

AMAZING ADVENTURES

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Amazing Adventures is an exciting collection of stories written by our junior primary students. These students share stories of adventures, reflecting their creativity, humour and love of writing. Get ready as these students display their writing flair with a cast of unforgettable characters: from talking parks to brave crabs, genius giraffes and more!



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We believe that all children are capable of having great and wonderful adventures. But all adventurers need a light to guide their way. We hope this book inspires you to go out and have a few adventures of your own, with children leading the way and parents acting as a guiding light.

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The Sky and the Park

✍ Alison Yip (P1)

One gloomy, rainy day, the sky decides to have a chat with the park.

The park is sad. He has a problem. He says, "I don't like rainy days! The children all stay at home."

The sky has an idea. He says, "I have an idea! I can help you. I can stop the rain!"

The rain weakens. The park says, "Now the rain has weakened. Later, the rain will stop and the ground will dry out!"

The sun comes out.

The park is excited. He says, "The rain has stopped now. The children are coming!"

In the end, the sky, the park and the children are all happy.



Illustrated by Isabelle Chan

Nine Crabs and a Pelican

 Reanna Wong (P3)

It was a sunny day. Nine crabs were going out. They were looking for food. They walked across the beach.

A big pelican flew by. It had a big beak that looked like a bucket. It was flying over the crabs. It was getting ready to feed on the crabs.

One little crab saw the pelican. The little crab yelled, "A pelican! A pelican!" All the crabs were scared.

The crab monitor had an idea. The crab monitor asked all the crabs to come together and put their pincers up. When the pelican flew by, they used their pincers to cut its feathers.

The pelican was frightened and quickly flew away. The crabs were safe! They carried on with their great walk.

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I Hate Hong Kong

 Blue Wong (P3)

I hate Hong Kong because...

It smells horrible,

It is busy,

And the playgrounds
are small.

I hate Hong Kong because...

There are no fun things to do,

There are too many cars that
make carbon monoxide,

And there are no zoos.

I hate Hong Kong because...

I can't play cricket,

My bed feels chilly in winter,

And there are tall buildings everywhere.

I Hate
Hong
Kong!!

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The Giraffe's Idea

✍ Ingrid Wong (P3)

Once there was a giraffe called Percy. He lived in the Savannah desert.



One day, Percy had a problem. He was running out of water.

Percy was very thirsty. He saw a cactus. He wondered whether there was water inside its stem.

Percy carefully used a knife to cut off the top of the cactus. There was water inside!



Percy drank all of the water. His problem was solved! He wasn't thirsty anymore.

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The Healthy Bunny

✍ Dora Kwan (P2)

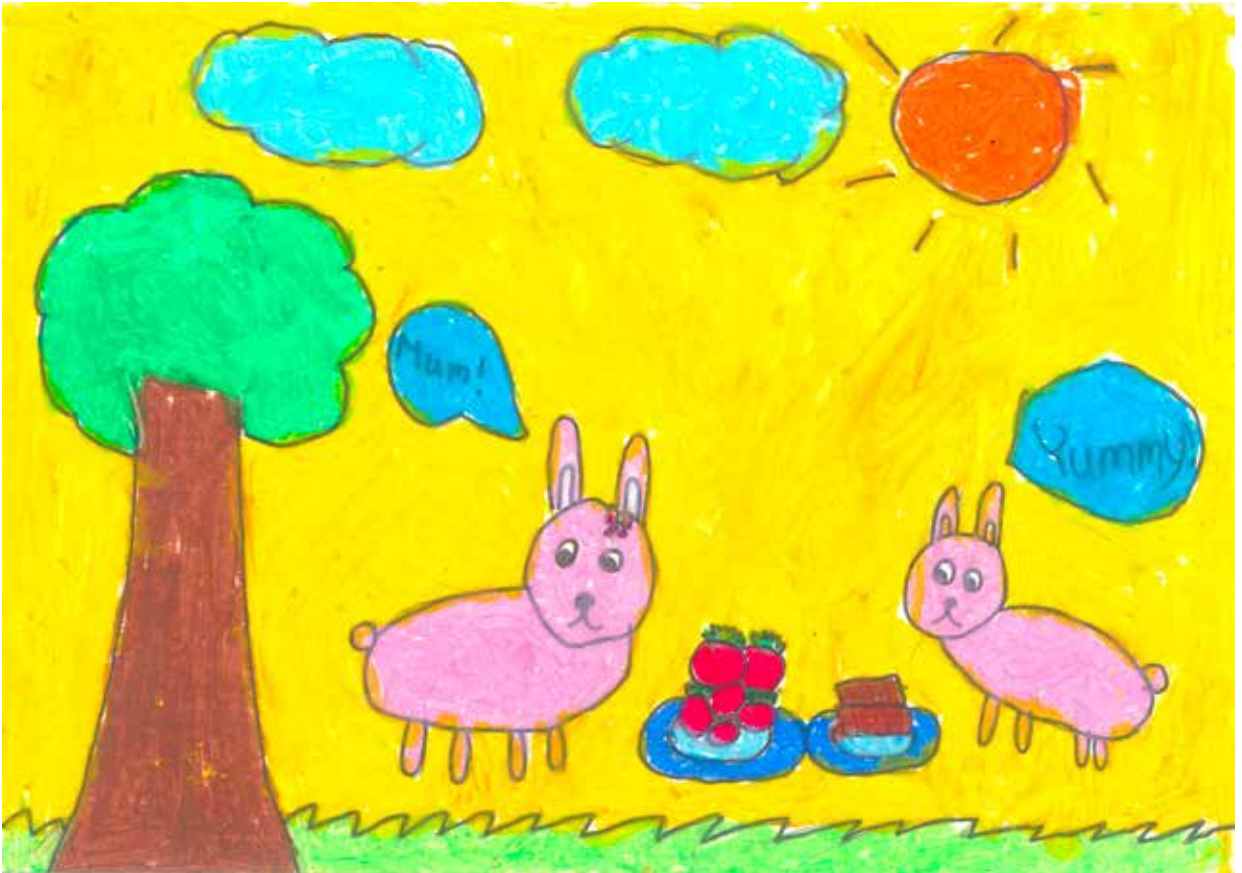
Once upon a time, there was a healthy bunny called Ruby. This bunny was a girl. Her favourite vegetable was tomatoes.

