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November Highlights!

While the month of November had a number of exciting events, two were most memorable. International Day was held on the 14th and involved presentations by the entre school. Parents were treated to songs, dances and interesting facts from a diverse number of countries including India, England, Greece, USA, New Zealand, Australia, South Africa and Kuwait just to name a few. In addition to the presentations to parents, students toured classrooms where they were able to taste some of the foods of the country while watching the class performances. To cap off the day, we were privileged to observe traditional music and dancing from Egypt arranged by Ms. Shaimaa, our KSS teacher.

Last week students from KG to grade 7 had the good fortune to listen to Ms. Mo O'Hara, a writer who is part of Authors Abroad. Ms. O'Hara did a variety of presentations on her Zombie Goldfish series before engaging the grade 7 students in a drama in writing workshop. All in all, November has been a most memorable month here at CBS.

EDITOR'S Note



In the next two issues of the Express, you will see that many of our high school students are representing their thinking through graphic text. Using pictures to convey an idea was at some point just for primary students who did not have the knowledge to convey their thinking using printed word. It was also used in comics which some critics suggested was not 'real' reading and writing. However, with the insurgence and popularity of the graphic novel, teachers are incorporating this format and style into their repertoire of writing assignments.

The very nature of a graphic text suggests that there will be little text in accompaniment. Like the adage, 'A picture is worth a thousand words' suggests, if the picture is done well, then words are often irrelevant. This is certainly the case when creating posters and collages. However, graphics can be of great use when reading complex text or text written in old English such as Shakespeare. Our grade 10 to 12 students spent time with Shakespeare this last quarter and the use of graphics has enabled them to add a missing scene or depict an existing one without the burden of using Shakespearean English.

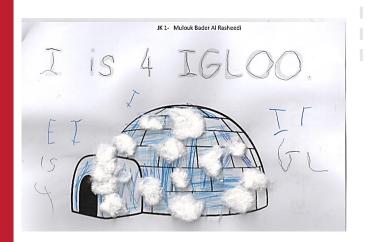
As much as this genre and format has great potential for, and appeal to students, there is a flip side to using graphic text. Some students do not feel comfortable or confident in their artistic ability to competently convey their thinking. Thus students have been given the option of creating simpler art work, or finding existing drawings that are accompanied by more detailed writing. Drawing on students' strengths and providing options ensures that all students can meet the criteria of the assignment and best demonstrate their understanding.

As always, we hope that you will enjoy the submissions in this month's Express. It is just one of the ways we are trying to celebrate the development and growth of both our writing program and our students' efforts here at CBS. Happy reading!!!



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JK WRITING



Mulouk Al Rasheedi- JKI



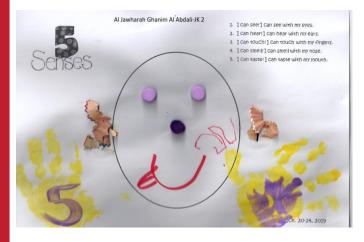
Salem Al Mutairi- JK2



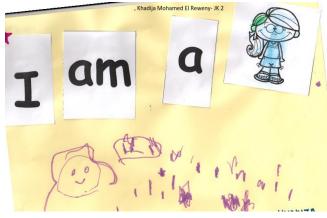
Saad Al Arbeed - JKI



Fayez Al Mutairi - JK2



Al Jawharah Al Abdali- JK2



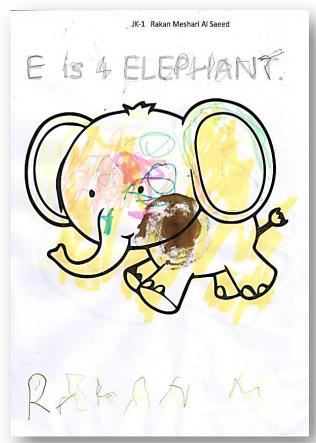
Khadija El Reweny- JK2

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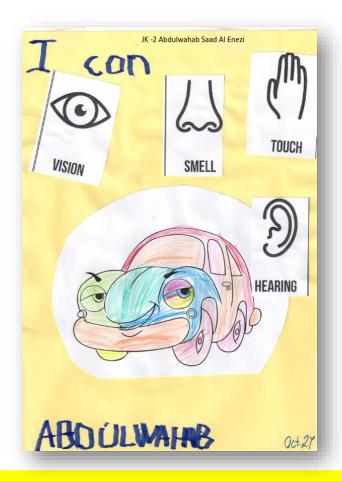




