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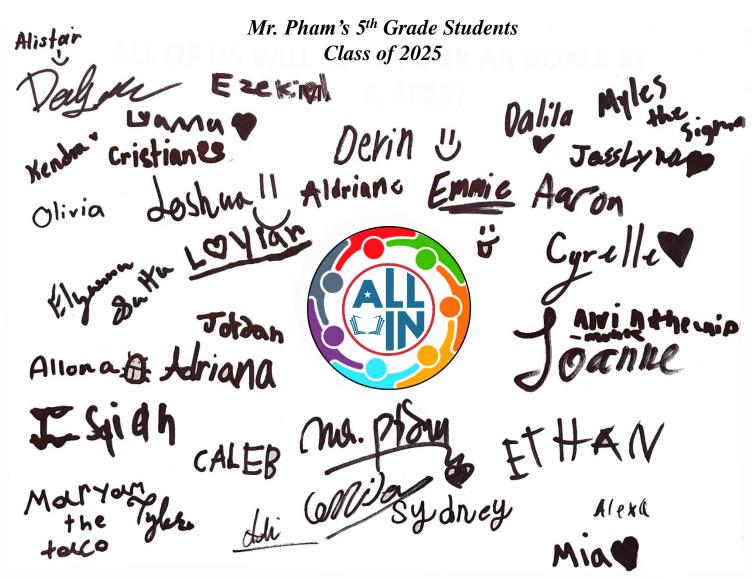


Memories and Images of Our Fifth Grade Year 2024-2025





This Class Yearbook is dedicated to Our Loving Parents, Our Teacher, and most of all, to US, Room B1 Students.





5th Grade is here,
What a wonderful grade. It's gonna be a great year!
33 kids in class, all ready to learn.
No time to waste, look forward to some fun.
It'll be a wonderful journey, Mr. Pham said so.
"Effort we must have, directions we must follow.
Don't be shy, join in, and let's go!"

We've done lots of STEAM, so cool.
High-flying rockets, and wood gliders too.
But that's not all. Balloon-powered cars,
The fun of watching Santa falls.
Augmented 3-D, building with marshmallows,
Battle-bots with the rolling Spheros.
But the bridge project was the best of all.
We planned, we glued, we watched them fall.

There were lots of fun things we did through the year. Hot chocolate and RoAch time, we hold so dear. Carnival in the winter, one more as the year ends. Talent shows, flea markets, good times with friends.

We've learned a lot in this 5th grade.
Bots we programmed, flowers we made.
Math, Science, Reading and everything in between.
Presentations and Art, what a great year this has been.
Our teacher, our friends, this class, we'll miss it so.
With happy smiles, but heavy hearts, say good-bye... because...
We have to go...



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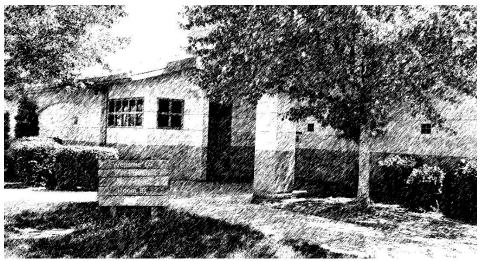


#### What a bunch of babies!

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- 2. One of the "Talks the Least" 3. Baldimort's nightmare in class
- 4. Finish Him!
- 6. Part of the annoying group!
- 7. "Laughs the Most" member
- 8. Funniest in class
- 9. "Don't tell me what to do!"
- 10. Mr. Pham's coolest kid
- 11. One of the "Nicest"
- 12. Get your can of Raid! 13 I have a cute smile
- 14. Most likely to succeed
- 15. "Talks the Least" Kid
- 16. One of the "Nicest"

- 17. Volleyball King
- 18. One of the Weirdest
- 19. Most likely to succeed
- 20. The Mummy
- 21. Soccer Captain
- 22. Best Behavior
- 23. Cool kid
- 24. CMEJ Builder
- 25. Shark-bait
- 26. Doesn't talk to Mr. Pham!!!
- 27. Rocket Queen
- 28. Another "nicest"
- 29. Do you like tacos?
- 30. Curly
- 31. BBB-Yah!



5<sup>th</sup> Grade Class of 2024-2025

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### hwhat is nappiness?

"They say Happiness is a thing you can't see, a thing you can't touch. I disagree! Happiness is standing beside me, I can see him, he can see me... Happiness is whatever you want it to be..."

#### My dear Students,

I memorized the lyrics to this song back in my 5th grade during a school play (the "yellow-snow" incident). At the time, I only know how to sing it, but did not understand the meaning behind it. As I grow older, these simple words began to mean something in every walk of life. Let me explain by taking a look back at this year...

The first day of school back in August, we were so wide-eyed coming together for the first time in this Room B1. Everyone was waiting to see what this funny looking teacher will say and do. From that day on, we worked together, we made friends, we laughed, we yelled and screamed, we learned, and we were happy. But happiness is much more than that. You see, happiness is sharing this year together. Here are some examples: Happiness is having a chance to go to school every day, to be in a safe environment, to gain knowledge. Happiness means being together for the whole 5th grade year, a unique and special class that happens only once. It's almost destiny. To you, Happiness might be getting a good grade, completing an assignment, winning Kahoot competitions, having paydays, flea-market days, game room play, STEAM projects, celebrating New Year, Cinco de Mayo, and the Carnivals!!! It IS Destiny!

To me, HAPPINESS is seeing smiles on your faces each day. Happiness is not having to mark anyone absent. Happiness is watching you try your best, helping you to be successful, watching "Mr. Lemoncello's Library", going on our class walking fieldtrip, and enjoying a "RoAch" together.

Happiness is calling you Tacoryam, Roach-Girl, Curly Fries, Cornyanna, the Tech Supports, Aye-Aye, Slytherin Girl, and all the Sigmas ... Happiness is collecting fines for shrugging your shoulders, for saying "never mind", "whatever", and for insisting that Mr. Pham is oogly. Most of all, Happiness is having a group of unique and wonderful students...

So there, I CAN and DO see happiness. Happiness was in class with me every day, standing beside me, talking to me, annoying me, even insulting me... Yes! I can see Happiness, and they can see me. Happiness is whatever makes you happy...

This year, I have 33 wonderful happiness in class.

MY students, the year is over, and you must go on. Have courage, take that next step that will open your mind to a whole new world and understanding. No matter where your journey takes you, always remember that "We may not remember days, but we do remember moments." Hopefully, through this yearbook, you will always remember some of the many happy moments we've shared in this class. May your journeys be filled with many, many more happy moments

# The Class Times Letters 12024-2025

October 2024

Class Times

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Our monthly Class Newsletter, the "Class Times", was a continuous writing project throughout the year to share with each other and parents our 5th Grade Journey. The 4-page newsletter also provided opportunities for students to express themselves through writing, work cooperatively with each other, learn how to use the computer, and experience the process of publishing a monthly newsletter. Here is a look back at all the newsletters we've done during the year. We hope our parents enjoyed reading them as much as we did in creating them.





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April 2025

# Recognition of Lachievements

During the year, Room B1 students have tried their best and as a result, achieved various individual and class accomplishments. We wish to recognize the efforts of these students. Congratulations.





September: Joanne, Tyler October: Laylah, Devin November: Cristian, Kendra December: Elyanna, Aldrian January: Myles, Emmie February: Adi, Alexa March: Allona, Ezekiel April: Mia, Alistair May: Lyanna, Joshua



#### CHARACTER AWARDS

**September - Caring**: Dalila, Joshua **October - Respect**: Alvin, Mia

November - Tolerance: Lanee'a, Caleb December - Citizenship: Maryam, Aaron January - Responsibility: Olivia, Tyler February - Kindness: Adriana, Sydney

March - Effort: Lanee'a, Isaiah

April - Trustworthiness: Elyanna, Cristian

May - Fairness: Joanne, Camila



**TRIMESTER 1 (9)**: Maryam, Olivia, Joanne, Cyrelle, Isaiah, Joshua, Emmie, Kendra, Tyler

**TRIMESTER 2 (20)**: Cristian, Alistair, Aldrian, Maryam, Olivia, Joanne, Laylah, Adriana, Cyrelle, Lyanna, Mia, Joshua, Dalila, Elyanna, Emmie, Kendra, Allona, Adi, Ezekiel, Tyler

#### **TRIMESTER 3 (33)**:

Cristian, Sydney, Alistair, Aldrian, Alexa, Maryam, Olivia, Lanee'a, Joanne, Myles, Laylah, Ethan, Cyrelle, Lyanna, Mia, Jordan, Isaiah, Devin, Joshua, Dalila, Camila, Elyanna, Caleb, Emmie, Allona, Alvin, Tyler, Aaron, Adi, Ezekiel, Adriana, Kendra

**ALL TRIMESTERS (8):** Maryam, Olivia, Joanne, Cyrelle, Joshua, Emmie, Kendra, Tyler



#### **CLASS AWARDS**

STEAM: Emmie, Cyrelle

Art: Tyler, Allona, Emmie, Cyrelle, Alexa

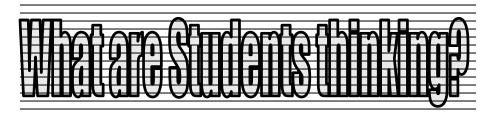
Athletics: Myles, Alistair,

Cristian, Elyanna

Scholastic: Tyler, Olivia, Emmie

i-Ready Highest Scores:

Math: Tyler – Reading: Olivia iReady Most Lessons Passed:
Math: Aaron – Reading: Joanne



Do you think you're in school too long? Do you watch TV about three hours each day? And if some money suddenly appeared in your life, would you just as soon spend it then save it?