One day, Ruby saw a bunny called Peter. He was overweight and looked sick. He was always eating chocolate. Ruby went up to him. She said, "Please do not only eat chocolate."

Peter said, "Ok, I will try!" He listened to Ruby's words. In the end, he managed to stop eating chocolate. He became a healthy and happy rabbit.

It's always good to listen to good advice!

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When I was a Baby

✍ Anson Shao (P3)

When I was a baby,
I didn't know how to eat
with a knife and fork.

When I was a baby,
I played with the toilet.

When I was a baby,
I swam on the floor.

When I was a baby,
I did not know how to turn on the TV.

When I was a baby,
I did not know how to find my way home.

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Illustrated by Serena Wen

Manson's Busy Week

✍ Manson Yang (P3)

On Monday, I went to school and my teacher gave me a lot of homework.

On Tuesday, it was my birthday.

On Wednesday, I went swimming.

On Thursday, it rained all day long.

On Friday, I rode my bike.








On Saturday, I went to Harbour City.

On Sunday, I went to i-Learner.



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time Table						
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thru	Fri	Sat	Sun
I went to school	Birthday	Swimming	raining	ride a bike	Harbour City	i-learn
						

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The Rabbit and the Fish

✍ Rosita Kwok (P3)

One day, a little rabbit went to pick some mushrooms. She felt very happy. When the little rabbit was on her way home, she heard some sounds coming from the river. She saw a little fish swimming happily. So she asked the little fish, "Can I play with you?" And the little fish replied, "Yes!"

So the little rabbit took the little fish home in a bag of water. They played happily together. They lived together for the rest of their lives.



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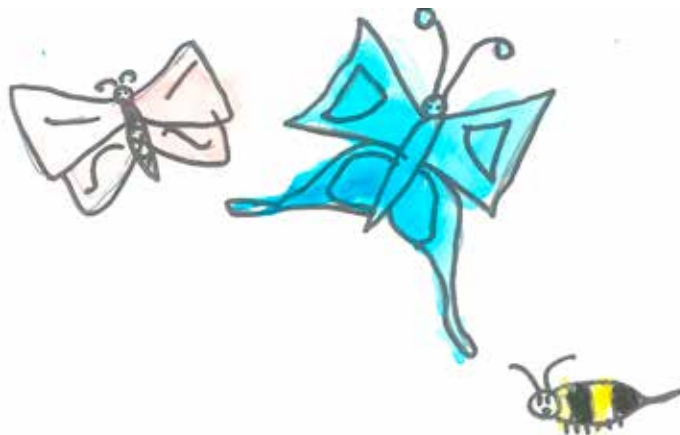
The Butterflies and the Bee

✍ Eleanor Wong (P1)