Yehya Al Turkomani- JK2

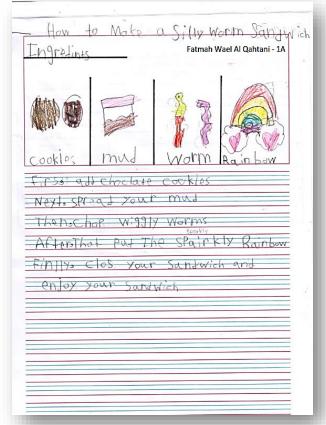


Rakan Al Saeed- JKI

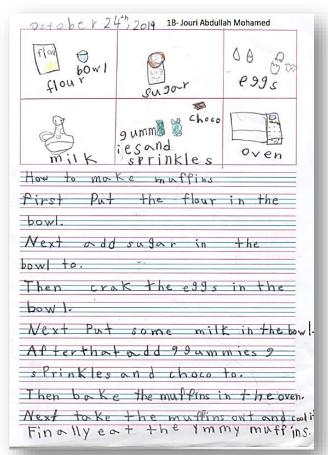


Abdulwahab Al Enezi- JK2

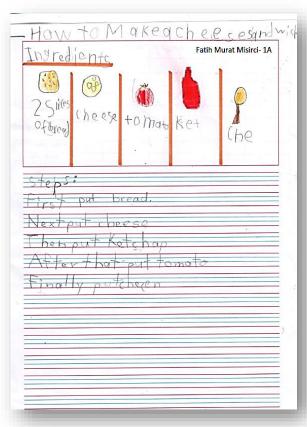
GRADE | WRITING



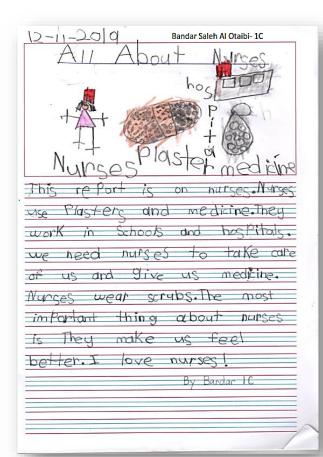
Fatmah Al Qahtani- Gr IA



Jouri Mohamed- Gr IB

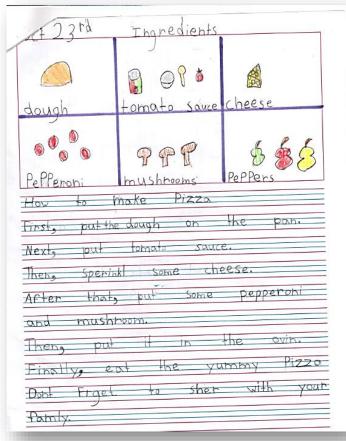


Fatih Misirci- Gr IA



Bandar Al Otaibi- Gr IC

GRADE | WRITING CONT.



Mohammad Al Otaibi -Gr ID

GRADE 3 WRITING

Write a letter to Ms. Mary, asking her to give you all a classroom pet.

October 22, 2019.

Dear Ms. Mary,

I think we all need a classroom pet. I believe that we will focus on our work. Moreover, the students will have a pet friend. Additionally, we will take care of the pet. Furthermore, the pet will be lucky because we will spend time with the pet. In addition, the students will NOT be absent and it's good for the students. I hope that you like our idea.

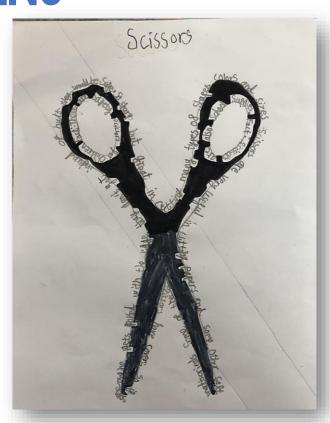
Sincerely,

Laila Jasim Safig

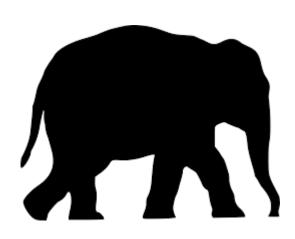
Grade3C

GRADE 5 WRITING

Jaden Hamad - 5C



- **E**ars are giant
- Dowheight is no more
- **B**ager to learn
- Pure nature animals
- Perds are strong
- Amazingly big
- Not the opposite of a mammal
- Tunes they speak of the elephant tongue



GRADE 5 WRITING CONT.

