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Valentine Interview with Teachers

by: Jessica and Anjelina, 5th Grade

Question: What do you think about Valentine's Day? Why?

1st grade teacher: Ms. Keller

I like Valentine's Day because it encourages people to show others how much they care for them and like them.

2nd grade teacher: Mrs. Kroes

I think Valentine's Day is a really fun holiday to show people that you care about them and that they are important to you.

3rd grade teacher: Mr. Callahan

Thinks it's a great day because it's a great reminder to show family and friends to show there love.

5th grade teacher: Miss Rickel

It's a very special day that I can shower everyone I care about with love. It makes everyone feel happy when I shower them with love and I want to bring smiles to peoples face.

Valentine Jokes

by: Anaya and Julia, 3rd Grade

Julia: Why did the man send his wife's valentine through Twitter?

Anaya: Why?

Julia: Because she was his sweetheart!

Anaya: What Valentine's Day candy is best to give to a girl?

Julia: What?

Anaya: HER-SHE's kisses

Julia: what kind of Valentine's Day candy is never on time

Anaya: I don't know

Julia: A chocoLATE!

Anaya: What candy is crazy about Valentine's Day candy?

Julia: what?

Anaya: cocoa nuts!

Julia: What did the blue berry say to his wife on Valentine's Day?

Anaya: You are berry cool?

Julia: Nope the right answer is I love you berry much!

Anaya: Where do all the hamburgers take their dates to on Valentine's Day

Julia: where?

Anaya: meat - balls

Julia: what's the best part of Valentine's Day?

Anaya: what?

Julia: The day after when all the chocolate goes on sale.

Anaya: What did the Valentine's Day card say to the stamp?

Julia: I don't know.I love you?

Anaya: No it said stick with me and you will go places!

Anaya: What did the girl bumble bee say to the boy bumble bee?

Julia: what?

Anaya: I love BEE-ing with you,honey!

Anaya: What did one flame say to the other flame on Valentine's Day?

Julia:You are flaming hot?

Anaya: Nope the real answer is we are a perfect match.

Did You Know?

by: Ruqaiyah, 2nd Grade

* On valentines days men spend \$130 that is less than women.

* Saint Valentine was arrested for performing weddings for soldiers that could not get married.

Would You Rather

by: Anjelina, 5th Grade

Eat 100 Hershey's Kisses or give someone 100 Hershey's kisses?

Morgan K: eat 100 Hershey kisses

Makenna J: Eat 100 Hershey kisses

Would you rather give 1,000 valentines or get 1,000?

Morgan K said she would rather get 1,000 valentines

Makenna J: Give 1,000 valentines

Would you rather skip Valentine's Day or Thanksgiving?

Morgan K: skip Valentine's Day

Makenna J: skip Valentine's Day

Would you rather have a school party or a house party?

Morgan K: a house party

Makenna J: house party

Would you rather eat one big valentines cake or a bunch of mini cupcakes?

Morgan K would rather eat a bunch of mini cupcakes

Makenna J: mini cupcakes

Would you rather stay in for Valentine's Day or go out to a party?

Morgan K: Stay in

Makenna J: go out to a party

Would you rather eat sweets or savory food on Valentine's Day?

Morgan K: savory food

Makenna J: sweets

Would you rather spend Valentine's Day with your family or friends?

Morgan K: family

Makenna J: friends

Would you rather watch a Valentine's Day movie or read a Valentine's Day book?

Morgan K: Movie

Makenna J: read

Would you rather have chocolate candy or powder candy?

Morgan K: chocolate candy

Makenna Jacobson: chocolate candy

Cheetahs

by: Ruqaiyah, 2nd Grade

Cheetahs can run up to 110 km/ (70 mph) ,they run (60 mph in three seconds .Cheetahs hunt to get food ,they get there prey in 20 seconds. Cheetahs are apart of the cat family, they are the hunting kind of cats. Cheetahs eat deer's and much more. I chose to write about cheetahs because I love them and I hope to see one one day.



HOW TO MAKE A VALENTINE'S CARD

by: Aaradhy, 3rd Grade

1. first get a card and a envelope and lay it on a table
2. open the card and take a pen
3. write a nice valentines letter in the card like happy Valentine's Day from _____
4. close the card and put it in an envelope
5. take a piece of tape and when the card is in the envelope close it and put the piece of tape on the front
6. take a black colored marker and write to and from and write to who and from who
7. Then take your favorite flavored lollipop and take a piece of tape
8. take the tape and stick it to the stick and put it on the envelope
9. put it in a box and bring it to school or somewhere

THAT IS HOW YOU MAKE A VALENTINES DAY CARD!