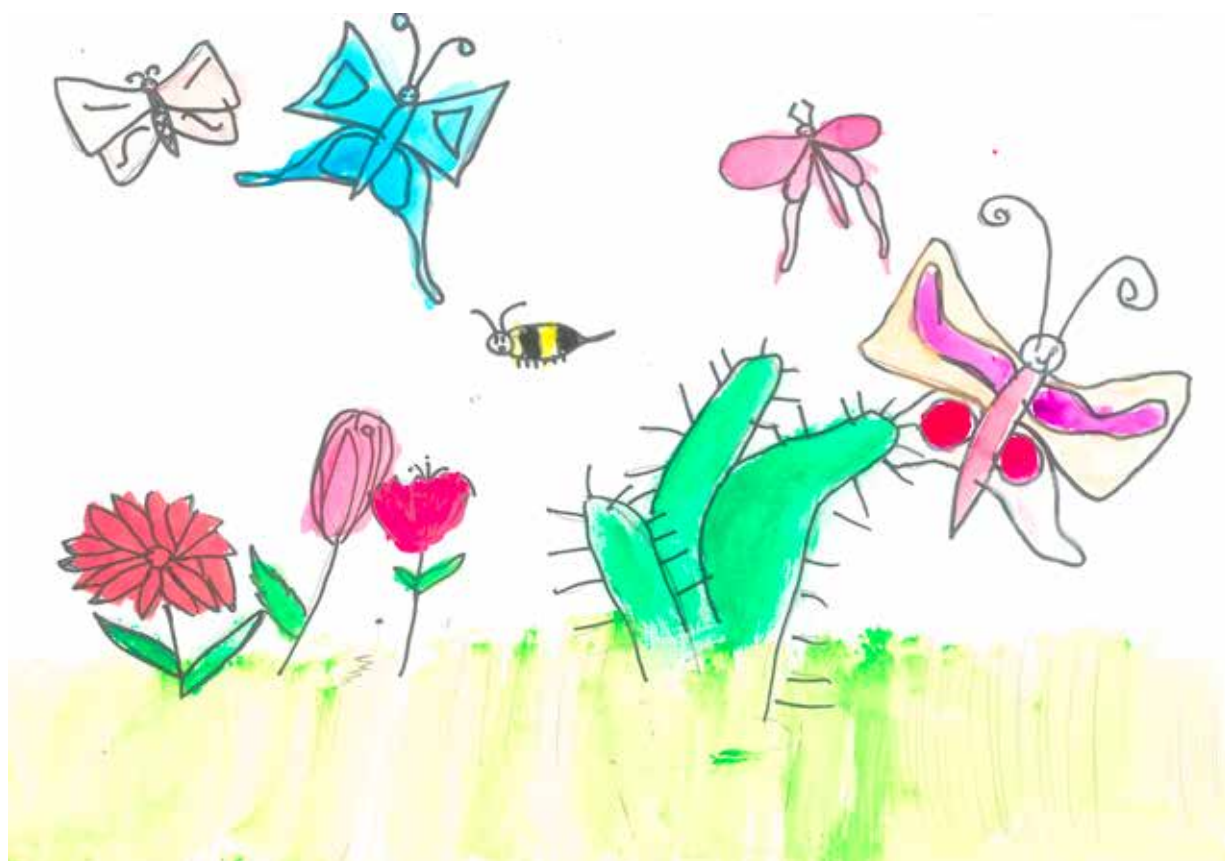
This butterfly is blue.
That butterfly is brown.
There are four butterflies.
They are flying.

There is one bee.
The bee is black and yellow.
The bee is eating honey.

The butterflies and the bee are in the garden.
They are happy.



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Illustrated by Alice Lam

The Butterfly and the Park

✍️ Andrea Yeung (P2)

One night, Alice the butterfly met Bruce the park. They said hello to each other.

"Hello!" said Alice the butterfly.

"Hi!" said Bruce the park.

Alice had a problem. She was lost! She kept flying about but she couldn't find her way out of the park.

Bruce the park thought for a while and looked around. "Hmm...Let me think."

Then he had a good idea. "Ah!" he said triumphantly. "You can follow the stars in the sky!"

Alice looked up at the sky and followed the

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stars. She finally found her way out of the park.

"Thank you!" said Alice to Bruce. Then she flew all the way home to her mother.



Illustrated by Isabelle Chan

Story Pie

✍ Jacqueline To (P2)

Once upon a time, there was a friendly monster called Monster. She was very good at cooking.

One day, Monster was hungry. She decided to make a story pie. She left her cave and went down the street. She went to her neighbour's house and knocked on the door. The neighbour was called Sally. She knew Monster because they were friends. Monster said, "Can I have some old storybooks?"

"Yes you can," said Sally, and she went back into the house. After a few minutes, she came back out with a bunch of old, dusty books.

"Thank you," said Monster.

Monster went home. She went into her rubbish garden. She picked some rubbish blueberries and rubbish strawberries. "I bet

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this is going to be very yummy," she said.

She went inside her house and got out a bowl. And then she cooked. A few hours later, she came out with a story pie.

She took the first bite and smiled.
"This is yummy!" she said.



