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Walk for Cure

It has been a tradition of Canadian Bilingual School to conduct a Walk for Cure every October. Our school has always selected a cause to associate with the walk be it wellness or community support. This year our cause was to support children with health issues for which we collected donations from our students and forwarded our contributions to the Kuwait Association for the Care of Children in Hospital (KACCH). KACCH also shared details



regarding their volunteer program with our grade 11 and 12 students. As the photos demonstrate, we had a very successful Walk for Cure. Students, teachers, and administrators donned pink and had a great time supporting this worthwhile activity. When we take the time to care for and support our community, we make our community a better place in which to live. We would like to THANK all our students, teachers, administrators, and parents



as well as the event organizers for making the walk such a success.



EDITOR'S NOTE

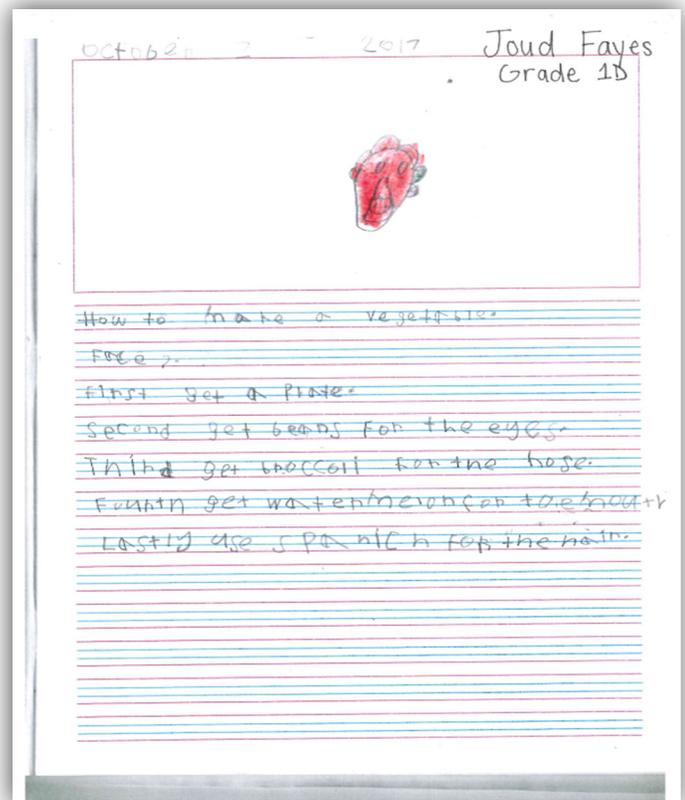
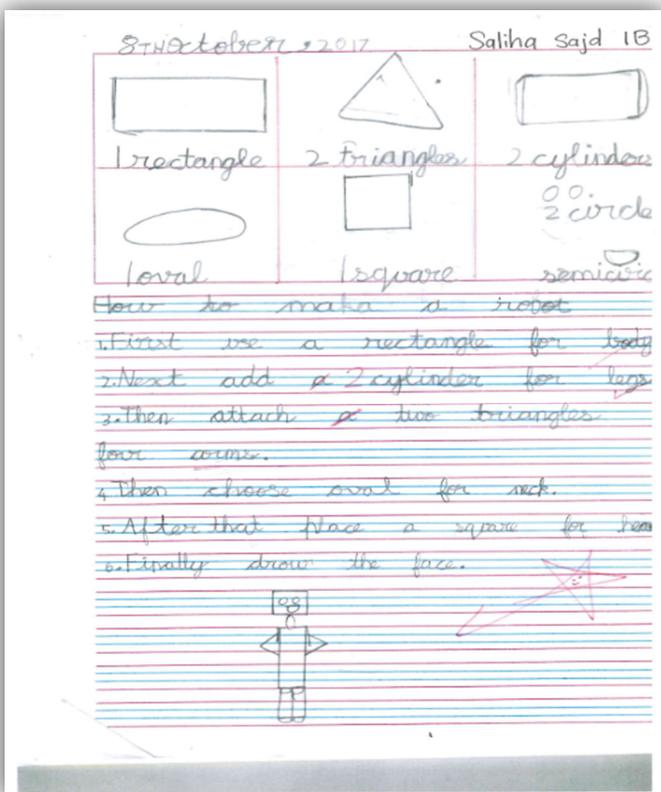
Just like athletes, good writers need to practice their skills every day. Our teachers, like coaches, provide direct instruction, guidance, and constructive feedback to support improvement. At CBS, we strive to have our students write every day and make every effort to return work in a timely manner. In addition to feedback presented both on paper and in direct conversations with students, we create and post a variety of supports designed to help our student writers experience success.