Yes, yes and yes - at least according to a new survey of 1,500 students. The survey, "The Mood of American **Youth,"** was compiled by the National Association of School Principals. It concentrates on school, but also takes a look at a wide range of subjects. Here are some of the highlights.

School. More than 70 percent\* of the students said they enjoy most about school is their friends. Other things they say they enjoy are sports (31/2%), learning (17.1), social activities (16), teachers (15.1) and classes (10.2).

Teachers. Nearly one third of the students say the ability to explain things clearly is one of the most important qualities of a good teacher. Other qualities mentioned are concern and kindness (18.2) and good attitude and friendliness (15.7).

**Hobbies**. The hobby enjoyed by most of the students (64.9%) is sports and fitness. Other favorite hobbies are reading (49.10), music (43.8), cooking (39.9), collecting things (39.8), art (32.9), computers (27.3) and dancing (23.4).

After graduation. More than half plan to go on to college. About 36 % will get full time jobs, 14.8% will go to junior college and 14.8% will attend vocational or training school. Marriage was marked by 13.3%, while 11.1% planned to join the military.

Careers. Computer-related careers are indisputably the most highly desired occupations especially with the growth of internet usage - 16.7% want to break into that field. The business world appeals to 7.3%, while 6.6% hope to become doctors. Teaching (5.6), law (4.5), engineering (4.2), accounting (3.8) and professional sports (3.8) also have their fans.

World problems. For 37%, the threat of nuclear disaster was the world's No. 1 problem, with threats like North Korea, Iran, Russia, and Syria. Threat of World War III concerns 21.3%, poverty 15.1%. Overpopulation (10.5) and environmental problems (6.5), the No. 1 and No. 2 concerns 10 years ago, dropped to fourth and fifth place this year.

Life goal. To the question, "What is the one thing that you want out of life?" 27.6% mentioned career success. Happiness in general comes in second with 25.7%, followed by marriage and family (20.8), general success (9.8), financial success (7) and a long, enjoyable life (4.2).

\* Some sets of percentages will exceed 100 percent since students were allowed on certain questions to make more than one choice. Where the total of the percentages is below 100, not all responses are listed.

### Phile Who is your hero and what do you admire most about your hero?



My heroes are my parents. The reasoning for this is because without them, I wouldn't be alive. Even if I was still alive and they weren't there, I'd be homeless! Not only that, my parents feed me, put a roof over my head, buy me necessities, and get me a good education. Still, with all these duties, they really are doing much, much more...

I truly appreciate them for all the things they do for me. They give me advice and listen to me when I need to talk. This is why my parents are my heroes.

Qualities that make a person a hero is being nice, hardworking, kind, gentle, positive, and honest. Therefore, my hero is my dad. I admire his hard work and nice personality. He works hard to take care of our family. He always helps me solve my problems and he makes me happy whenever I'm sad. Without my dad, I would be lost because it is with his guidance that I can succeed. My dad is my HERO!



My sister is my hero. She and I are always together. I really admire her because she spent a lot of money on me just to make me happy. She's always nice to people and she's also very social. If she never took me anywhere, didn't take care of me, and did not spend money on me just to make me happy. then I would have not been so happy at the time. Everything about her made her my hero. She made me smile, took care of me, and told me what's right and what's wrong.

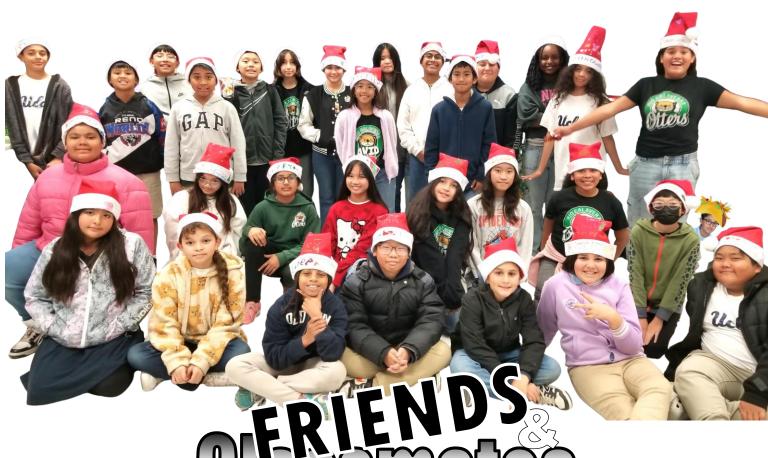


Kamala Harris is a hero of mine. I see her as a hero because she's such an inspiring person to me. Kamala is the first female vice president of the United States. She shows strength, courage, and works hard to get to break barriers to become great. She inspired me to dream bigger and aim higher. I really want to have her personality traits. Kamala is also a very pretty person inside and out. My hero is Kamala Harris.

Olivia

Tyler

Adriana



The 2024-2025 school year through pictures

### A Friend is...

A friend is a star that twinkles and glows,

A friend is a river that gently flows.

A friend is gold that you would treasure,

A friend is there to make you feel better.

A friend is an angel that is there to guide you,

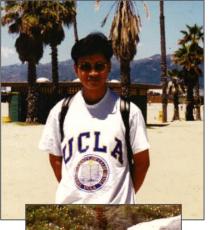
A friend is a smile away when you're feeling blue.

A friend is more than one in a million,

A friend is one in a gazillion.



**College years** 





A years old How cute!



The Phamily

#### A MEAN teacher

By Laura Staunton & Barbara Erickson

- **A MEAN** teacher insists that each student do the best s/he is capable of doing.
- **A MEAN** teacher requires each student to think carefully and to make her/his own decisions.
- **A MEAN** teacher does not accept incomplete assignments.
- **A MEAN** teacher makes students keep the classroom, themselves, and their belongings neat and clean.
- **A MEAN** teacher gives homework regularly, sometimes even on weekends.
- **A MEAN** teacher calls on students who don't raise their hands to answer questions.
- **A MEAN** teacher requires all students to treat each other with respect.
- **A MEAN** teacher makes life miserable for students by insisting that they always tell the truth.
- **A MEAN** teacher produces students who are respectful, responsible, and successful.

THE WORLD NEEDS MORE MEAN\* TEACHERS!

\*(MEAN = Making Excellence A Necessity)





Allona

Camila

Dalila

**Emmie** 

Isaiah



Cristian

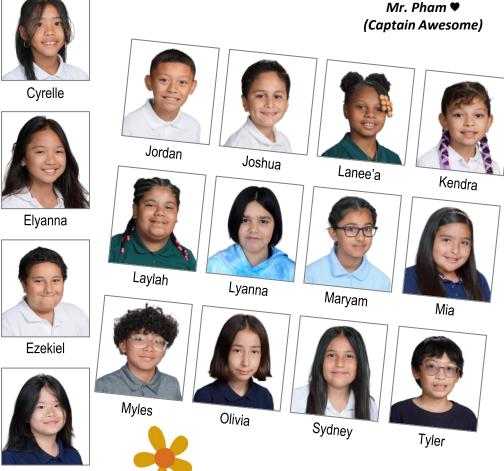
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My dear students,

good attitude toward school.

will always be special in my heart. As we end our 5th grade year,

I wish you many more happy moments in the middle grades

Thank you for being a part

and beyond.

of my life.

We spent 10 wonderful months together as a class in Room B1. We picked up some knowledge and made lots of memories along the way. Although I'm only your teacher for a short time, I hope to have instilled in

you a belief in yourself and what you can do, and a

We've done so many things this year: STEAM investigations, presentations, reports, flea markets, art, webpages, newsletters, carnivals, celebrations, money, bridges, paydays, fines... We had a lot of fun,

and I really enjoyed my time with you all. Each of you



We were nervous, being fifth graders for the first time. Most everyone looked strange, especially the teacher. It takes time to get to know each other better.

We had to write for our class newsletter? Class interviews and introductions? That's too much work!!





We know the purpose being in school is to learn good things and to acquire knowledge so we can be better individuals. But learning doesn't mean just sitting down and read or write. We learned a lot this year by doing, by trying our hands on different activities, and by working together with other people. We explored, discovered, constructed, debated, dissected, and experimented. We did reports and projects, used different technology, created artworks... and completed many activities throughout the year.













### Cooperation

Working together was the basis for our learning this year. Cooperative groupings, learning to respect other people's ideas, supporting each other, and knowing your responsibility within the group structure have made our class functioned better.























With the availability of technology in the classroom, we have learned how to use technology to enhance our learning. Using the computer, we searched the internet, built websites, created videos, edited pictures, used learning programs, and of course, took a lot of tests. We also used iPads to draw and did programming. This was a fun year using technology in our class.