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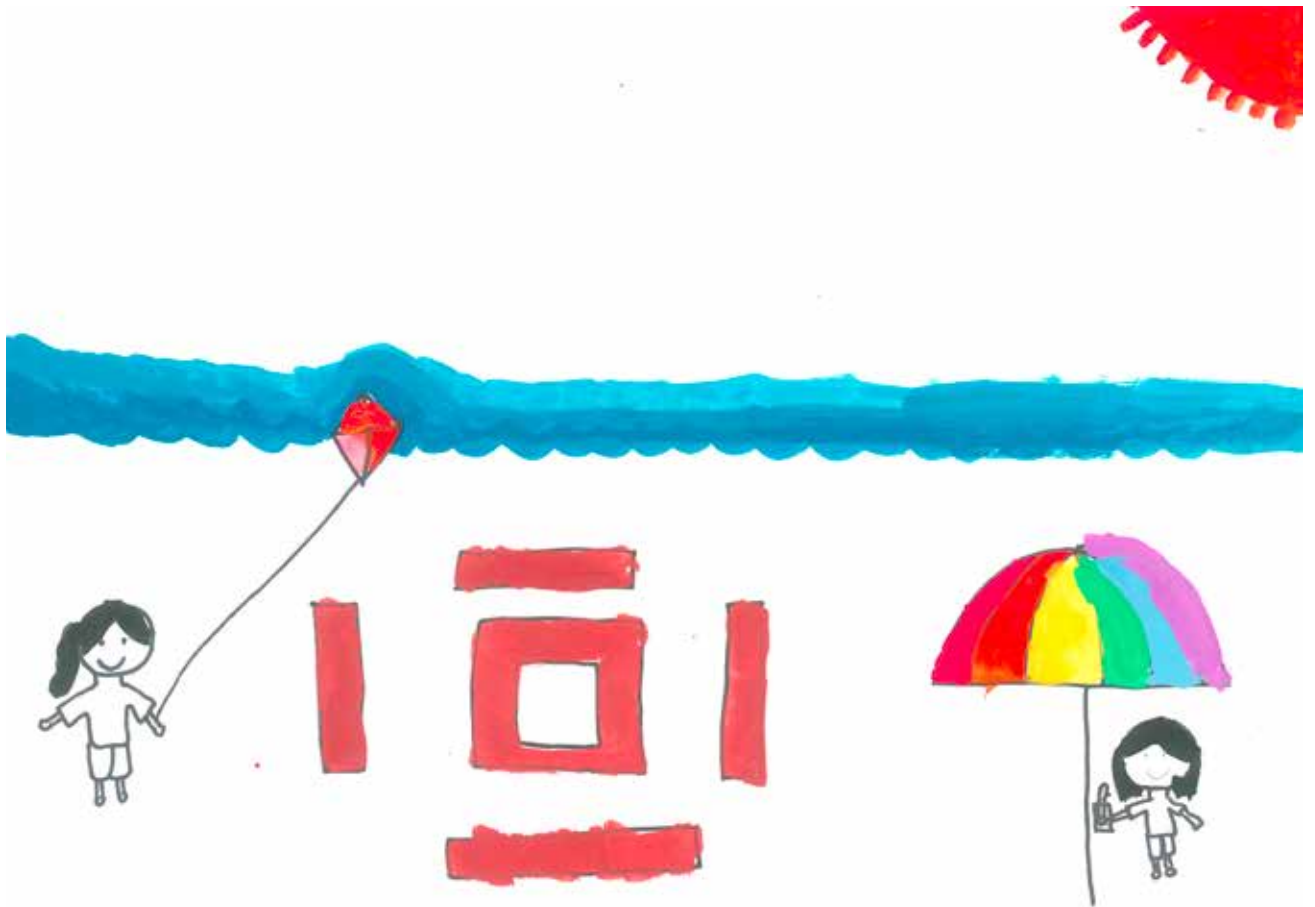
Autumn

✍ Colin To (P2)

I like autumn because it is cool.
My mum takes us for a BBQ on the beach.
We take a seat and cook some meat.
We fly a kite and ride a bike.
I fight my sister with all my might,
over the last chicken wing.
In the morning, my dad, my sister
and I go swimming in the sea,
While my mother lies on the
beach and drinks a cup of tea.
At night, we listen to the sound of the sea,
And look at the stars.
I like autumn.



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Illustrated by Vanessa Cheung

The Game

✍ Alex Kwan (P3)

It was spring. It was warm. Tom and Bob went into the garden and kicked a football together.

They played happily in the garden. Suddenly, Bob kicked the football very hard and it went up towards the sky, and then fell back through a window.

Tom and Bob were scared. Their mother rushed outside and saw the broken window. She was angry.

"Who did it?" asked Mum. Her face was red. The two brothers lowered their heads and said sorry to their mother. They felt awful.

A few weeks passed. The boys worked hard and saved up all their pocket money. They bought a new window and gave it to their mother. Their mother was very happy.

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How Squirrels Got Bushy Tails

✍ Ingrid Wong (P2)

A long time ago, squirrels did not have bushy tails. They had short, furless tails.

One young squirrel did not like his tail. He felt that in winter, it was too cold. His tail was always coated with ice in winter.

The young squirrel tried different methods of keeping his tail warm. At first, he tried



Illustrated by Alice Lam

putting some mud on it, but that made it too dirty. Then he tried putting leaves on his tail, but they kept falling off.

All the while, the young squirrel's family said he should be grateful to have a short, furless tail. They referred to their cousins, the hamsters, who had tails so furry that it was unbearable in summer.