HOW TO MAKE A PAPER ROSE

by: Laila & Chloe, 4th Grade

- * First you need pink or red construction paper
- * Then you cut the paper into different kinds of circular shapes
- * After that you shape all of the circular shapes into a cone
- * Next you need to have some tape or some glue and glue or tape all the circular shapes around the cone
- * Finally we need to get a pipe cleaner that is green then you tape or glue it on to the rose

Valentine Madlibs

by: Michelle, 3rd Grade

On Valentines Day I am very _____, so are my friends _____.
 (Adjective) (Person in the room x2)

We have a _____ party, and some games like _____, & _____.
 (Adjective) (Carnival Games x2)

I had a _____ time! I gave lots of _____ valentines, I received _____.
 (Adjective) (Animal) (Number)

That was a _____ day!
 (Adjective)

First Grade

by: Lyla, 1st Grade

I like first grade. I like first grade because it is fun. I can't wait until next year.

FUN FACTS ABOUT THE OSCARS

by: Laila & Chloe, 4th Grade

- * The best picture award went to Green book!
- * The best animated feature film was Spider-man: into the spider verse!
- * Queen performs at the beginning of the Oscars.
- * Lady Gaga performs with Bradley Cooper and sing Shallow.
- * The best actress was Olivia Colman from the Favourite
- * The best actor was Mahershala Ali from Green Book.
- * Black Panther won the Best Picture.
- * No one hosted the Oscar awards.



VALENTINE POEMS

by: Arya and Jennah, 1st Grade

Roses are red
 Violets are Blue
 just like you
 happy valentines day to you white!
 lots of Love

by: Ruqaiyah, 2nd Grade

Valentines' Day

He doesn't come to bite you
 This little dog of mine
 But simply to invite you
 To be
 My Valentine

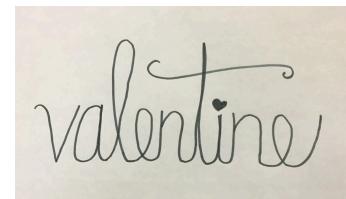
HOW TO DO CALLIGRAPHY/HAND LETTER

by: Ashlyn, 5th Grade

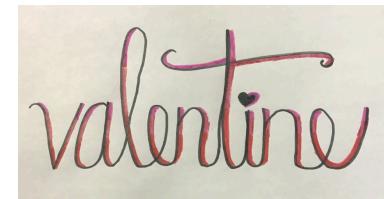


Calligraphy is the art of hand-lettering. In my example, I'm writing out the word valentine. By following these two easy steps, you'll be a pro in no time!

1. Writing out in cursive. In order to have a good base for your word, letter, or quote, you need to be able to write in cursive in a certain way. This is demonstrated below.



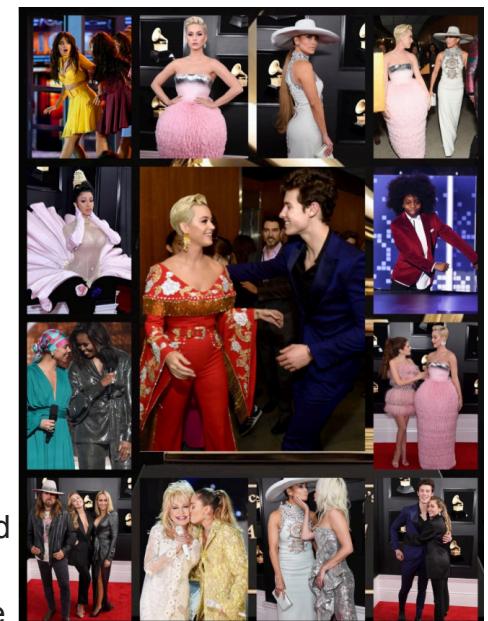
2. Adding Shadows. This is what makes the word, letter, or phrase look really cool. You should add them where you think a shadow would be cast if the word, letter, or phrase was solid in real life. In this example, I did an ombré effect, but you can also do a solid color.