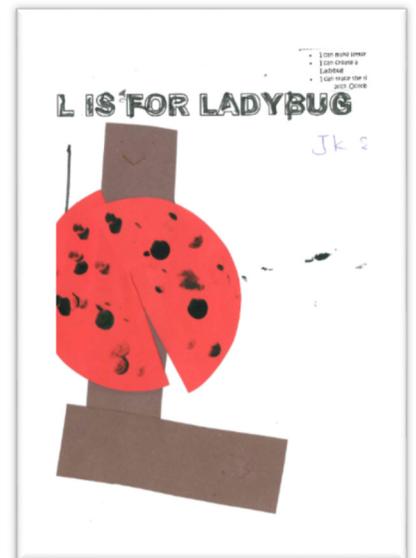
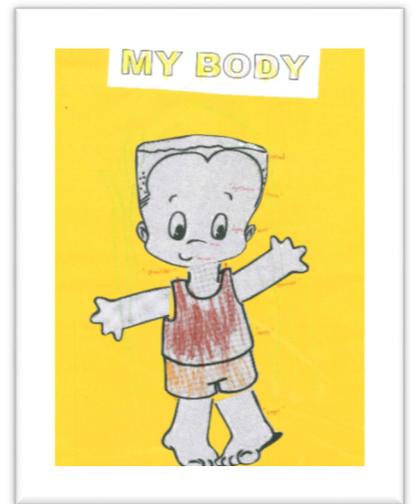
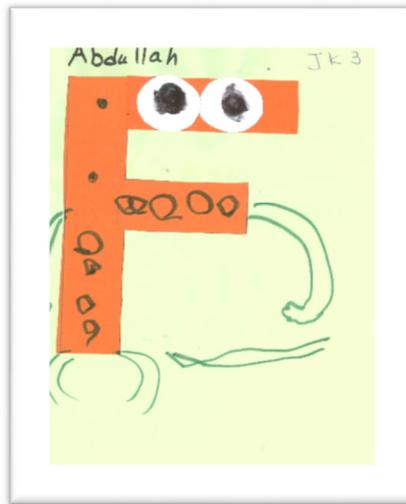
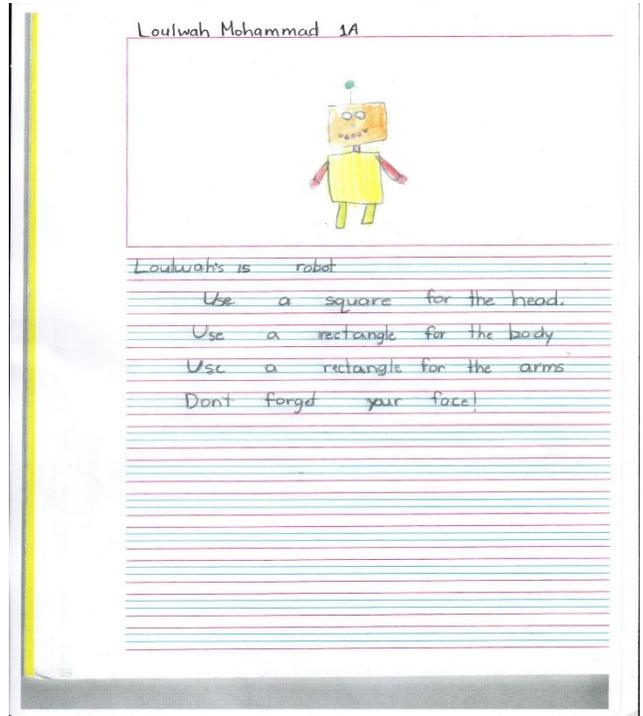
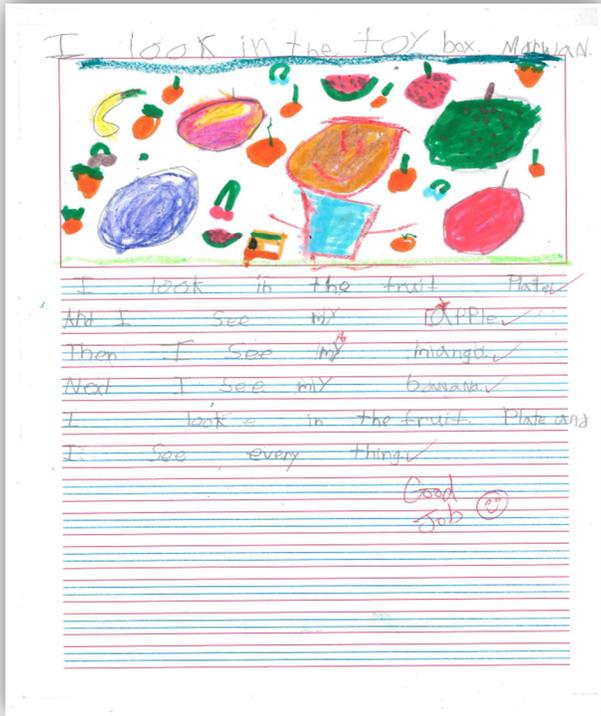
We know that good writers have a set of skills and behaviours that enhance their writing. Below is a list of skills and behaviours that we are modelling for, and teaching to, our students.