The young squirrel ignored them and kept trying. He next tried tying his tail to a tree. Then, he started pulling. It was very painful but his tail got a little longer. The squirrel did this every day while all the other squirrels laughed. He soon had to stop because it was too painful.

Then the squirrel tried to get some fur to stick onto his tail. After some thought, he decided that the lion's fur would be perfect for

his tail. So he followed the lion everywhere. He was very careful because lions love to eat squirrels.

One day, the young squirrel accidentally stepped on a dry branch and made a crackling sound. The lion heard it and roared in anger. The lion saw the squirrel, but it was too late. The squirrel plucked some fur from the lion's mane and quickly scrambled up a tree. After a while, the lion went away and the squirrel was safe.

Each day, the squirrel did the same and after a month, his stock of fur was ready. He took some sap from the trees and applied it to his tail. Then he stuck the fur onto his tail. His family saw his tail and said it was very beautiful. The squirrel gave them some leftover fur and sap and they all stuck the fur onto their tails.

And that is why squirrels have bushy tails today.

Overnight Train: Xian to Beijing

Hogan Mark (P3)

At 7 in the evening, I should be eating my dinner. But actually I was eating my supper on a train.



Illustrated by Louie Chan

On the train, when we weren't yet moving, the food that we had was not bad but the French Fries were not crispy and also some of them were very long.

While we were eating a hamburger, the train started to move. The hamburger was quite yummy and not spicy at all. After that I had a good look at the train.

The train was still going quite slowly when I looked out of the window. When I looked out of the window, the sky was starting to get dark.

The train started to go faster and faster. I was amazed that the train could keep moving for more than half a day.

That night we didn't take a shower. My mum brought two towels to clean up my sister and me. We even changed on the train and brushed our teeth on the train. My older sister and I were super excited.

My mum is smart because she knows that lots of people sleep on the beds and the beds are dirty, so she brought something to cover the dirty bed for us to sleep on. Next to the bed, there was a useless TV that did not work.

Right then, it was time to sleep, which I hated.

Before I slept, I heard lots of train noises. When my mum, my dad and my older sister were asleep, I was still awake feeling the vibrations of the train.

I tried to stay up for the whole night but I couldn't. I fell asleep at 11:30pm and woke up again at midnight. I kept falling asleep and waking up again.

At 12am, it was very noisy. It was as if some trains were communicating with each other. Some were making lots of noise.

The next morning, we were close to Beijing. When I slept that night, I dreamed of trains whistling and talking.

Finally, we arrived in Beijing. We were so super excited that we couldn't stop laughing!

My older sister and I slept well that night. The train ride was unbelievable! My sister and I said it was the best train ride in our whole life!

Dino and the Volcano

✍ Mark Tse (P3)



Hi there! My name is Dino and I am a very happy dinosaur. Sometimes I'm lazy too. I like to eat meat!

One day, Dino met a volcano. The volcano looked sad and said to Dino, "I will cry soon! I will hurt you." The volcano told Dino to leave. But Dino saw how sad the volcano was and said, "I don't want to leave you."

Dino left the volcano, shouting, "See you next time!" But he felt rather sad and scared. What could he do to help the volcano?

Dino jumped onto his scooter and rode into the forest to get far away from the volcano.

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Dino was safe in the dark forest. But he also felt worried. He hoped the volcano would be okay.



Illustrated by Mark Tse

Grandpa

✍ Grayson Yang (P2)

One sunny day, Mary was at home alone. She had done all of her holiday homework, so she felt bored. She called her grandpa. Grandpa said, "If you come to my home I will give you a very big surprise, but you must tell your mum and dad first."

Mary wrote a note to her parents and stuck it on the front door before she left.

Mary took the rainbow speed train to grandpa's house. She got off at ABTCZ station and walked to Grandpa's house. She knocked on the door ten times and



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called out, "Grandpa, open the door!"

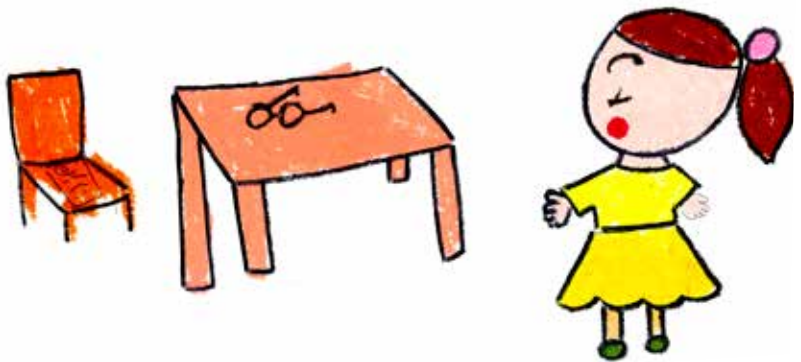
The door opened by itself. She looked around the house. Nobody was inside.

A pair of glasses was on the table. Some newspapers were on the chair. She looked inside the room and found nobody. Mary heard a strange sound. She thought monsters had kidnapped Grandpa so she ran to the bus stop. She wanted to go home.