### Technology in Class













This year, we explored and tried our hands on different science concepts such as science tools, water cycle, solar system, phases of the moon, and ecology.



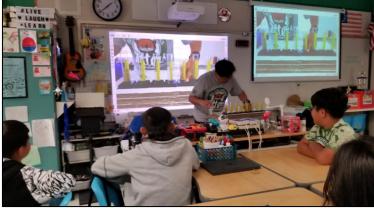
### Science Fun















### S.T.E.A.M.

This year, we incorporated **Science**, **Technology**, **Engineering**, **Art & Design**, and **Math** into our regular Science program. We focus on these areas together not only because the skills and knowledge in each discipline are essential for student success, but also because these fields are deeply intertwined in the real world and in how students learn most effectively.











### We explored many activities this year:

- Sun Dials
- Hoop Gliders
- Santa Drop
- Marshmallow Towers
- Paper Helicopters
- Paper Airplanes
- Wood Gliders
- Catapults
- Ozobots
- Spheros
- 3-D Augmented Reality
- Balloon Cars
- Aerodynamics
- Carousel Swing Model
- Rocketry
- Bridge Building



























### **Presentations**

Our class enjoyed doing presentations throughout the year. The purpose was to build speaking and listening skills. They were also lots of fun!!!









class money to buy and sell little trinkets and other knickknacks we have around the house. During the process of buying and selling, we were required to calculate prices, add, subtract, divide, multiply, give correct change, and wisely use our money to make more money or to buy things we like. Most of all, we had a lot of fun buying, selling, and learning to run a business.















## TALENT SHOW WINTER 2024

















### **Class Carnival**

**December 20, 2024** - We transformed our class into a mini-carnival event with game booths and entertainments to celebrate half of 5<sup>th</sup> Grade year. We invited staff to share the joy of the season with us. There was also a carnival store for us to spend tickets to get some treats. It was a fun time for all.











### **Lunar New Year Celebration**

Our class celebrated the Year of the Snake 2025 in the classroom. Mr. Pham gave us "Red Envelopes" and we played special Lunar New Year "Games of Chance" using class money. It was a lot of fun learning about Lunar New Year and celebrating with friends.























### Valentine Celebration

1st Place - Cristian

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – **Alexa** 

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Cyrelle

4th Place - Emmie

This year's Valentine's Day was a very fun occasion. Mr. Pham had us make Valentine containers to hold cards, grams, and candies. This is also a competition to see who can create the best-looking container.

We also designated this Valentine's Day as "Kindness Day." We gave each other cards and treats to show kindness to everyone. We all had a blast making containers and a wonderful Valentine day with candies and received a lot of cards and grams. We also had a RoAch at the end of the day. Pictures of the Valentine celebration are on our class website.















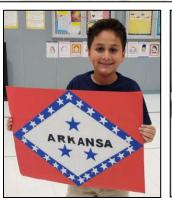
























### Mr. Lemoncello Escape



# ARŢ ŢijME



Studies have shown that involvement in the arts is associated with gains in math, reading, cognitive ability, critical thinking, and verbal skills. Arts learning can also improve motivation, concentration, confidence, and teamwork. Finally, drawing, painting, and creating arts can be a relaxing, non-pressure activity that refreshes the mind.

For us this year, art time is fun time! We had such a great time learning about art this year. We love it!



























WE LOVE ART









### 2-POINT PERSPECTIVE ART PROJECT

Our class went outside on the school grounds to draw 2-point perspective building of our choice: Rio's cafeteria, office, or the library. Perspective is a drawing method that shows how things appear to get smaller as they get further away, converging towards one (or two) 'vanishing point' on the horizon line. It is a way of drawing objects upon a flat piece of paper (or other drawing surface) so that they look three-dimensional and realistic.



### ARŢ EXHĮBĮŢ

March 28 – May 23











### Mother's Day Flower Watercolor













We followed the **#kindnessrocks** movement in painting our own rocks with messages of kindness. Kindness rocks are hidden around town to be found or placed in rock gardens and shared to others to bring a bit of happiness. These random acts of kindness are the purpose of the **#kindnessrocks** movement. It's also a perfect opportunity to remind ourselves to be kind and respect everyone. This was a fun and inspirational learning experience.



































P.E. TIME







On Thursday, May 15, Rio Calaveras celebrated multi-culture and the end of the school year in one fun day! We started with a fun time going through the inflatables in the field. We shot hoops, kicked soccer balls, threw balls, and other fun games. After that, we went to the multi-culture side and did fun activities like loteria, making bracelets, hats, coloring, and had some popsicles. It was such a fun day!





















Together, MAY WE GIVE our children the roots to GROW and the







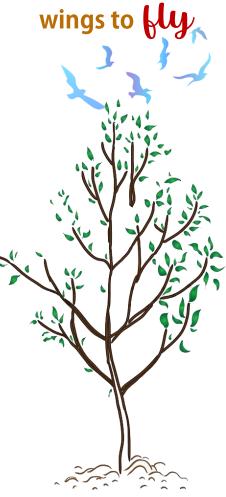
































In preparation for the CAASPP testing, Room B1 students participated in an in-class academic challenge to review Reading, Science, and Math skills we've learned throughout the year.

After 4 weeks of heated and exciting competition, **TEAM FIRE** came out on top in this year' challenge. We had a great time playing.

Congratulations to all members of Groups Earth, Wind, Fire, and H<sub>2</sub>O for your participation and exciting game play.













# **CINCO DE MAYO**

Our class celebrated Cinco de Mayo on Monday, May 5, 2025, with a Cinco de Mayo Carnival in the classroom. Each group was responsible for creating a game for everyone in class to play. There was a "Fiesta" backdrop for us to take pictures and Mariachi music was played throughout the carnival. We also had Nachos and other treats for us to purchase with their class money. It was so much fun celebrating our multi-culture and playing games in the classroom. Viva Mexico!!!



















# "CLASS SUCCESS" FIELD TRIP

Throughout this year, Room B1 students have been working hard to achieve. They believed in themselves and never gave up. They have survived 5th Grade and did so well. Even the mean teacher did not scare them at all! We have done a lot together this year. To celebrate our 5th grade success, we walked to lunch together on Wednesday, May 8. It was fun having lunch with friends.

















# Class of 2025 HALL OF FAME



Students with outstanding performances in our class projects are forever enshrined on Mr. Pham's class "Wall of Fame"





**Academic Challenge Winners** 



"Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library" Winners



"Top 10 Ways to Ruin 5th Grade" Winners







**Multiplication Champions** 



Water Cycle Challenge Winners



# SPORTS & ARTS 🏃



"Capture the Flag" Winners



Haggin Museum Art Contest Winners



**Hoop Gliders** 



**Paper Helicopters** 



Catapults



**Balloon Cars** 



**Wood Gliders** 













**Pumpkin Stands** 



**STEAM** The Unicorn **Excellence Award** 





Operation: Santa Drop 1 Operation: Santa Drop 2



**Spheros Battle-bots** 



**Marshmallow Towers** 



**Airplanes - Distance** 



Airplanes - Flight Time



# **SPORTS & ARTS**

The "Jeffrey" Award



**Basketball Champions** 



**Volleyball Champions** 



4-Square Champion



**Tetherball** Champion

EEAA Construction Company



MAJGO Company

# BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION MATH PROJECT

For the month of May, the students were involved the "Bridge Building" project which involved building a bridge out of toothpicks strong enough to sustain as much weight as possible. Students drew plans, filled order forms, wrote checks, and had lots of fun along the way.



Quads Company





W2S Company

Alpha Incorp Company



Leaping Frog Inc.