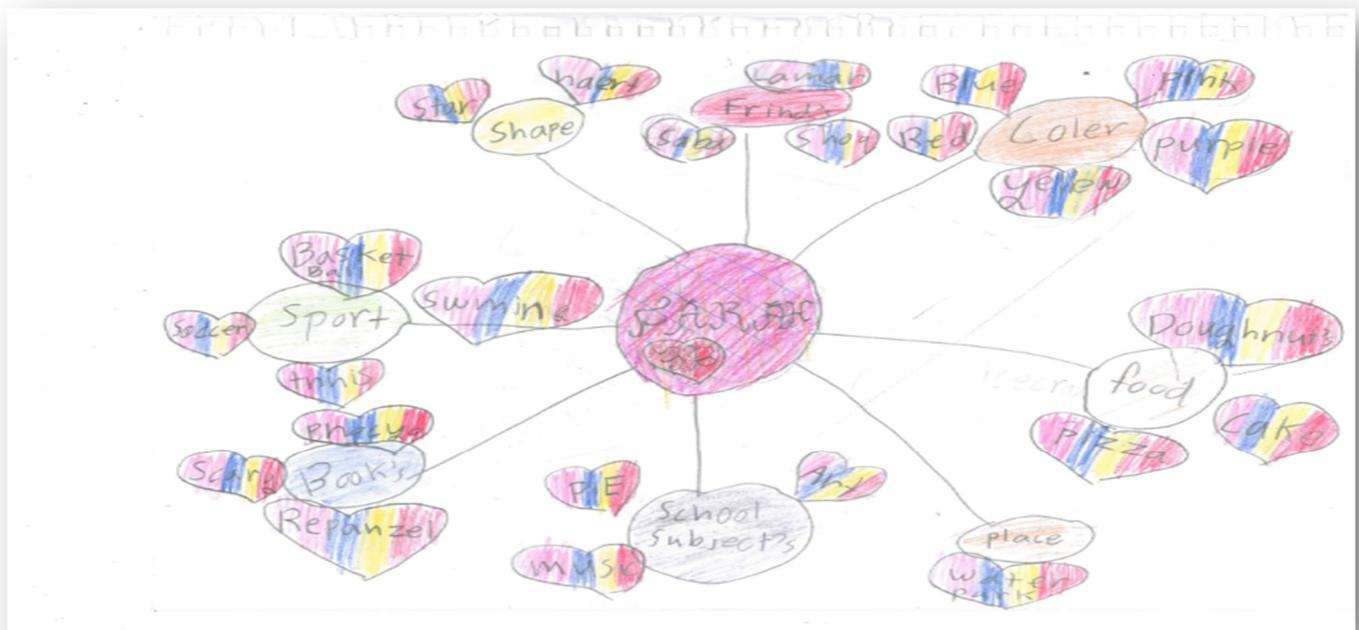
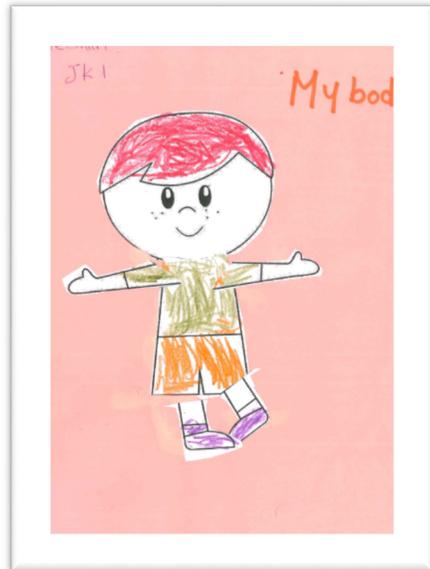
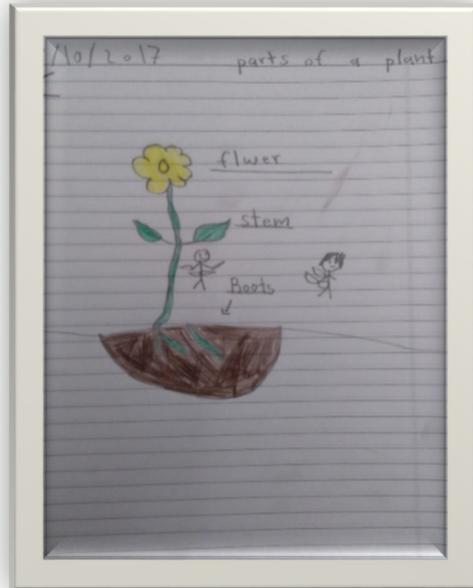
Good Writers ...