FUN FACTS ABOUT THE GRAMMYS

by: Laila & Chloe, 4th Grade

- * Kacey Musgraves took home the Grammy award for best album of the year.
- * Cardi B was the first women to take home the Grammy for the best rap album.
- * Michelle Obama went to the 61 Grammy awards.
- * Camila Cabello was the first performance.
- * Diana Ross made an appearance at the Grammys with her grandson
- * Shawn Mendes played the piano then Shawn Mendes, and Miley Cyrus sang together.
- * Jennifer Lopez made a tribute to motown



CUPID ON VALENTINES

a play

by: Jingyi 5th Grade

(in Cupid's living room)

Cupid: There's so much to do! It's already February 12th and only two more days to prepare for Valentines Day!

Cupid's wife: Well you'd better hurry up or we'll be kicked out of Holiday Councils.

Cupid (mutters under breath): Yeah right, very helpful,

Cupid's wife: Honey, why don't we go speak to the Holiday Council and ask them to help?

Cupid: You're right! The meeting is in a half hour! I can state my case there and maybe get help!

(At the holiday council)

Santa: Alright everyone! Let's begin!

(Holiday idols quiet down)

Santa: Coming up is Valentines Day. Cupid, do you have everything ready?

Cupid: Umm, not quite.

Room: Gasp!

Mr. Leprechaun: But no one has never been unprepared for their holiday!

Easter Bunny: This is disastrous! (Draws a sad face on a piece of paper and waves it up and down)

Santa: What do you have left to do?

Cupid: Make the chocolates and deliver the Valentines.

Santa: We'll work together. We can get it done in no time!

Turkey (whines): What? But I wanted to go swimming!

Halloween Pumpkin: And I wanted to go to the beach! (puts on sunglasses and turns on funky music)

Santa (turns off music): We cannot miss a holiday! So we *will* help.

Everyone else: Sigh.

Santa: Easter Bunny, Turkey, and Mr. Leprechaun will make chocolates. Cupid, Pumpkin, and I will deliver Valentines.

Everyone else: Fiiiiinnnneee. (Easter Bunny draws another sad face and waves it up and down)

They go right to work

Making the chocolates

Mr. Leprechaun (to Easter Bunny): Um... I think you were supposed to add only two cups of cocoa powder.

Turkey: Yeah. And isn't a cup of sugar not equal to three hundred grams?

Easter Bunny: It's better this way! (Takes a bite of overly chocolatey, overly sweet chocolate) They're going to love this!

Meanwhile...

(Santa, Cupid, and Pumpkin are riding on Cloud Nine, Cupid's newest model car)

Pumpkin: Only 23,678 houses to go! (Checks off list)

Cupid: We're doing this! (Does a boogie on the mobile)

Santa: I just did two hundred fifty six houses!

Pumpkin: Great! Now only 23,822! My turn!

(He disappears for a long time)

Santa: Hmmmm..... now where did he go?

Cupid: Look! There he is! (Points to the right)

Santa: Where were you?

Pumpkin: Away! Guess how many houses I did?

Cupid: How much?

Pumpkin: 23,822!

Santa: Now we're done! Time to meet up with the others!

Meanwhile...

Easter Bunny (sampling chocolate, suddenly stops chewing): Hey! this is good!

Mr. Leprechaun (tries it): You're right!

Turkey: I think we're ready to meet up with the others!

When they meet up:

Cupid: Thanks! Now I'll just put everything in its correct place. (Turns to leave)

Easter Bunny (hops after him): While you're at it, can I have some more chocolate?

Fair or Not Fair

by: Jinyuan, 5th Grade (T° J°)

We all know about lunch. Whether it's our favorite time of the day or if we feel like some things are going on that are unfair and cannot go unnoticed. That's what this article is about: the injustices at lunch. During our time in recess, we have some stories that you can decide if they are fair or unfair. When a student says "thank you" to a lunch monitor very politely and unsarcastically. What does the lunch lady do?

- A. Reward him with more kindness
- B. Punish him for being loud

The answer may sound obvious, but this lunch monitor chose option B. Fair or unfair, you decide.

- A. Fair
- B. Unfair

Whether you chose fair or unfair, here is what happened next. The student had to wait outside longer and was not treated fairly.

Another question that I will ask is that is there a way to improve this unfair treatment at lunch? Sadly, this still remains a problem with many more injustices at lunch and recess. Another example was that when a student asks to hold the door the lunch monitor makes him go to the principal's office the lunch monitor thought that he was trying to skip line and unleashed her rage.

- A. Fair
- B. Unfair

Choose an answer for this last problem.

These types of problems continues to make students complain. If you see someone treated badly at lunch, by either a adult or a bully act immediately and tell a trusted adult that won't get you in trouble.