The bus came and she saw her father get off the bus.

They went to Grandpa's house together. Mary heard some sounds behind the curtains. It was Grandpa.

Grandpa laughed and said, "Surprise!"



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The Clothes

✍ Rachel Chow (P3)

A few years ago, Cherry was on her way to school. She was going to perform in the school play.

Cherry was wearing a beautiful dress. It was a princess costume that belonged to the school.

Before Cherry left for school, her mother said warningly, "Don't get your costume dirty!"

Cherry said that she would be careful, closed the door, and happily set off.

Suddenly, Jenny, the prettiest kid in Cherry's school, came up to Cherry. Jenny was always dressed in beautiful clothes in the latest



Illustrated by Charlotte Leung

fashion. Today, she was wearing a beautiful dress. Jenny was pretty, but she was also a bully.

"Hello, Cherry. I'm going to eat you," sneered Jenny when she saw Cherry.

Cherry was frightened and ran away. But unfortunately, she tripped over a large rock and fell right into a big puddle of mud. Cherry was very scared because she now had mud all over her costume.

Cherry ran to the shopping mall to look for another costume. She soon found one that looked almost exactly the same. But it was too expensive. Cherry walked sadly back to school.



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Rebekah Lui*

While Cherry was heading back to school, she saw Jenny again. Cherry was frightened, but she decided to ask Jenny to help.

"Excuse me, Jenny, could you lend me a dress for the play?" she begged timidly.

Jenny said proudly, "Of course not!"

Cherry said, "Jenny, let's be friends. Friends should help each other."

Jenny thought about it. She had never had a friend before. She decided to lend Cherry one of her beautiful dresses to wear for the play.

The two girls walked to school happily. They performed in the play together, and afterwards, they washed Jenny's muddy costume so well that it looked like new again. They were good friends for the rest of their lives.

Going to the Shopping Mall

✍ Elly Yuen (P2)

Yesterday, my grandma asked me to help her to buy some things. She said that if I managed to get everything on her shopping list, she would give me an ice cream. So I took the basket.

It was a very hot day. My bike, which had been lying in the sun, was burning hot. But I still wanted to do the shopping because I wanted the ice cream.

I hopped onto the bike, and soon found out that the tyres were flat. So I got back off and had to walk. The market was very far



Illustrated by Rebekah Lui

away. I walked and walked and walked.

After twenty minutes, I got to the market. My grandmother had written a list for me. The food at the market was very cheap. The list was long and it took me a long, long time to find everything. But at last, I had everything on the list!

I walked back home. I was very tired and hot. My feet were in pain. When I got back home, I saw a chocolate ice cream on the table. I ate the ice cream at once.

It was worth it!



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Six Days: End of Earth

✍ Cyrus Choy (P3)



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One night in 1945, at midnight, a storm was brewing. Every corner of the Earth was full of darkness and fear. All of a sudden, a giant enormous space ship landed in New York Park. A human-

like alien came out and tried to stand up, but it couldn't. It also tried to talk. It said slowly, "You little humans will soon be all dead. You destroyed the environment and chopped down trees. Stop destroying the environment, or else you will all be put to death!"

20 years went by; the people seemed to have forgotten the alien's words. So they went back to chopping down trees and making coal. One day, a terrible storm came. It destroyed everything. All the aeroplanes were destroyed. The next day, the United Kingdom started to sink and everything fell into the sea. On the third day, fire dragons blew up the buildings. On the fourth day, a school of asteroids crashed into Earth. On the fifth day, Mount Fuji in Japan blew up like a beast roaring. On the sixth day, scientists tried to build a spaceship to enter space and negotiate with the aliens, but creatures from the underground world came up and killed every human-being.

And that was the end of Earth.



Maths Homework

✎ Chui O (P3)

It was time
for homework.
Jessica opened
her maths
homework.
She said, "I
hate maths
homework!"
She decided
to sharpen
her pencil instead.



Illustrated by Charlotte Leung

When her pencil was sharp, she still
didn't want to do her homework.

"Oh, I am hungry," said Jessica. "I need some

food. Okay, maybe I can have a sandwich." After she finished eating, she went back to her homework. But still she didn't want to do it.

Then she started to feel thirsty. She went to the kitchen and poured some Coca-Cola into a glass. When she had finished every last drop, she went back to her homework. But still she didn't want to do it.

She said, "I hate maths homework! I hate it! I hate it! It is driving me mad!"

She turned on the TV, and sat on the sofa to watch. It was the news. Then she heard some footsteps. It was Dad.

All of a sudden, Jessica felt scared. She quickly turned off the TV and rushed to her dad. She said, "Dad, please help me!"

In Outer Space

✍ Odilia Wong (P3)

Chapter 1: Jupiter

One bright morning, I went to the toilet as usual, but I got stuck in the toilet bowl. After a few hours, I still wasn't able to get myself out. Suddenly, I heard a loud "BOOOOOOOOO!" All of a sudden, I felt my body being lifted up by a strange kind of magic. I floated through the air and next to a rocket.

