a better version of himself.

Character type: Although Stanley Yelnats was shy and awkward, he was also witty, unlucky, loving, and fun. And by the end of the story, he ended up being a charismatic endearing young gentleman.

Famous quotes from Stanley Yelnats:

- ☐ "Stanley and his parents didn't believe in curses, of course, but whenever anything went wrong, it felt good to be able to blame someone."
- ☐ "Stanley and his father weren't always hopeful, then it wouldn't hurt so much every time their hopes were crushed."



Protagonist of Holes, is a dynamic character



Stanley is naive, innocent, and kindhearted, and he doesn't know how to be mean

changes during the course of the novel due to the influence and effect of his experiences and actions

Overweight and is accustomed to having bad luck

He is proud of himself and has gained self-confidence

Character Analysis Stanley - Holes

Changes from being shy to self-confident and can stand up for himself.

Stanley makes friends at camp.





Cyber Bullying

Cyber bullying includes behaviours that **harass, manipulate, and malign** someone. These aggressive acts are extremely harmful. They occur in public forums, social media platforms, and other online discussion boards. **A cyberbully may be someone you know; they are not always strangers.**

Cyberbullying is a complex problem. But this activity's goal is the same for everyone - to **damage and harm others**. Cyberbullying is a serious issue. Due to the many hazardous implications, it has on the victim, it needs to be taken seriously.

It upsets a person's state of mind. After being cyber bullied, many victims are known to experience despair. Additionally, they damage themselves. They feel inferior because of all the disparaging remarks that are said about them. It causes numerous insecurities and complexes. When a victim is harassed online, cyberbullying **takes the appearance of self-doubt**. Your insecurities simply serve to accentuate themselves when someone criticizes you. The unfounded rumours that are being circulated about them damage their reputation. Social media spreads information like wildfire. **One untrue rumour can ruin someone's life.**

The urgent issue of the hour is prevention of cyberbullying. It needs to be watched over and stopped. There are numerous approaches to combating cyberbullying. There are 2 things you should do, **first you must never provide personal information online**. For example, if you provide your home location or phone number online, it will be simple for cyberbullies to target you. **The second thing is to avoid talking about private things on social media**. Share important news only with your friends and family. The most important rule is to never share your username, password, or account information with anyone. **Be cautious.**

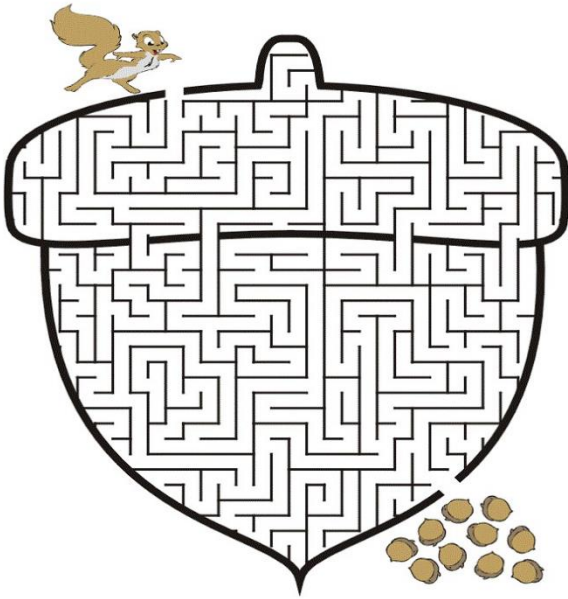
If someone is bullying you in any way, **don't allow them to keep doing it**. You should put an end to it and deal with the bully or otherwise he will keep bullying you and ruin your life. So, take it seriously. **There are many ways to deal with a bully**. For example, if someone is bullying you in school, you can confront the bully and tell him to stop. But if the bully still doesn't stop, then you must go tell the teacher or even the principal so the bully will be punished and stop bullying.

Any type of bullying can affect the society in general. If a victim keeps getting bullied for his whole life and does nothing about it, it can affect him a lot, even to the extent of wanting to commit suicide. **Some people are scared to deal with it**. There are many victims who've died by suicide because of bullying and that's a big problem for the society. I think it's important for people to know that bullying can result in taking someone's life. When people start to fully realize how bullying can affect someone so much and cause so many problems, **then cyberbullying can be prevented.**

Mohammed Haitham
Gr 11 A

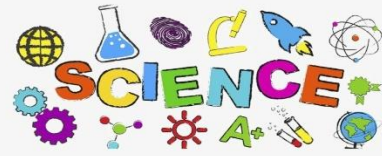


Help the squirrel through the maze to find its acorns



Guess these 12 country names from whatsapp emoticons

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2. 👍 🟢
3. 🇷🇺 🐎
4. 🌊 🌊
5. Ne 🍼
6. 🇮🇹 🇧🇪 🇩🇪 🇦🇹
7. Ja 🕒
8. 🇬🇧 🚗
9. 🇯🇲 🌽
10. Ku 🏀
11. 🗑 Ya
12. 🇸🇪 🇦🇪



Drops on a Penny

Hydrogen bonds and surface tension give water some amazing properties. Let's use them to see how many drops of water fit on a penny. Here's What You'll Need

- Pennies
- Eyedropper or pipette
- Water

Let's Try It

1. Wash and rinse a penny in tap water. Dry it completely with a paper towel.
Place the penny on a flat surface. The flatter the surface, the better this experiment is going to go.



Use an eyedropper or pipette to draw up water.



Carefully, drop individual drops of water onto the flat surface of the penny.



Keep track of the water drops as you add them, one at a time, until water runs over the edge of the penny. You'll probably be surprised by the number of drops you get on there!



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UPCOMING EVENTS at CBS

Events for February



Feb 8th- After school clubs begin

Feb 8th- HS Young Authors day



Feb 9th- ES Young Authors Day/ 100 days of
school

Feb 15th- Local University Fair (Gr 11-12)

Feb 16th- Bake sale



Feb 19th- Isra Wal Miraj Holiday

Feb 23rd- National Day Celebrations

Feb 25th- 27th- National day Holidays