INTERVIEW WITH MISS LE TOURNEAU

by: Kylie, 2nd Grade

Hi I am going to interview Miss. LeTourneau a second grade teacher. I am in Miss. LeTourneau class it is very fun in her class.

Do you like Valentine's Day?

I do like Valentine's Day! I like Valentines Day because it is a day where you can show people you care about them in a nice way:)

What is your favorite food?

My favorite food is Pizza! Yum!

What is your favorite animal?

My favorite animal is a tiger. They are such beautiful animals!

Who is your favorite student?

I don't have one! Every student in the class is my favorite! I am so happy to be helping teach!!:)

What is your favorite color?

My favorite color is aquamarine.

Do you like to be a teacher?

I loveee it!! It is what I have always wanted to do!

Do you have any kids?

I do not. I love being able to be around kids every day at school! :)

What is your favorite special?

I am a big fan of art. I took a lot of art classes all throughout my life.

What is your favorite book?

When I was in third grade I read, The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane and that was my favorite book in elementary school.

**Polite!**

by: Katie, 3rd Grade

Flash back to Halloween...

In Monster School, a pukey monster named Puke, said something "polite."

"I hate your drawing!" says Puke. "And your face is like a ball of rotten watermelon dipped in puke!" The other monster smiled.

—Uh, Puke, that's alright to say, but happier?

"Your drawing is so 'pretty!'" said Puke, disgust. The monster who was drawing frowned.

"I'm telling!" he whined.

—I'm sorry, Puke, but please, you need to learn how to be polite!

"Your mean!" said Puke.

Uh, Puke? Oh my god, he turned into... into... INTO A "MONSTER!" AHHHHH!

"Be quiet!" said Puke. "Your gonna be breakfast!"

AHHHHHH! HE ATE ME UP! NOW I'M A... a... a... a bug?

"Duh!" said Puke. "What else can I do?"

February Recipe

by: Nadia, Rachel, Dianne, Isabel, 4th Grade

Sophie 3rd Grade

Valentine's Day Raspberry Almond Kiss Cookies ♥

From allrecipes.com

**Ingredients:**

½ cup of butter, softened

½ cup of white sugar

½ cup of brown sugar

1 egg

¼ teaspoon of salt

1 teaspoon of almond extract

40 milk chocolate Hershey kisses, unwrapped

1 teaspoon of baking soda

¼ cup of white sugar for decoration

2 cups of all-purpose flour

1 cup of confectioners sugar

1 tablespoon of milk

4 teaspoons of raspberry jam

¼ teaspoon of almond extract

Directions:

1. In a medium bowl, cream together the butter, ½ cup of white and brown sugar until it is smooth. Then blend in the egg and 1 teaspoon of the almond extract. Combine the flour, baking soda and the salt; and stir it into the creamy mixture. then cover the dough & refrigerate for at least one hour or until it is easy to handle.

2. Preheat the oven to 325 degrees Fahrenheit (165 degrees celsius). Then roll the dough into 1 inch balls, roll the balls in the remaining white sugar and place them two inches apart onto an ungreased cookie sheet.

3. Bake the cookies for about 10 to 12 minutes in the preheated oven/ until it is golden brown. While it is hot from the oven, immediately press a chocolate kiss into the center of each cookie. Then, take the cookies from the cookie sheets to cool if you have wire racks then put them on the wire racks to cool

4. In a small bowl, mix together the confectioners' sugar, milk, raspberry jam and ¼ teaspoon of almond extract and mix it until smooth. When it is smooth drizzle it over the cooled cookies

Comic Corner

by: Jennah and Arya, 1st Grade



TANUKI PROBLEM

by: Singyee, 5th Grade

The sun slowly disappeared over the horizon until it was completely gone. Shelby dashed over to her window, and let the warm summer breeze float into her room. Then, a chubby tanuki climbed in from the roof. Shelby took some food out of a small iron container. Some ramen, and a rice ball she had saved from dinner. She put it on the ground and watched Kiwi eat. When the tanuki was a baby, Shelby rescued it from a hawk. After that, she kept it as a pet and named it Kiwi. She had also built a little house for it on the roof. The problem was, her parents didn't allow pets. So it was good that she didn't have any siblings. She kept the tanuki a secret, even from her friends. But Shelby knew that sooner or later, someone would eventually find out.

One sunny Friday afternoon, her best friend Elizabeth caught up to her and asked, "Do you wanna have a sleepover today? Since my annoying little sister is having some of her friends come over for a sleepover, my mom said I could come to you for a sleepover if your mom allowed it." Shelby didn't know what to say because nobody had ever asked so she just plainly said "Sure. I'll ask my mom at home." Later that day, Shelby's mom texted Elizabeth's mom And they agreed to have a sleepover that very day.