- Brainstorm and research their ideas before beginning to write
- Observe the world around them to find inspiration
- Have a variety of organizational structures and patterns they can use to convey their message
- Write from what they know
- Vary the length, type, and complexity of their sentences to add interest
- Have an ever-expanding vocabulary and understanding of figurative devices to enhance their message
- Write with passion which brings out their voice
- Reread their writing to find ways to improve
- Read every day

As parents, you can support your child by posting this checklist and referring to it when you read your child's writing. As students, you should remember to use the checklists posted in your classrooms as they are a tool to help you become a better writer.







BIO POEMS

SHOUQ

Loud, crazy, caring
 Who enjoys dancing.
 Who always feels happy.
 Who wonders what she
 will be when she's
 older.
 Who fears insects.
 Who cares about her
 cat and responsibilities.
 Who dreams of being a
 famous dancer.

-Shouq Abdullah
 Gr.7A

FEELY

Artistic, smart, kind
 Who enjoys to draw and
 learn new things.
 Who feels happy when
 she's around her family
 and friends.
 Who wonders if she will
 accomplish her goals.
 Who fears something
 going wrong.
 Who cares about her
 education and family.
 Who dreams of being a
 known tech artist
 - Feely Faisal Gr.7

OTHMAN

Funny, careless, kind
 Who enjoys spending
 time with his friends.
 Who feels loved.
 Who wonders if there is
 life beyond earth.
 Who fears being burned
 alive.
 Who cares about his
 phone.
 Who dreams of being
 filthy rich.

-Othman Mishary GR.7



September at a Glance

In the beginning, the most interesting subjects that we learned this month is the branches of the Canadian government in Social Studies. The branches are the Federal, Provincial and Municipal government. Firstly, the federal government is responsible for national defense, immigration, citizenship and oceans and fishery. Second, is the government which is responsible for education, health care, natural resources and highways . Third, the municipal government is responsible for libraries, parks and waste removal. I loved this topic because it is so interesting and I wish to one day live in Canada.