Iran is my lovely country

People live there for many centuries

It has many different cities

I am very proud and happy

That I am a member of that country

With huge number of cultural varieties

Esphan is its second biggest country People there are generous and pretty



Sofia Reza - Gr 5C

MONEY

The important thing about money is that you can buy stuff with it

It can fit in a wallet

It can help poor people

It is rectangle shaped

You can put it in your pocket

You can get your children into a good school

But, the most important thing about money is that you can buy stuff with it.

Sanad Yousef - Gr 5B



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KEBABS

The most important thing about a kebab is that it is long

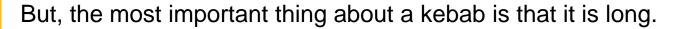
It tastes yummy

It looks crunchy

It feels thick

It smells wonderful

You can share it



Khalifa Al Shebly- Gr 5B



The most important thing about a Panda is that it is black and white

A Panda is a kind of a bear

A Panda is soft

A Panda eats bamboo

A Panda is fat and chubby

You can see a Panda in the zoo

But, the most important thing about a Panda is that it is black and white.

Ghaliah Al Sheehah- Gr 5B



GRADE 5 WRITING CONT.

CHICKEN

The most important thing about chicken is that it is tasty

Chicken is healthy

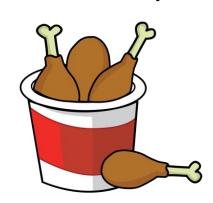
Chicken is brown

Chicken is juicy

Chicken is crispy

Chicken is oily

But, the most important thing about chicken is that it is tasty.



Ghezlan Al Radaan- Gr 5B

AUTHOR'S ABROAD









GRADE 7 WRITING



BUONGIORNO-GOOD MORNING

PER FAVOR-PLEASE

GRAZIE-THANK YOU

BUON POMERIGGIO-GOOD AFTERNOON

ARRIVEDERCI-GOODBYE

STAZION-STATION

SCUSI-EXCUSE ME

PERTO-OPEN

ANGIA MANGIA EAT.EAT



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By: Alizeh.

ALizeh Khan Amin- 7A





ITALIAN CULTURE

is steeped in the arts, family, architecture, music and food. Home of the Roman Empires and major center of the Renaissance has flourished for centuries.

Famous Italian Festivals

FAIR OF SANT, AOSTA VALLEY .CARNEVALE, VENICE BATTLE OF ORANGES SCOPPIO DEL CARRO MARRIAGE OF THE SEAWEDDING OF THE TREES FESTA DELLA RIFICOLANA REPUBLIC DAY





ITALIAN FOOD

Italian food is arguably the most popular and well known in Europe and indeed the entire world.

> Traditional food of Italy LASAGNE RISOTTO SPEGHETTI CARBONARA PIZZA RIBOLLITA **ARANCHINI** .TORTELLINI









BEST PLACES TO VISIT IN ITALY

.ROME.COLOSSEUM FLORENCE VENICE TUSCAN HILL TOWNS MILLAN CATHEDRAL LAKE COMO AMALFI COAST .THE CINQUE TERRE .PISA AND LUCCA .SIENA SICILY .SARDINIA

WEATHER FACT

With its hot ,dry summerand cool,wet winters,italy experiences a mediterranean



Alizeh Khan Amin- Gr 7A

Autobiography GRADE 7 WRITING CONT.

My name is Alex Rayne and I was born on the 7th of July 1995. I live with my parents in Arizona, along with my two brothers. My brothers are Jacob and Brandon and my parents are named Jessica and Frank.

I found out I should be a fighter when I was in grade 6 and my brother pushed me and I punched him and he accidently passed out. I then realized just how happy boxing made me. It got me into shape and turned out to be fun. I knew that boxing was a way to get me out of a dark space so I told myself from a young age I would never quit.

Since this was my new passion. I knew I could do it. One day before I turned professional, I was still in High school, a guy came up to me while I was punching a punching bag and asked me if I was open to join MMA fighting. I replied to him and told him that this is my dream come true. That guy is now my manager.

Three years ago I won the MMA-women's World Championship and we held a big celebration in my hometown with my whole family. I am a so in my culture we celebrate the day of Japanese- American commemorating the internment of Japanese-Americans during World War 2.