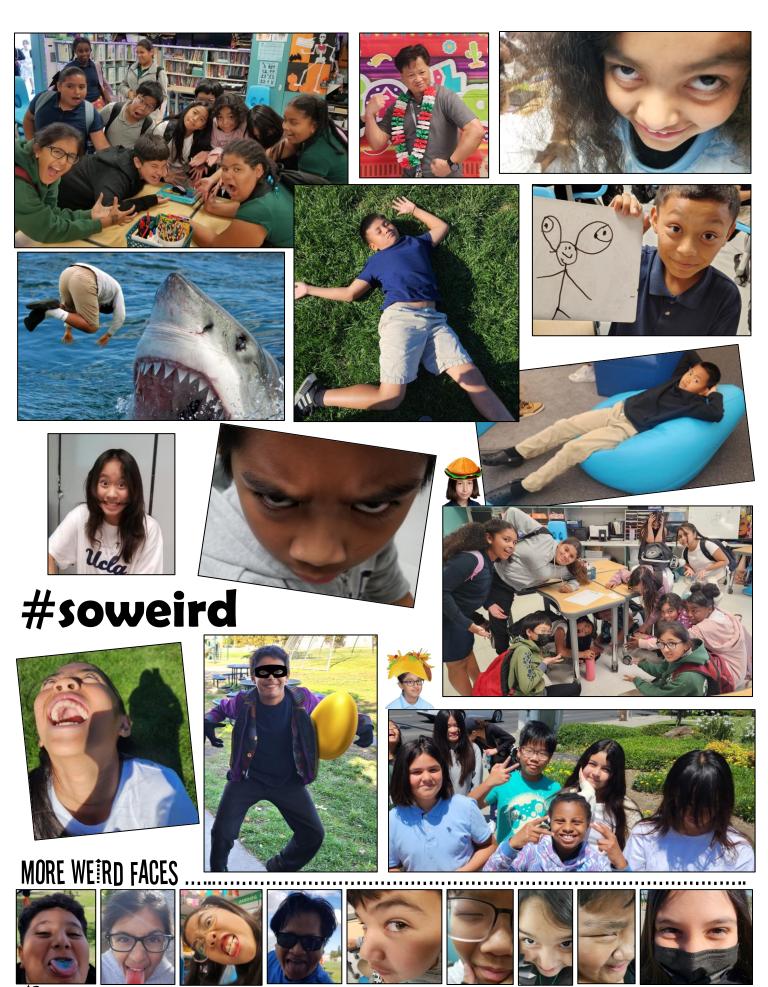


CMEJ Builders



Hello Kitty Construction















































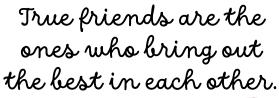


















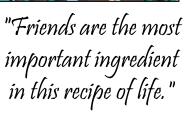




















# Whatkind of FRIEND ARE YOU?

What kind of Friend Are You? What's your friendship style? Are you a pal? Someone to confide in? An intellectual? All three? Take this quiz to find out. Circle the letter of the answer that best describes you.

### 1. You and your friends:

- A. Have long talks about everything
- B. Shop till you drop.
- C. Meditate (contemplating, deep thinkers)

### 2. You choose friends:

- A. Who like to reveal their deepest thoughts.
- B. So you'll have someone to do things with.
- C. With IQs higher than desert temperatures in midsummer.

### 3. At school, you and your friends:

- A. Make plans to sit at lunch to talk.
- B. Can't wait for recess and P.E.
- C. Listen to your teacher and take notes.

# 4. You see your friends:

- A. Everyday there's so much to talk about.
- B. Whenever you play volleyball.
- C. At your weekly mall activities.

## 5. When you talk to your friends, you talk about:

- A. Deep emotional and personal issues.
- B. Games, anime, shopping, drawing, K-pop idols
- C. The effects of ozone-layer depletion on giant redwoods.



Best friends are...



# 6. A cousin you've never met moves to your town. Your mom wants you to be friendly. You ask your cousin:

- A. About everything.
- B. To play Roblox and Minecraft.
- C. About the socioeconomic differences between your town and her/his previous home.

### 7. You'd describe the ideal friend as:

- A. Someone you could feel truly safe in confiding in.
- B. Someone who is always available to go places with you, watch anime, play video games...
- C. Someone who know a lot and who shares his or her insights with you about life.

# Check your score: Count up your A, B and C answers. Then check below for a description of your friendship.

Then check below for a description of your friendship style:

**Mostly As:** Your friends form a network of concern. You spend a lot of time talking over problems and helping each other. You know that your friends will be there if you need to talk, and you expect to spend time listening to them as well.

**Mostly Bs:** You and your friends like to spend time doing things together. You don't spend as much time talking - you prefer action.

**Mostly Cs:** Your friends are intellectual. You enjoy deep discussions and thrive on debate. You and your friends sharpen each other's intellect.

In real life, you and your friends probably don't fit neatly into one of these three categories. Many friendship styles and combinations are possible. Even if your friendship style was mostly one type, you probably have elements of other friendship types in you.

This quiz is not meant to be taken seriously. We hope it will amuse you and cause you to think a little bit about your friendships and what makes them special.

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# Winners voted by the students in class



**BEST BEHAVIORS** 



MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

**Best Presenters Hardest Workers Most Helpful** Nicest (4-way tie)

Elyanna, Cristian Lyanna, Sydney Lanee'a, Laylah Jordan, Ezekiel Alistair, Myles, Ezekiel Adi, Alistair, Isaiah

Asks too much Talks the most Talks the least Laughs the most Laughs the least **Funniest** 

Shyest

**Best Eaters** 

**Cutest Girls Cutest Boys** 

Allona, Alistair Tyler, Olivia

Tyler, Kendra, Mia, Dalila

Hyena Girls, Alistair

Devin, Olivia Alvin, Aaron All of them! None of them!

## **BEST CLASS ACTIVITY!**



**Carnivals** 

# **BEST STEAM PROJECT!**



**Spheros Battle-Bots** 





**COOLEST GIRLS** 

**COOLEST BOYS** 











# **SPORTS**

**Best Soccer players Best Basketball players Best Volleyball players Best Tetherball players Best 4-Square players** 

Myles, Caleb Myles, Alistair Cristian, Elyanna Myles, Cyrelle Emmie, Cristian.

# **ACADEMICS**

**Best Subject Best Project Best ART Medium Best Art Project Best Craft Project** 

STEAM, ART **Bridge Building** Watercolor **Digital Self Portrait** Cinco de Mayo Leis

### **Best Talent Show Performances:**





**Summer** 



Winter











**NICEST HAIR - BOYS** 

**NICEST HAIR - GIRLS** 

**CUTEST SMILES** 

**BEST** 

























**BEST ARTISTS** 



The "Fast Foodies" approved this survey!





Grandmaster P.

# In Appreciation















Mrs. Hall

Ms. Cuevas Ms. Johnsen

Ms. Gwen Mrs. Morales Mrs. Cuellar Mrs. Rennard Mr. James

















Ms. Julia

Mrs. Nena

Mr. Cook

Mrs. McClain

Ms. Mimi

Mr. Jeff

Mrs. Latoya Ms. Lucretia

# Thank you - Gracias

The Students and Teacher of Room B1 would like to show our appreciation to these wonderful Rio Calaveras staff and teachers who have helped Our Class in one way or another and made this year a great year for us. Thank you all!



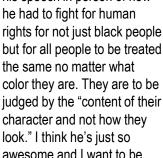
If you could meet anyone in the world (past or present), WHO would it be and WHY?



I want to meet Jim Carrey because he is a goofy actor and my favorite movie is The Truman Show. When he finds out that he is trapped and then he escape. When he thought his dad died, he found him, but they took his dad away from him. He wanted to go to Mount Fuji. He was scared about getting in the water and in the boat because his dad was in an accident. I like Jim Carrey because he really acts well and made the movie believable for me.



I would like to meet Martin Luther King JR. so I can hear his speech in person of how he had to fight for human the same no matter what character and not how they look." I think he's just so awesome and I want to be like him to fight for kids who got bullies. That's why I'd like to meet him.



Laylah



If I could meet anyone in the world, it would be Ironman because he has cool suits and cool weapons. Ironman could fly in the air. He's also very rich. I want him to give me 2 million dollars, a cool sportscar, PS5 Pro. and most of all, he would build me and Ironman suit and I would be called "IronKid!" As the crime fighting IronKid, I would fly along side Ironman and help him fight the bad guys.

Meeting Ironman would be the coolest thing in the world!!!



Who would I like to meet? Easy! I would like to meet Simone Biles because she's my favorite gymnast and I think I can be like her! I also would like to meet her because I've never seen a gold medal. So, if I get to meet her, she could probably give me tips on my gymnastics. I would practice her style and dance routines and maybe even go to the Olympics and win 11 medals like Simone did.

Jordan

Cyrelle

Aldrian

# REFLECTIONS

The students of Room B1 have been together for 10 months, sharing good times and difficult moments. This is a collection of feelings and reflections about the school year, about friendships, and about themselves.





What I remember the most...

Kendra
"Quiet Girl"

What I will remember the most is the Battle-Bots, flea markets, Mother's Day Flowers, and so much more... I loved hanging out with my friends. Looking back at the year, I could have been better at grades. I enjoyed the talent show, Poetry-Out-Loud, and carnivals we had. I also liked doing the academic challenge. I will miss this class.



Best year...

Mia "Shy-Girl"

The things I enjoyed doing in 5<sup>th</sup> Grade was when we had Cinco de Mayo and Battle-Bots. I loved it when we had STEAM projects and playing at our class carnivals. The Secret Santa was great. This year has got to be the best year, and I will never forget all the fun we had in this class.



My favorite times...

Joshua "Tech Support"

I liked this school year. My favorite times this year were the class carnivals, STEAM days, sports tournaments, the talent shows, and the art days. I also liked playing on the game consoles and the Academic Challenge. This school year was one of the best years.

P.S. Mr. Pham is oooogly!!



I will never forget...

Myles "Curly Fries"

I would like to thank Mr. Pham for making my 5<sup>th</sup> grade year special. This is one of the classes that I will never forget. Things I enjoyed this year was the sports tournaments, STEAM projects, RoAches, Science Camp, and Success field trip. Thank you everyone for making this year so fun.



Fun year!

# **Ezekiel** "Sigma Rizzler"

This year has been fun and this class was great because I had a lot of friends and a great time with the 4-square and volleyball sports tournaments. Overall, this year has been fun.

The most sigma thing of all...