When Elizabeth finally arrived at Shelby's house, she looked like she was gonna burst with excitement. But Shelby on the other hand looked very uneasy. "What if she finds out about Kiwi? Would she still be my friend? What if she tells my mom and dad? Or maybe she would tell the whole school?" These thoughts rumbled around in Shelby's head. They played for a little bit and watched a movie until it was time to go to bed. Shelby and Elizabeth lay on the soft bed. Shelby was sweating since she knew Kiwi was gonna pop in at any moment. So She turned over and whispered in Elizabeth's ear "Look. I have a pet tanuki and my parents don't know about it and I know it's kinda weird and I feed leftover dinner to it every night and..." Elizabeth stopped her at that moment and excitedly said "Well let's go see him!"

Shelby placed some salad on the ground and opened the creaky window. As always, Kiwi popped in. Elizabeth fell in love with Kiwi at first sight. "Look at him! He's SO CUTE!" "Shhhh!" Shushed Shelby. "My parents can't find out about him!" Elizabeth suggested that she should talk about it with her mom and dad. Maybe she would be able to keep it. Suddenly, footsteps awoke in the hallway. Started, Shelby and Elizabeth quickly hid the food, shoved Kiwi in the closet, closed the window, and climbed into bed. "Still awake?" Asked Shelby's mom in a groggy voice. "Yeah. We can't sleep." Shelby said pretending to be sleepy. "Well, tomorrow is Saturday anyway but you girls better get some sleep!" Said Shelby's mom. Then, something rumbled in the closet and made the drawers shake.

"Uh oh." Thought Shelby as her mom opened the closet. The next thing she knew, Elizabeth went home and she was having a talk with her mom and dad. Her mom said that they do not want to waste any money on a disgusting creature. Her dad on the other hand, was pretty surprised that she raised the tanuki herself. But mom was the dominance of the house and she always won the argument. But this time she said that we could keep the tanuki but not in the house, and they wouldn't spend any money on it unless it was from Shelby's allowance. So Shelby took some wood from the garage, and built a bigger house for Kiwi in their front yard. Eventually, Shelby's mom warmed up to Kiwi and allowed Kiwi to live in their house. Now Shelby's mom is even more attached to Kiwi than Shelby herself. The end.



FEBRUARY COMICS!

by: Nadia, Rachel, Isabel, Dianne, 4th Grade



More Comics!

By Alex, Charlie, Kabir, 2nd Grade

THE HAUNTED HOUSE

by Alex, Charlie and Kabir

One day there was a boy named Charles, he walked into an old rusty dirty house. He heard a howling sound from the big dark scary basement, then he heard someone say I WILL GET YOU! then they vanished after a few hours later he said I WANT A spider! he was so scared that he fell to the ground.