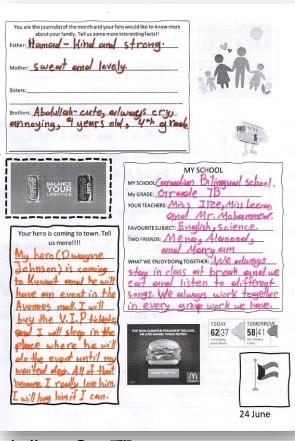
I am not just a "fighter". Other things I enjoy doing are painting and swimming. Some people might describe me as kind, creative, strong and introverted. I also enjoy being around people who inspire me. My favourite food is pizza and pasta. I can also speak many languages including English, Mandarin and Arabic. I dress very casually, mostly in sportswear, but I cannot always wear that.

My biggest accomplishment was when I had the privilege to tell my parents that I had joined the MMA. They were so surprised but also so proud that I found something that made me happy. What I learned is that if you're in a dark place in your life whether, you're in grade 6 or 26 all you need to do is what makes you happy. Boxing has made me change tremendously. It has made me smile and enjoy life.

Noura Ahmed Albasyouni - Gr 7A

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7B- Raghad Hamad Al Mulla MY EXCLUSIVE STORY TOLD HERE FOR THE FIRST TIME !!!!! EXTRA! EXTRA! READ ALL ABOUT ME! It was my brother's birth. When I was born until I reached 3 years, I was going borred, so my mother thought to have smother shill and it was my formunit day when my brother was born. My favourite food is both postagind pizza, oftenly it's mode in pizza restauronts as pizza but. For the pizza I need to bake it and put different toppings as vegetables, and I need to cook apasta with red or pink saute. You should try it, it's really deking One day my uncle invested us to a restour out, My father and I ordered two from the same WHO MAKES IT?
REDIENTS DO YOU NEED?
WHY WE SHOULD TRY IT. Scalard, but when I tousted my ferther's several it was more peter than mine, and I think that the chefs were different



Raghad Hamad Al Mulla-Gr 7B

7B- Menatalla Mahmoud Abdel Samad Abdalla

MY EXCLUSIVE STORY TOLD HERE FOR THE FIRST TIME !!!!!

EXTRA! EXTRA! READ ALL ABOUT ME!



He's 3 years old also he lives in America. They come visit us - once in a while. His birth was an exiting time forme

CRITICS CORNER

could ever tost and I love it

dad makes you to the Reip . It's 24 June you ny ... very healthy so try it.



Sisters: 5ibling : Un Fortunatley I'm are good things and balth Brothers: subsult it the good thing I get alot of attention. The bad thing I have no one to talk to because my para are alway busy with work



became a successful











Menatalla Mahmoud Abdalla - Gr 7B

GRADE 9 WRITING

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Judging Life. is a scam apparently my appealences matter more than who I truly am this hard world is making me shater Everyone has fought battles severy scar is a story but that doesn't matter to the charters putting me in a specific category feople act like they have no heart They sometimes remind me of robots sthats what drives us apart Slouly Killing our confidence with a Everyone is judging with blind eyes without seeing the path they've taken no one has yet to realise that everyone here is mistaken	sho+

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Feely Faisal Al Mutairy- Gr 9A

I love my country.

The summers in Kuwait is always so hot. Is it sometimes snowy or even rainy. Never. I think not!

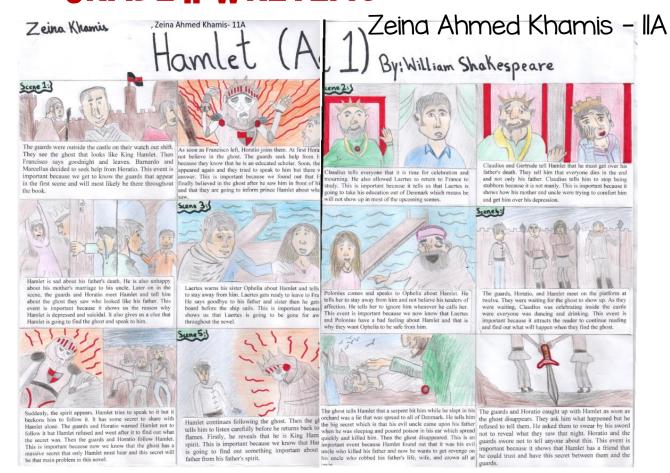
The boiling deserts here in Kuwait are gigantic.

They are so big, you won't believe that it's bigger than the Pacific.