> **Aldrian** "Shark-bait"

This year has been great. The things I will remember the most were that I won the Marshmallow Tower, and that Team Fire won the Academic Challenge. I will never Poetry-Out-Loud foraet the Capture the Flag. I made lots of friends this year. I really enjoyed was the flea markets and the Cinco de Mayo and the nacho cheese. But the most sigma thing of all was the "Sigma Santa" Elf video on our class website. It's so rizzy!!!



My favorite year...

# **Adriana** "Badriana dabeeze bopez"

This school year has been one of my favorites! I really enjoyed the things we did this year like flea markets, volleyball, STEAM, talent shows, etc. I got to do so many things this year I will never forget. I still remember when we solved puzzles with shapes. I think my favorite this year was the Class Success field trip to the restaurants! Overall, this has been a great year!



So many activities...

## Allona "Roach Goddess"

I LOVED this year! There were so many activities like the carnivals, talent

shows, and hot chocolate socials. My friends were so supportive this year. I would remember the carnivals and the sports tournaments. I enjoyed the Battle-Bots and sun dials the most out of all the STEAM projects. This year means a lot to me. Looking back, there were some hard times we went through, but that's okay! I liked who during free times, we would play charades. It was really fun!

Battle-Bots!!!

Devin

This school year was fun. I enjoyed plaving sports and STEAM. I will always remember the flea markets. sports tournaments, and the Class Success field trip. However, I will remember the fun Battle-Bots the most!!!

# Music

A taste for a melody as light as day.

A singer's voice echoes away.

A chord of sadness streams from ear to ear.

Listening to music brings me cheer.

Beats bang with much temptation.

The music you make is your creation.

Feet tap to every beat. Music is pretty neat.

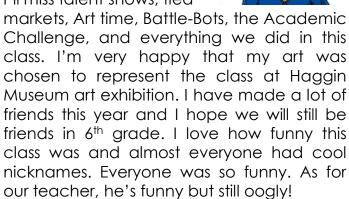
by Adí



# I'm very happy...

### **Queen Camila**

This year was very fun and I for sure will miss this class. I'll miss talent shows, flea





Really had fun...

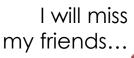
Jesslyna

What I will remember the most was the flea markets, carnivals, STEAM projects, volleyball challenges, and best of all, the Academic Challenge! I really had fun with everyone, especially my besties!

> Meant a lot to me...



This year meant a lot to me! We did lots of stuff this year like flea markets, capture the flaa, Battle-Bots, basketball, success field trip. It was a great year. I will miss all the projects and all my friends. P.S. Mr. Pham is NOT HANDSOME! Remember that always!



Lanee'a "LG"

What I will remember the most is the Volleyball Tournament, Mr. Lemoncello Escape Challenge, Flea Markets, Basketball Tournament, Bowling field trip, and "Success" field

trip. I will miss MY FRIENDS and hopefully we will be in the same class next year.



The best part was...

Laylah "Laylay"

This year was fun! I loved the STEAM projects that we did. I will remember everything, but the best part was being in Mr. Pham's class with my friends... and also the carnivals, those were very fun!



Isaiah "E.T."

What I liked about 5<sup>th</sup> grade was my friends, my HANDSOME teacher, and much more... But the thing that I will remember most was "Capture the Flag" game where I was named Most Valuable Player!

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Hiked...

### Caleb

Things I enjoyed doing in 5<sup>th</sup> Grade was Capture

the Flag, volleyball, basketball tournaments, and other things. What I like the most about 5<sup>th</sup> Grade was our carnivals, flea markets, hot chocolates, and Battle-Bots. I also liked the book challenges like Mr. Lemoncello qoT Ten, and the Academic Challenges. I liked playing volleyball with my friends and the Class Success field trip. I also enjoyed RoAches.

Funniest class ever!

Dalila

I loved this school year! It was the funniest class ever. I'll remember the flea markets, the Class Success field trip, and the carnivals. I enjoyed all my friends and all the nicknames like Queen Camila, Curly Fries, Roach Queen, and the Potter-Girl! 😃 I loved everything that we did in this class. I also loved the art projects, the P.E., the volleyball tournament and SO MUCH MORE! I wish everyone a happy summer!!!

See you all in 6<sup>th</sup> grade!!!

# My School

I like my school and my school likes me, I can be happy as I can be ...

- I make friends and learn new things.
- I like the way my teacher sings.

Lots of things that I get to do.

Reading, writing, and counting too.

- I like my school and my school likes me.
- I can be happy as I can be...

- by Aaron

"A friend is someone who understands your past, believes in your future, and accepts you just the way you are."

> Girls beat Boys!!!

> > Adi "Hyena"



I had an amazing year, made new friends, and started new hobbies. I feel this year went by way too fast. I wish it was longer. I really enjoyed the Battle-Bots, volleyball, flea markets, and the hot chocolate socials. This year was one of my best years. All the activities we did were amazing and so creative. What I remember the most was the girls beat the boys in the Battle-Bots Tournament, and all the art we did. I also loved doing the class website. This class was so perfect and I'm gonna miss it.

It was so fun...

Cristian "Crisis"

The things that I enjoyed in 5th Grade was all the sports tournaments because we're able to play with different people. I also liked all the hot chocolate socials, Academic Challenge, flea markets, and all the popcorn we ate after we finished reading a book. I also liked all my friends that I spent the year with that made 5<sup>th</sup> grade fun. I enjoyed the whole class walking field trip. It was so fun.

See y'all in Middle school. Since it's the end of the school year, this is for my teacher: You are handsome!

#endof5thgrade



Was so good...

Lyanna "Weirdoe"



The year was so good. I will miss Tom the Turkey, Poetry-Out-Loud, STEAM projects and calling Mr. Pham oogly! I hope I'll have a good year next year.

P.S. Mr. Pham's regrets: Sister's notebook missed soccer goal, YELLOW SNOW!!!



Things I enjoyed the most....

Jordan "Aye-Aye"



The things I enjoyed the most were the volleyball tournament and hot chocolate socials.

P.S. Mr. Pham is still oooooooooogly!



Beating the boys...

Emmie Song "M&M"

The year was a great year! I loved the Battle-Bots and the flea markets. I loved the popcorn and "Snake's pee." I had a good time when I sat with my friends in December and May. I loved to "bully" Tyler because he reads too much and because he wore too much green. I enjoyed watercoloring the Mother's Day art. Overall, this was a very great class with a VERY <u>OOGLY</u> TEACHER!

\* Editor's Note: Miss M&M is receiving a K- for this assignment. She had been warned not to write "untruths" in her reflection. The part about the "oogly teacher" is totally fabricated out of jealousy. Mr. Pham is beautiful, no, he is an extremely gorgeous teacher, and it should be (must be) written as such... or else. All hail Mr. Pham!



Things I'll always remember...

Cyrelle

Things I'll always remember about this school year. I'll always remember my friends because when I am sad, they would find ways to cheer me up. I'll also remember our sports tournaments, the STEAM projects, the Academic Challenges, and the flea markets. But I'll



always remember Mr. Oogly!

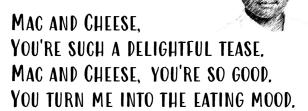
The year went by so fast...

Alistair "Larry"

This year was one of the best years I've ever had. Although my teacher was really "oogly" that didn't stop me from

having a good year. I feel like the time I will remember the most is all the flea markets and carnivals and also all the tournaments. Looking back, the year went by so fast.

# MAC & CHEESE



MAC AND CHEESE, YOU'RE SO CHEESY.
AND SO TASTY, NOT AT ALL QUEASY.
MAC AND CHEESE, YOU'RE SUCH A BLAST.
YOU'RE THE THING THAT GETS ME GASSED.

- ALDRIAN



Was the best...

# Alexa "Slytherin-Girl"

I loved this year with A.R., flea markets, hot chocolate socials, and spending time with my

friends. I really enjoyed this year in getting my artwork into the Haggin Museum art exhibit. It was so fun to paint with watercolors and Mother's Day flowers. I also enjoyed dressing up for Halloween. I was a Slytherin student and Mr. Pham was Baldimort.

We did a lot of cool things this year like Battle-Bots where the GIRLS BEAT the BOYS!!! Watching movies and eating popcorn was the best. Capture the Flag was so fun, and I loved the volleyball. The Valentine's Challenae was great because Valentine Box, which took me 2 weeks to make, got 2<sup>nd</sup> place. I will miss the popcorn, the Academic Challenge, and even the annoying "Tech Support Guys" in class. Go WIND!!!



I made a lot of friends this year. We had a lot of fun in class like playing volleyball and 4-square. What I enjoyed this year was having Roaches, payday and flea markets where I can make money when I sell stuff. What I remember the most was doing math and reading and learning different things. I'm also proud of myself for making AR.

A true friend accepts who you are, but also helps you become who you should be.



Best class ever!

# Alvin "Chipmunk"

I had the best time during 5<sup>th</sup> Grade year. It was the best class I have ever been in because we did many things like Capture the Flag, STEAM, Raspberry Pi, P.E. and many more activities. We also went to field trips, bowling, and the fun Class Success field trip because we all made our AR goals!!! I went to Wingstop and to Starbucks with my friends and it was great! This is the best class ever. Good-bye everyone. Have a great summer!

Cherish it for eternity!