I went in and sat down. There was no



Illustrated by Esther Lui

driver. Suddenly, the rocket began to fly. I realised that it must be a magic rocket.

The rocket took me into outer space. It was very far away from Earth, and I was very scared. I saw many planets.

The rocket flew to Jupiter, where there were many black holes. Jupiter is the biggest planet and the fifth closest to the sun. When you see Jupiter, it is grey and black because of all the black holes. I fell into one of those black holes. It was very bright inside because it was very close to the sun.

Inside the black hole, there were many aliens and astronauts. They were having a dancing competition! I watched the competition from the upper deck. I felt very happy! I didn't want to go back to the rocket and fly back to Earth because on Jupiter, I was happy!

When the competition ended, I crawled

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into another hole to see what else I would find. I saw a person sitting there. He was handsome and smart. I asked him lots of questions about Jupiter, and he knew all the answers because he was the director of the Jupiter Hotel. He let me live in one of the hotel rooms for free. It was the nicest hotel in the world! The room had a small bed. It was very comfortable and soft. I liked it!

Chapter 2: On the Coldest Day

I lived in the Jupiter Hotel for many days. There was a lot to explore. One day, in the hotel, I found a smart machine. It allowed whoever was inside it to time travel.



Illustrated by Rebekah Lui

I used the smart machine to time travel to the Dinosaur Age. It was hot. It was like a desert.

The dinosaurs came. The biggest one was called Rey. He was heavy and weighed thousands of pounds. He was very strong!

There were lots of other dinosaurs, but they were much smaller than Rey. There were many Coelurosauria, which looked a bit like giant birds.

As I was watching the dinosaurs from behind a rock, I heard Rey say, "I wish that today was the coldest day in the world. I want to play in the snow."

All of a sudden, his wish came true!

Snow came down from the sky. It was very cold. Many of the dinosaurs died because it was simply too cold. The dinosaurs did not have any winter clothes to wear. They were all very

scared. Soon, the dinosaurs had become extinct.

I had lots of warm clothing with me so I wasn't cold at all. I wanted to stay and see what happened next, but the smart machine broke and accidentally took me back to the Jupiter Hotel.

Chapter 3: The Baby Machine

Back at the Jupiter Hotel, the broken smart machine gave birth to a new one. There was now a family of smart machines: a broken mother and a new-born baby. I looked after both of the machines and used them to go on many adventures.

After a few months, one day, the mother smart machine suddenly died. The new-born smart machine was very scared.

Chapter 4: The Big Problem

I decided to look after the baby machine. We lived together in my room in the Jupiter Hotel and had a lovely time. It was now summer and we played on the beach together every day.

Many weeks passed. One day, I woke up and looked out of my window. Something was wrong. Jupiter was in trouble. The hot weather had suddenly become cold weather. The temperature changed from forty degrees to zero degrees, and nearly everyone died.

I was very cold. I searched every shopping mall for warmer clothing, but I couldn't find any.

I decided to search for an eight-year-old girl called Jolly. She was the smartest girl on Jupiter, and she knew lots of magic.

After searching for many days, I finally found her. I asked her to teach me some magic

to keep me safe from the cold weather. It didn't take long to learn, and I used the magic to keep myself and the baby smart machine warm. We lived very comfortably and I was very pleased.

Chapter 5: The Woman on Earth

Eventually, I became homesick. I decided to return to Earth. I used the baby machine to return to Earth. But I couldn't find my family. Finally, I found a kind-looking woman. "Can I live with you?" I asked.

The woman said, "Yes, you can live with me."

I was worried because I thought that I would have to leave the baby smart machine behind. But luckily, the woman saw the baby machine and also invited the little baby machine to live in the house. The baby machine decided to call the woman's house Wooden, because it was made of many pieces of wood, we all lived there happily ever after.

The Night of New York

✍ Johnson Wong (P3)

At midnight in New York City, nobody was on the streets of New York. Suddenly, the alarms of the Central Bank began to ring. The police rushed to the bank to try to find out what had happened. But it was too dark to catch the criminals. The thieves escaped.

Suddenly, the commander of the police team received a call from the boss of the Central Bank. 10 billion dollars had been stolen!



Illustrated by Carina Yu

Immediately after hanging up his phone, the police commander received another call. This time the call was from the head of the police A team. The head told the commander that they had found the thieves in an old factory half-way up Sky Mountain, a famous mountain in New York. All the police got ready to go catch the thieves.

The police took just five minutes to get to the old factory. But they couldn't enter. The factory was rigged with thousands of explosives.

The police commander asked the New York Army for help. They arrived in just two minutes and entered the factory right away. The police nervously waited outside.

Suddenly, they heard gunshots and knew that the army was about to catch the thieves. But all of a sudden, they heard an explosion. The whole factory

was on fire! The factory was going to collapse!

While the police were panicking and wondering how to save the army, they saw the army marching out of the factory with the criminals in handcuffs. The police alerted the fire service, which promptly arrived and put out the fire.