Later this month, we also learned about how to write numbers in expanded and word form. We even learned to draw base ten blocks. I like this subject because it uses creativity and brainstorming. However, it can also be difficult. But with practice, it will become easier. I hope I become a math teacher when I grow up.

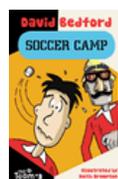
In the end, we learned how to mix primary colours with secondary colours. The primary colours are red, blue and yellow. Secondary colours are purple, green and orange. When we mix red and blue we get purple. When we mix yellow and red we get green. I enjoyed the Art lesson because I like to paint and create masterpieces. I really hope I can be the best artist in the world.

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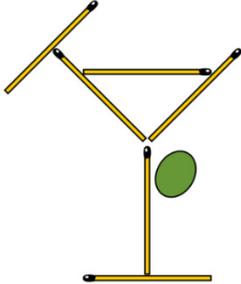
Author Visit

Get ready for a wonderful reading experience as CBS gets set to welcome David Bedford on **November 1st and 2nd**. Mr. Bedford is an acclaimed British Children's Author who has written over 80 books. He is a very engaging speaker and his love of reading and writing is clearly evident in his presentation. You don't want to miss it.

Below are just a few of the books that will be available for purchase during his visit. While *Ella's Games* shows how size should never be used to discount a person's abilities, his *Team Series* combines his love of science with his interest in football as his main character is a soccer - playing robot.

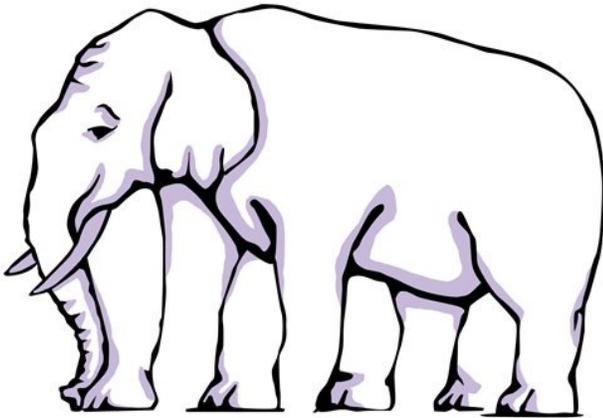


MATCHSTICK PUZZLE



Move two matchsticks to get the olive into the cocktail. You cannot touch the olive.

How many legs do I have?



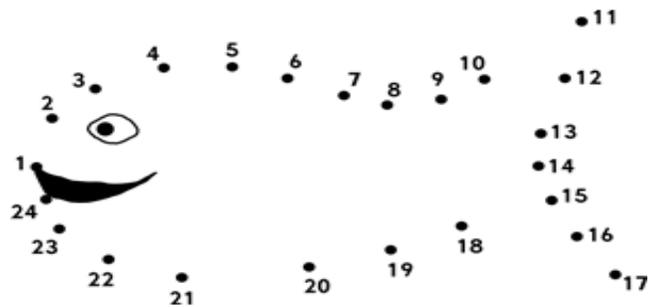
OPTICAL ILLUSION

Tongue Twisters

The big black bug bit the big black bear,
But the big black bear bit the big black bug back!



CONNECT THE DOTS





Upcoming Events @ CBS

- ❖ INTERNATIONAL DAY: Nov 9th
- ❖ PARENT CONFERENCE MEETING: Nov 14th – 16th
- ❖ PHOTO DAY : Nov 22nd & 23rd
- ❖ CBS FUN DAY: Nov 25th
- ❖ ASSEMBLY GR4-6:SELF-REGULATION: Nov 27th
- ❖ ASSEMBLY GR1-3:SELF-REGULATION: Nov 29th
- ❖ HS ASSEMBLY: SELF-REGULATION: Nov 29th
- ❖ HS COURSE SELECTION PARENT WORKSHOP: Nov 29th