Tyler "The Riddler"



This year was so fun! I loved doing the STEAM projects and the art Fridays. I also enjoyed doing the Academic Challenge, the Riddles, and going to the Class Success field trip. I got so many amazing memories that I will never forget. I will always remember this year and will cherish it for eternity!



Mike Tyson Special!!!

Aaron "Iron Mike"

The things that I enjoyed in 5<sup>th</sup> Grade were hot chocolate socials, STEAM projects, Academic Challenge, Sports tournaments, Raspberry Pi, and other fun activities. I hope that you guys will have a good summer. C-ya in 6<sup>th</sup> grade. And one more thing...

I'MA GIVE YOU THE MIKE TYSON SPECIAL!!!

"A friend who understands your tears is much more valuable than a lot of friends who only know your smile."



Great fun!

Maryam "Tacoryam"



This year, I enjoyed everything! The art, STEAM, sports, etc... I've also gotten so much better at art. This year, when I found out my old friends were not in the same class, I thought that this year was going to be the worst for me. But I have made a lot of new friends, plus, we even got a cool group name, "Fast-Foodies". Overall, I loved this year!

P.S. Mr. Pham, you will always be bald and oogly.



Looking back at the year, it was really fun. We did so many things. The things that I enjoyed this year were the friendships I've made. I also loved how we had P.E., STEAM Wednesday, Art Fridays, Raspberry games, RoAches, carnivals, talent shows, flea markets, book challenges, chocolate socials, walking field trips, AR Board, Battle-Bots, and Mother's Day art projects. I liked how Mr. Pham let us do so much fun things just to see us having fun and be kids. But one thing everyone in our class agrees with is how oogly Mr. Pham is!!! **P.S.** This class was so much fun. Hope to see

everyone in 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

\*Editor's Note: How can you agree with girls that wear food on their heads???!!!%



Awesome "Fast-Foodies"

# Elyanna "Cornyanna"

I am proud of myself this year! I have many friends during this year. I will always remember the flea markets and talent shows. The original Group 8, the "Fast-Foodies": Cornyanna, Tacoryam, Burgeria, and Pizzanne. Our group will always be awesome!

I loved calling Mr. Pham BBB-Yah! because it's TRUE!!! He is an amazing, but oogly, teacher that I will never forget!







Looking back at the year, everything was so much fun! Some things I really enjoyed were the carnivals, the art we did, the field trips, and the Raspberry Pi. It is so sad that the year is coming to an end and that we are moving on to 6th grade. I will always remember this class and memories we made.

Best Friend -by France

She was generous and kind, I hear. Five years have passed, she's still here.

She was the one who cared.

She gave me things, and shared.

She was once among strangers. She kept me away from dangers.

But now and until the end,

She'll always be my best friend.

# Rio Calaveras Adapted from "Summer Break" by Mike Bennet

It's almost here! You know exactly how many days, hours and minutes are left until the summer vacation. Plan now to make this a memorable and exciting time! This list of ideas may spark a brainstorm that will lead to your greatest vacation yet. Use your creativity and talk to your parents to come up with ideas that fit your interests and develop your talents. So here goes:

**Create a new sport**. Sometimes this can be done by combining elements of two other sports (such as soccer and baseball = Kickball).

**Write a best-selling joke book**. Just take a few minutes everyday to write down some of the funny things that happened this year. Like the time when you...

**Look for a summer job!** Help your dad mow the lawn, paint the fence, give the dog a bath. And the money you earn could help make it possible to purchase video game you wanted.

My teacher likes to teach,
But I like going to the beach.
I like to breathe the fresh air,
And feel the breeze in my beach chair.





Whether it's day or it's night, The beach is always an awesome sight. Standing close or sitting in the car, The beach is stunning near or afar.

# Fun in the Summer

# Some suggestions for the Summer Vacation

Practice drawing pictures of all your friends. Have them "sit" for you and hold up your thumb as if you're measuring them. Then show them the picture you've drawn of your thumb.

Make some music. You've always wanted to learn to play a musical instrument. Make Ms. Andersen proud by doing some practice in the summer.

By the time you come back next year, you're a musician.

**Write letters or emails**. Sending a letter/email to someone far away can be a fun thing to do. How about sending a summer update to Mr. Pham.

Arrange to brighten your mom's day

- make a flower arrangement for her.

**READ!** Reading newspaper and magazine articles can improve your mind. Try reading a mystery or detective story.

**Open up a whole new world** of computer fun, practice your typing skill. This can have benefits for school and your future career as well.

**Volunteer** in a community service project. Besides being interesting and helping others, this is not a bad thing to include in your future college/job application.

**Improve your swimming** – Finally learn that backstroke or float on water. This can be helpful in the future.

**Invent something**. What invention to make life better is fair game. Who knows, you might get rich someday by inventing a robot that does your homework.

**Be an author**. Write about your school year, your travels, your summer. It'll be interesting to find out that you really had done something during the summer.

Have lots of fun and see you back.

How well do you know your classmates? Look at these baby pictures,

can you tell who they are? *Hint*: Read the clues given.

Answers are somewhere in the Yearbook!



I am a happy girl, there are curls in my hair, I don't like snakes, stay away, don't you dare! Who am I?





I am shy, I'm nice, I don't talk a lot. But if you believe that, you know me not. Who am I?



I have long hair, my ring has power, One flick of my wand, you're locked in a tower. Who am I?





I'm the one who "Finished" the Grandmaster. Showed him who's the queen and who's the disaster! Who am I?



I'm with the Fire, "The Sigma" I am called. I talk a lot, and alright at volleyball. Who am I?



Who am I?



I play volleyball almost every day. I was on H2O but sadly we didn't slay. The nerve of him to call me a beta. And dare to say that I laugh like a hyena! Hee-hee-hee-hee....



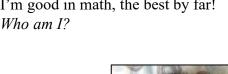
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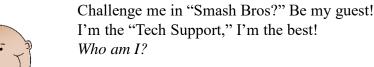
I'm part of Water, and I'm bright like the sun. I annoy Mr. Pham, hey, girls justa want to have fun.





In the Talent Show I was a star. I'm good in math, the best by far! Who am I?







I like to paint, my favorite color's white. I also like to color, draw, and write. Who am I?



I'm energetic and I adore black cats. I love the moon and the flying bats. Who am I?



I'm better at volleyball, I'm also pretty tall. Some are taller than me, But I'll just let that be.

I can insult, not a lie, When my friends are getting bullied, I can't just stand by.

Who am I?





I like volleyball, and I love flowers, But designing skills are my real powers. Who am I?



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I'm good in math and excelled in STEM. I'm bold not cold, and that's who I am! I'm very funny, I have black hair. I'm also good, I'll beat you in 4-square. Who am I?



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I'm a girl, I'm fabulously cool. I can rap, I can dance, just watch me move. I'm on the soccer team, and I can fly. The nicest girl? Yup, it ain't no lie. *Who am I*?



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I'm a girl, I like art, I like shoes, I don't get in trouble I follow all the rules. *Who am I?* 



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I LOVE sports, good at everything. Got two MVPs and Volleyball King. Who am 1?



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I like to play volleyball, I can spike the ball. Want to challenge me, I'll beat all of y'all. *Who am I?* 



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I'm a little shy, it's not a surprise. But playing volleyball, it's when I rise. Who am I?



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I love roses and good books, I wear jewelry for the good looks. Who am I?



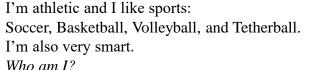
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I love Hello Kitty. Yes, I do!!!
I'm bad at volleyball, but do I love it? Yes, I do!!!
Who am I?



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I like games, I'm good at NBA Jam! Wanna challenge me? I'll get the ball and... Bamm! Just dunked on you! Who am I?



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Don't know why I'm called "Shark-bait." Is this jealousy turned into hate?

Who am I?



I'm good at soccer and my color is blue.
I sit in the back and like wearing crocs too.



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Who am I?

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One of the girls in class that's me! One of the cutest also, I believe.

Who am I?



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My color is "Lavender" bet that you didn't know. I love teasing MP, calling out "Yellow Snow!!" *Who am I?* 



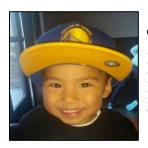
I am very shy, and mostly quiet, Put me with the Hyenas, I can be a riot! Who am I?



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I hang around with my friends. All the way until the year ends. I participated in both talent shows. I'm so talented, everyone knows. Who am I?

**THANK YOU** to all students who sent in your adorable baby pics. Your good sport and sense of humor is appreciated!  $\P\P\P$ 



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I'm the true SIGMA not like the pretenders. I play, I win, beat all contenders. I love this class and hate good-byes. When you see me, just call me \_\_\_\_\_\_ Who am I?



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The prettiest in class? Yah, that's ME!
Take one look and you must agree.

You KNOW who I am.
Yah! Yah! Admit it. I AM right!

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I am a happy girl, there are curls in my hair, I don't like snakes, stay away, don't you dare! Who am I?





I am shy, I'm nice, I don't talk a lot. But if you believe that, you know me not. Who am I?



I have long hair, my ring has power, One flick of my wand, you're locked in a tower. Who am I?