After a few days, the police and the army held a celebratory party in a disco. While they were dancing happily, a policeman told the commander, "Sir, I am not very happy."

The commander asked, "Why? You should be glad that we caught the thieves."

The policeman bashfully said, "Yes, but sir, you forgot to give us a bonus!"

My Dad

✍ Keith Kwok (P3)

Chapter 1: The Night and my Mysterious Dad

It was a cold, windy night and it was raining. I heard the wind blowing loudly through the trees and smelt the damp earth. I was very scared. I had lost my way and something told me that danger was near. I saw a light in the distance and hoped it was a shelter.



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It really was a shelter! I sat down and rested for a short while. When I started to go and find my way home, someone appeared. He was headless! He wore a white shirt with big words on it: "I am a ghost! Look out!" As soon as I saw those words, I ran away immediately. But the man caught me and took me to somewhere mysterious...

The man dragged me over the hills, across lots of buildings. Suddenly, he came to a stop in front of my father's office. Then I heard my father. I knew why the person was headless and why he had brought me to my father's office. The man's head was black, so in the gloom it seemed that he was headless. And my father knew that I was in trouble because I didn't meet him in his office as promised, so he sent his colleague to find me. However, I still didn't know how my

father's colleague knew where I was.

My father kissed me and told me how much he missed me. Then we went back home together happily to have dinner.

Chapter 2: Sports Day

The next day was Sports Day. I decided to win a medal to show my dad as he didn't know about Sports Day and how good I was at sports.

When the race started, I used all my strength to win the race. At last, I won the horse-racing race.

Everyone cheered for me for being such a good sportsman. They started to set some fireworks off. Boom! Boom! The fireworks were very colourful. Then the fireworks burst into some

flowers. There were even stars! But when the fireworks rained down, a spaceship landed and the apparently headless man seized me from the stage and took me to my dad's office again. My father said that he felt very happy that I won the race and gave me a new toy. I was very pleased.

Then, my dad blew me a kiss and continued working. While I was walking back home, I had the same question, how did my dad's colleague know where I was? I was bewildered and thought about this strange experience while I was sleeping. Then I saw a red light flashing on my watch. Could it be that my watch was causing all these mysterious events?

Chapter 3: Under the sea, dark and deep

A few days later, I went to the beach with my friends. We had a "Sandcastle Building Race" and we swam in the sea. Just as we were going to leave, I saw an orange submarine floating in the sea. There was nobody in it, so I went in along with my friends.

It was very dark inside the big submarine. I looked up and up. I saw a picture of a skull in the main room of the house-like submarine. Vroom! Vroom! Suddenly, the submarine lurched forward into the dark, deep sea. My friends and I went into the control room and saw nobody, but the buttons on the control panel were moving ...

It was so scary that I was afraid I would have a heart attack. It seemed as if there was an invisible man moving around. Bang! Bang! In the middle of nowhere, Dad suddenly came in,

standing right in front of me.

My friends and I screamed in astonishment. We wondered how my dad got in. Just as we were wondering, the submarine broke apart and we were in the sea! We swam and swam, trying to find our way home. Mysterious dad gave us air-tanks and showed us our way back to the beach. A few minutes later, we saw a shark chasing us!

We swam as fast as we could. At last, the shark was gone as he felt too tired to chase us. Then we separated and went home.

My friends and I were puzzled. How did my dad know where I was? How did he get into the submarine? Was dad a ghost? Would I have another scary and mysterious adventure? Then I looked at my watch. The red dot had disappeared! What happened to my watch? Where

was Dad? I had no answers to those questions. I decided to think about them the next day.

Chapter 4: Outer Space

I joined a Space Studies class the next day. I wanted to show my dad how smart I was. I didn't tell my dad about it to surprise him.

I had only seen Space from pictures and maps. I was fascinated by them. So, I decided that I would go and see it for real. I borrowed a spaceship from my friend's dad.

Three!

Two!

One!

Blast off!

I was in Space almost instantly. I saw different

planets and even aliens. Just as I was wandering around, I found out that the spaceship was breaking apart! The buttons didn't work, there was a hole in the middle of the spaceship and the windows would not open or close! I didn't know what to do.

Suddenly, my dad appeared right in front of me again, just like last time when I was trapped in the breaking submarine. My dad fixed everything by pressing a button on my watch! Everything went back to normal.

Then, my dad finally told me he had put four function buttons on my watch. The first was the "fix up button", the second was the "micro-sized person". The third was the "world secret GPS" and the last one was "time machine". Sometimes when my dad was busy, he could use the "world secret

GPS" function and ask his colleague to find me. And sometimes he would hide in my pocket by using the "micro-sized-person" function. He would come to help me whenever I was in trouble. When he shrank to micro-size, a dot would flash around my watch.

When I heard this, I was amazed. I hoped that I could use those functions in the future. I also wanted to thank my dad for being a hero. I wanted to be like my father and help people in need.

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