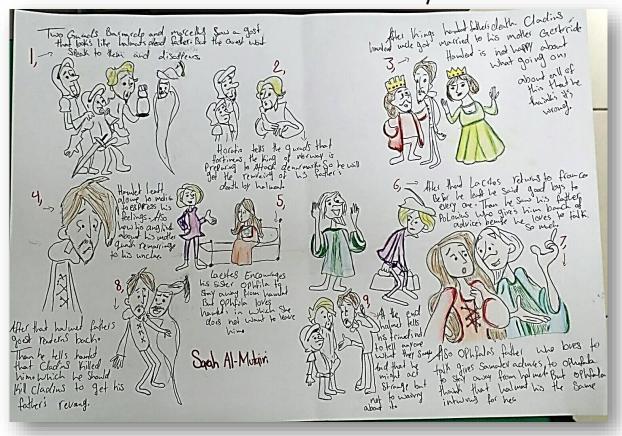
Our resources are not that many, we are known for our oil and only palm trees. Like nice countries want our land, we just want to live in peace.



GRADE || WRITING



Sarah Hussien Al Mutairy-IIA



GRADE || WRITING CONT.



This scene is quite short as It just takes about the king's festiving of Hamlet trying to take to the ghost alongside Marcellus, attoration and Bornardo. I have decided to include both parts because they also show 2 different sides of a situation. For Instance, the King is drawn to look like he is behind a curtain & is drinking/celebrating which is important because the fact that he does not know of the ghost. On the posite end are the 4 boys who are struggling to kind on the mason behind the apparitions affectable.



In Scene 5, many things happened, which is why I decided on dividing it up. into 3 boxes. Firstly, the ghost privately talked to Hamlet about his father death & that it wasn't an accident but instead carried out by his uncle. This is essential because it shows not only that the late ting was murdered but also that he was murdered by his brother. Plus, the ghost confirms that he is infact the spirit of Hamlet's father and shows how the watchgrads care for Hamlet's by



After the ghost announces the murderer, he tells flamilet how the murder happened which was by sneaking up on king Hamlet as he had his daily nap in the orchard. Claudius Round this as the perfect opportunity to pour Hebenon poison in his ear which eventually to pour Hebenon poison in his ear which eventually killed him. This is critical because it shows how the late king was murdered and also shows what kind of a period was murdered and also shows what kind of a period. Claudius is From this, we can infer he is a coward con claudius is the his brother rather than a battle.



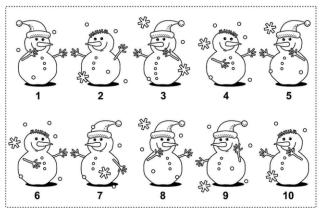
After Horatio & Marcellus catch up with Hamlet, they ask him of what the ghost said but Hamlet stayed quiet. Instead, he repeatedly asked them to swear upon his would that his is crucial because it shows the beginning of Hamlets madness since he spoke "whiching words" and constantly yelled at the two to swear, even when they already did. This is also dramatic irong because in the next acts the Ling & over don't understand the reason behind Hamlets

PUZZLE TIME!

Vid you know?

The Scottish have 421 words for "snow."

Find the two identical pictures.



ANSWER: 4, 6.



Winter Fun



M I T S H O V E L C O M
F R E E Z E B O O S K I
L C S K A T E P H L S T
A I C E P L C L A K N T
K T A X B B O O T S O E
E Q R S L D L W B X W N
H A F S L E D C O D L S

Find these words in the puzzle. Words are hidden \Rightarrow and ψ .

 BOOTS
 PLOW

 COLD
 SCARF

 FLAKE
 SHOVEL

 FREEZE
 SKATE

 HAT
 SKI

 ICE
 SLED

 MITTENS
 SNOW





Where do snowmen keep their money?

— In a Snowbank

Why did the farmer wear one boot to town?

 Because he heard there would be a 50% chance of snow!

Calvin and Hobbes

DEAR SANTA.

This YEAR, I don't want any gifts, I just want love and peace for my fellow









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UPCOMING EVENTS AT CBS

2nd Installment Fees Due – Dec 1st 2019

Mock Exams - Dec 3rd - 5th 2019

Arabic Language Day - Dec 4th 2019

Post-Secondary Info Parent Workshop — Dec 4th 2019

Grade 1 Healthy Living: Apple Day - Dec 8th 2019

Counting On You (HS) - Dec 8 - 12th 2019

Twin Day - Dec 12th 2019

Assembly: Initiative - Dec 12th 2019

ES Midterm Assessment Week Gr 3 - 5 - Dec 15th - 23rd 2019

HS Semester-I Exams: Gr 6 – 12 – Dec 15th – 23rd 2019

Gr 1- 2 Parent Engagement Event/ Ooka Island Orientation — Dec 17th 2019

Quarter 2 Ends – Dec 23rd 2019

Winter Break - Dec 24th - 16th Jan 2019