I'm the one who "Finished" the Grandmaster. Showed him who's the queen and who's the disaster! Who am I?





I'm with the Fire, "The Sigma" I am called. I talk a lot, and alright at volleyball. Who am I?





I play volleyball almost every day. I was on H2O but sadly we didn't slay. The nerve of him to call me a beta. And dare to say that I laugh like a hyena! Hee-hee-hee-hee.... Who am I?



Who am I?

I'm part of Water, and I'm bright like the sun. I annoy Mr. Pham, hey, girls justa want to have fun.





In the Talent Show I was a star. I'm good in math, the best by far! Who am I?



Challenge me in "Smash Bros?" Be my guest! I'm the "Tech Support," I'm the best! Who am I?



I like to paint, my favorite color's white. I also like to color, draw, and write.



I'm energetic and I adore black cats. I love the moon and the flying bats. Who am I?



But I'll just let that be.

Who am I?

I'm better at volleyball, I'm also pretty tall. Some are taller than me,

I can insult, not a lie, When my friends are getting bullied, I can't just stand by.

Who am I?



I like volleyball, and I love flowers, But designing skills are my real powers. Who am I?



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I'm good in math and excelled in STEM. I'm bold not cold, and that's who I am! I'm very funny, I have black hair. I'm also good, I'll beat you in 4-square. Who am I?



I'm a girl, I'm fabulously cool. I can rap, I can dance, just watch me move. I'm on the soccer team, and I can fly. The nicest girl? Yup, it ain't no lie. Who am I?



I'm a girl, I like art, I like shoes, I don't get in trouble I follow all the rules. Who am I?





I LOVE sports, good at everything. Got two MVPs and Volleyball King. Who am I?



I like to play volleyball, I can spike the ball. Want to challenge me, I'll beat all of y'all. Who am I?



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I'm a little shy, it's not a surprise.

But playing volleyball, it's when I rise. Who am I?



I love roses and good books, I wear jewelry for the good looks. Who am I?

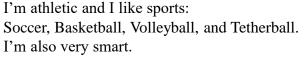




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I love Hello Kitty. Yes, I do!!! I'm bad at volleyball, but do I love it? Yes, I do!!! Who am I?



Who am I?



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I like games, I'm good at NBA Jam! Wanna challenge me? I'll get the ball and... Bamm! Just dunked on you! Who am I?



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Don't know why I'm called "Shark-bait." Is this jealousy turned into hate?

Who am I?



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I'm good at soccer and my color is blue.

I sit in the back and like wearing crocs too.



Who am I?

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One of the girls in class that's me! One of the cutest also, I believe.

Who am I?



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My color is "Lavender" bet that you didn't know. I love teasing MP, calling out "Yellow Snow!!" Who am I?



I am very shy, and mostly quiet,
Put me with the Hyenas, I can be a riot!

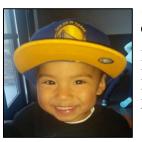
Who am I?



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I hang around with my friends. All the way until the year ends. I participated in both talent shows. I'm so talented, everyone knows. Who am I?

**THANK YOU** to all students who sent in your adorable baby pics. Your good sport and sense of humor is appreciated! ♥♥♥



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I'm the true SIGMA not like the pretenders. I play, I win, beat all contenders. I love this class and hate good-byes. When you see me, just call me \_\_\_\_\_\_ Who am I?



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The prettiest in class? Yah, that's ME!
Take one look and you must agree.

You KNOW who I am.
Yah! Yah! Admit it. I AM right!

# From: Cyrelle To: Everyone

Have a great summer! 🍪



Thanks for teaching me and taking time to do everything you did for us! **P.S.** You're always going to be oogly...

From: Lanee'a
To: Everyone

I know that you all got to know that this is soooo true: Mr. Pham is Betaaaaaaa!!

From: Ethan
To: Ethan

You may be in 6<sup>th</sup> grade next year, but you, Ethan, are still toooooo SIGMA! 🔥

To: Devin

You always stand by my side every time something happens. Thank you, bro.

To: Curly Fries

You always have my back and you're good to me. We always joke around with each other. See you in 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

To: Tyler

I'm really thankful for all the stuff you got me for Secret Santa. You really didn't have to spend a lot of money on me. Thank you, Tyler.

To: Caleb

You like to joke about my height even though I'm taller than him, and I have more intelligent.

To: Jordan

We may not have the best friendship, but we are still family friends.

To: Everyone

Have the most fun summer. I will have the Sigma-est of summers.

### To: Mr. Pham

You have given us the funnest year of our life, but I'm still prettier than you!



From: Camila

To: Adi

Thank you for being my friend and always being nice to me and making my happy, laugh, and being a good friend.

To: Dalila

Thank you for making me laugh and talking to me, making me feel better when I feel down.

To: Elyanna

Thank you for being my friend and making me happy and being nice to me.

Happy Summer!

To: My Pookies

Thank you to Jess, Dalila, and Sydney for letting me friends with you guys and making me happy. HAVE A GOOD SUMMER!

To: Sydney

Thank you for being my friend and making me laugh. No matter what happens you would always make me feel better.

To: Jesslyna

Thank you for being friends with me and making me happy and being nice to me. Happy Summer!

From: Myles

To: My Friends

You guys made this year even more fun that it was. Thanks to you all.

To: Mr. Pham

Thank you for this fun year. Last thing, Mr. Pham is the prettiest in the class... right behind me!

To: Everyone

Thank you all. Have a good summer!

From: Laylah

To: Lanee'a

Thanks for being my friend. Have a great summer!

To: Jesslyna

Thanks for being my friend.

To: Elyanna

Thank you for being kind and helpful.

To: Adi

Enjoy your summer.

To: Dalila

Thanks for being my friend.

From: Tyler

To: Everyone

I hope everyone will have an amazing summer!



### From: Emmie To: Elyanna

You'll always be a weirdo to Mr. Pham, but to me, you still are... 😁

To: Wingstop

You will always be my fav. Fast food place.

To: Cristian (Crid)

You'll be the coolest weirdo in 6<sup>th</sup> grade...

To: Allona (Roach Queen) You will always be THE

QUEEN.

To: Starbucks

Thank you for having the cookies & cream cake pop in stock for me.

To: Tyler

Keep on reading books.

To: Maryam

Thanks for giving me BBQ every Friday.

To: Mr. Pham

In my eyes, you'll always be.... **♪ ↓** 

From: Lyanna

To: Everyone in Class Have a great summer!

From: Joanne To: My Friends



Thank you all for making me enjoy school more. You guys made me laugh and had a lot of fun.

To: The Original Group ATE (8)

You guys made me happy and you guys made this normal class turn into a fun class. I had no friends from this class until I met you auys! Love you Olivia, Elyanna, and Maryam.

To: BigBackBeta-Yah!

Oogly, oogly, oogly, oogly petty Pham! Couldn't believe we have to see you for an entire year! 😁

From: Alistair To: My Friends

First of all, Myles is not sigma, it's ME! 🛞

To: Caleb

You're the weird lefty.



To: Ethan

You can't really overhead spike.

To: Jordan

You're aye-aye!

To: Isaiah Joshua is a better Tech

Support. To: Aldrian

Just keeps me up with brain

rot. 😁

To: Ezekiel

You make me laugh during my worst times.

To: Cristian

You're a Volleyball Fein. 😁

From: Allona

To: Group 4 of May

You guys are weird.

To: Adriana

Thank for being there,

girl. 💙

To: Emmie

You look so different without your glasses.

To: Ely-banana

One of my bestest friends, stay skibidi! (I ate your books).

To: TEAM WIND

Win or lose, I think we're the most sigma team.

To: The Cool Class Ya'll so sigma!

From: Aldrian

To: Devin

Have a great summer!



# From: Isaiah

To: Alistair

You are a funny person and a good friend.

To: Curly Fries

You are the biggest beta, but also my favorite friend.

To: Elyanna

You are one of my friends and would talk to me.

To: Alexa

You are sweet and kind and I will never forget you.

To: Mr. Pham

You are a good teacher and is very handsome, but beta.

From: Olivia To: My Friends



I want to thank you guys for being my friends. I will remember all the memories we had and all the things we did. I enjoyed this year with you guys a lot.

To: Mr. Pham

I am happy I ended up in your class. I was able to make many memories and do a lot of un things. Although you are very oogly-poogly, thank you for being my teacher.

### From: Elyanna To: Group 8

Joanne, Olivia, Maryam

We were the best group by far! Hope to see you next vear!

To: Cristian

Thank you for being such a good friend! Have an amazing summer!

# To: Adriana (Badriana, Clown Fish)

You're an amazing and smart friend! (Yes, I do need more books!)

To: Emmie (M&M)

You're weird, but in a good way, of course! Have a good summer Em-Em.

# To: Allona (Roachy/Roach Goddess)

Thank you for being such a good roach and not eating my books... I think.

To: Cyrelle

Thank you for being my bossy queen.

To: The Whole Class

Hope you have a good summer. See you next year!

To: Mr. Pham

You're amazing but, still BigBackBeta-Yah! Teacher.

### From: Sydney

To: Olivia

You're a very good friend.

To: Adi

You always help me when I'm down.

To: Camila

You're so funny. You're my best friend.