the end

By Alex, 2nd Grade

The Adventures of Kirby by Alex



By: Kabir 2nd Grade

Adventures of the Cat

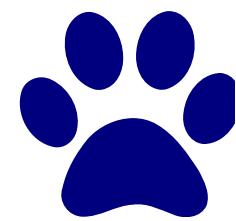
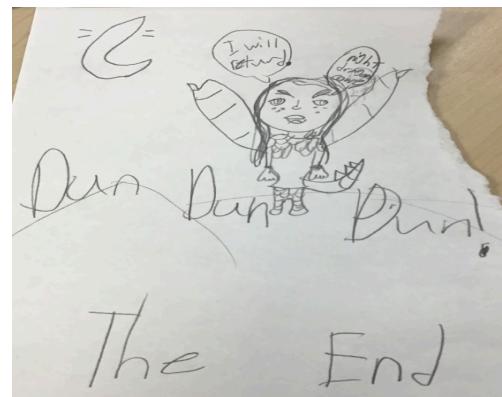
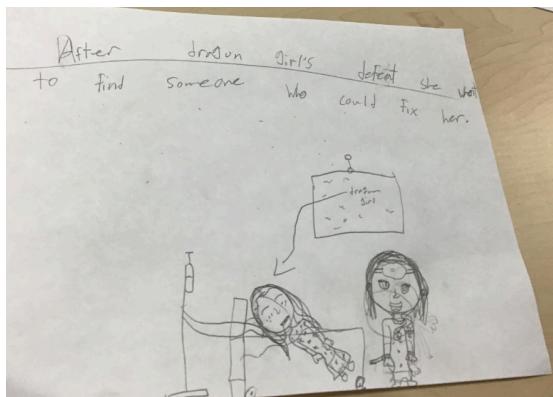
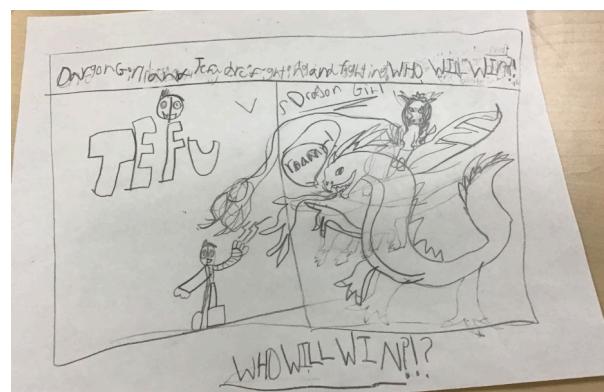
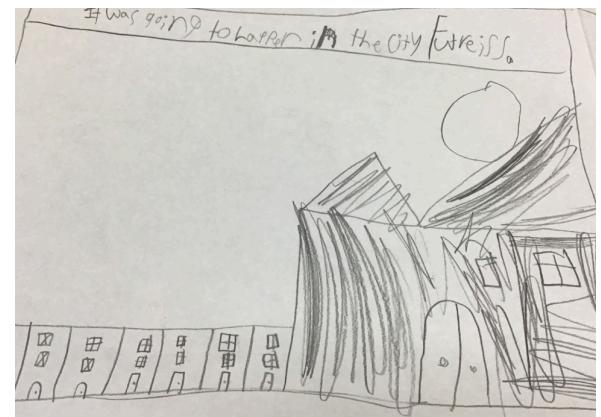
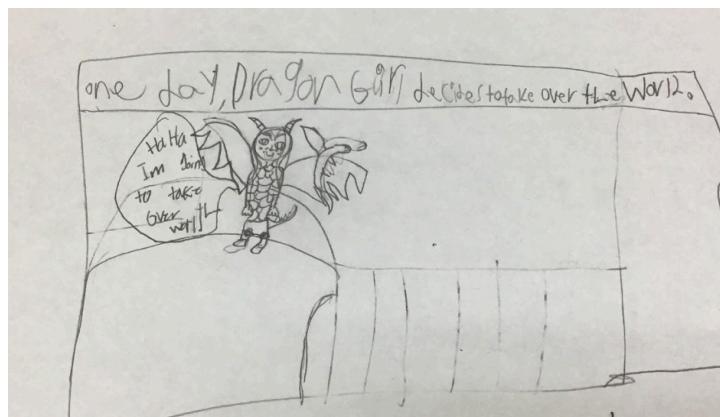
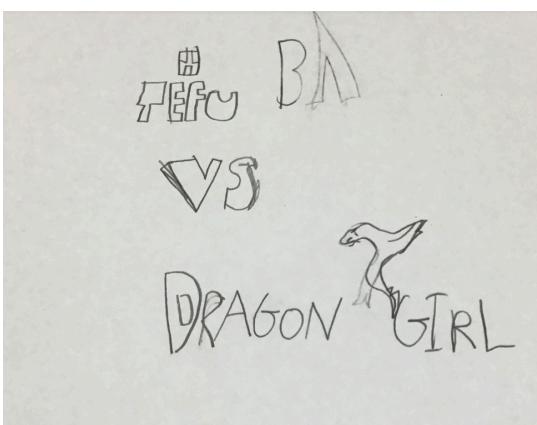


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TFue vs Dragon Girl

by: Lucille and Caelan, Kylie, 2nd Grade



Editors:
Ms. April and Miss Ohnsted

Kildeer Conspiracies

By: Dora and Landon, 4th Grade

The chicken nuggets are good right but they're bad for you plus hot dogs are made out of rubber and cheese pizza is bad for you

Dora

We think teachers can't remember there friends names because I saw a list of all their names but some can remember all the students name.

Landon

I think that the Kildeer has expired milk because my friend got expired milk don't drink Kildeer milk kids.also I got expired snack.

Dora

The yummy pizza you love is rubber

Landon

The boys restroom has a stall with no door but the hinges are still there.

Dora

On a bathroom door there is no lock

Landon

Kildeer almost has expired snacks because I almost got expired snack.

Dora

On a chicken nugget Day, I saw a McDonald's box in the Kitchen.