To: Dalila

I love you so much. You're like a sister to me.

From: Dalila

To: Adi

Have a good summer!

To: Sydney

Have a good summer.

To: Camila

Have a good summer.

### From: Adriana

To: Allona

Stop singing "I like it that way..." PLEASE!

To: Elyanna

You don't need anymore books!!

To: Alistair

Upstairs or downstairs??

To: Mr. Pham

You need a lot more kelp salad. 😃

### From: Adi

To: Camila

Thank you for all your support for me and my decision. You're one of my loyal friends.

To: Jordan

Close your eyes please.

To: Dalila

Thank you for being a good friend.

To: Group 7

You're the real hyenas.

To: Allona

You made me not wanna hurt roaches.

To: All the boys

You're mad because we're the Battlebots champions.

To: Mr. Pham

Have a good summer. Don't eat too much. **(4)** 



To: Isaiah

Thank you for being my friend for 3 years and being there for me.

To: Cristian

Thank you for being my friend since 5<sup>th</sup> grade and teaching me volleyball.

To: Myles

Thank you for being my friend since 1<sup>st</sup> grade and supporting me this year.

To: Caleb

Thank you for being my friend this year and playing the consoles with me.

To: Alvin

Thank you for playing Four-Square with me and giving me candy.

# From: Alvin

To: Aldrian

Thank you for being my friend every year since 3<sup>rd</sup> grade so thank you so much.

To: Our Class

Everybody, has a great summer and we all shout that Mr. Pham is oogly.  $\bigcirc$ 

To: Mr. Pham

Have a great summer!





### From: Kendra

To: Mia

Thank you for being my friend. You are the best.

To: Dalila

Thank you for being my friend. You are the best.

To: Everyone

Have a great summer and see you in 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

To: Mr. Pham

Have a great summer.

# From: Tacoryam



The OG Group 8 was one of the best groups I could be put in because if I was not in that group, then I would not have any friends.

**P.S.** I enjoyed the ruler helicopters that annoyed Mr. Pham the most.

### To: My Friends

Thank you, guys for being my friends all year long and thank for being there for my highs and lows.

To: Mr. Pham

Thank you for making this one of my best years yet. P.S.Iyou will never get over "Yellow Snow" and stay oogly. 😃

From: Devin To: Jordan

You like the same things as

me. 🔥 Have a good summer!

To: Aldrian

I've been friends with you for 2 years. Have a good summer!

> "A friend is someone who understands your past, believes in your future, and accepts you just the way you are."



From: Mia

To: Kendra

Thank you for being the best friend I ever had, and I hope to see you next year.

To: Mr. Pham

You are the best teacher ever and I will miss you.

From: Caleb

To: Sigma Friends

I hope my sigma friends and I are in the same class in 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

To: Everyone

Hope we all will have a great summer.

To: Mr. Pham

Thank you for teaching me a lot, but you are still not prettier than me. 🙄

From: Jordan

To: Ethan

You and I have the best friendship.

To: Wingstop

You have the best tenders and ranch.

To: Sigma Friends in Group 6

We're the goats and forever will be!

From: Alexa

To: Everyone

Thank you for a fun year. Have a great summer!

From: Jesslyna

To: Myles

You're not sigma, but beta!

To: Isaiah

You were best friends ever since Kindergarten. Hope you have a great summer.

To: Alistair

I had a fun time with you even though you were mean sometimes.

To: My Friends

You made me happy this year and we laughed a lot.

From: Cristian

To: Everyone

See y'all in 6<sup>th</sup> grade!!! #we'reinmiddleschool!!!

To: Our Class

Have fun this summer!

To: The Egg Thief

Don't steal anymore eggs!!!

To: All my friends

Thanks for making 5<sup>th</sup> grade fun!

From: Joshua

To: Alvin

You're a good friend. Have a nice summer!

To: Isaiah

We are the Tech Support!!! See you next year.

To: Everyone

Have a nice summer!

To: Mr. Pham

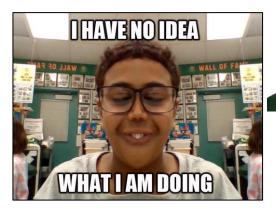
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# O'L LINS OUSENCAMILA GRANDMASTER P. FINISH FUSH START GRANDMASTER P.









# **Classroom Funnies**





Mr. Phamicello's

Challenge

Cornyanna, if you worked for ten hours and were paid five dollars an hour, what would you get?



A NEW pair of baggy-pants!!!

Hee-hee-hee-hee... Foodies' Revenge!

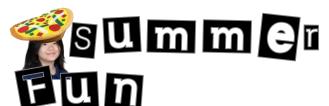
**Roach Queen**, what would you do if you saw a **man-eating** lion?



Brilliant!

Uh, Mr. Lame-ichello, I would do nothing, because I'm a Queen!

> Roaches Rule!



Don't just sit there all Summer, here are some games and recipes we've collected to help you have a little fun under the sun and in the kitchen.

### **EVERYBODY'S "IT" TAG**

**How to play:** Everyone tries to tag everyone else. If you're tagged, you're out. Simultaneous tags mean that both players are out.

### **BLOB TAG**

How to play: Once someone has been tagged, he must join hand with "it" and continue developing the blob. These 2 players must now stay joined and attempt to tag other players. As more players get tagged, they must join and remain connected to the blob. Only the end players of the blob can tag others. The last free person is the winner.

### FOX AND SHEEP

How to play: All players lined up at one end of the playing area. These players are sheep. "It" is the fox. The fox will begin the game by naming off times. (1 o'clock, 2 o'clock, etc.), when the fox says "mid-night" the sheep will run to the other end of the gym. As the sheep run, the fox will tag as many as possible. Once the sheep make it to the end of the gym, they wait for the fox to name the time again. Any sheep tagged by the fox will become fox also. The last sheep left in the game is the winner and may be the next fox if he wishes.

# S'mores Pops!!

1 (16 ounce) bag large marshmallows 1 (16 ounce) bag chocolate chips (or whatever chocolate you like to melt)

1 (16 ounce) package graham crackers

### **Directions**

Crush graham crackers in a big zip lock bag until they are like breadcrumbs. Place crumbs in a bowl. Melt chocolate in a double boiler or in the microwave (mom needs to do this part) stirring often until smooth.

Stick a toothpick in a marshmallow and dip in chocolate all the way then in grahm cracker crumbs halfway.

Set on wax paper to dry. EAT!

# **Mint Shakes**

In a blender place 1 cup milk, 1 banana, 2 or 3 drops of green food coloring and mint flavoring. Blend until smooth, then pour into clear plastic cups.



Politing If you could make it rain anything except water, what would it rain?



I would make it rain candy. Not just any candy, only freeze-dried candies. A lot of people like freeze-dried goodies. Did you know that 20.2 million people like to eat freeze-dried candies more than fruit? It makes a delicious snack or treat. Most people would freeze-dried other things like pineapple, grapes, and other things too? So, I say that I would like it to rain freeze-dried candies.



If I could make it rain anything it would be ice cream because I love ice cream and it is the best dessert ever. The summertime is coming so if it rains ice cream it would save a lot of money. The prices will probably be higher because the people selling will know that during the summertime everyone will want ice cream. Finally, I want to see an ice cream fall on someone's head. So, these are the reasons why.



If I could make it rain anything it would be pizza because if people are hungry and when it rains, people can grab pizza slices all around the world. Pizza is very good and you can grab as many as you want. After a few pizza downpours, it can solve world hunger because everyone will have pizza to eat everyday. That is why I'd like it to be raining pizza!!!



I would make it rain Harry Potter Wands so everyone has a wand to make their own spells so it could be more popular like back then when they had made the Harry Potter movies. I would go see another movie about Harry Potter and the Cursed Child, so with their wands everyone could go to Hogwarts. That's why I would make it rain wands instead of water. We could use the wands to make water with the water spell.

• Isaiah • Maryam • Devin

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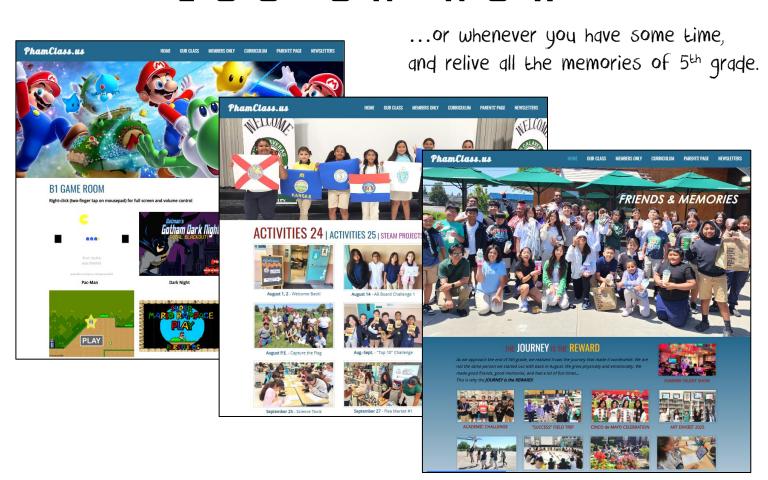
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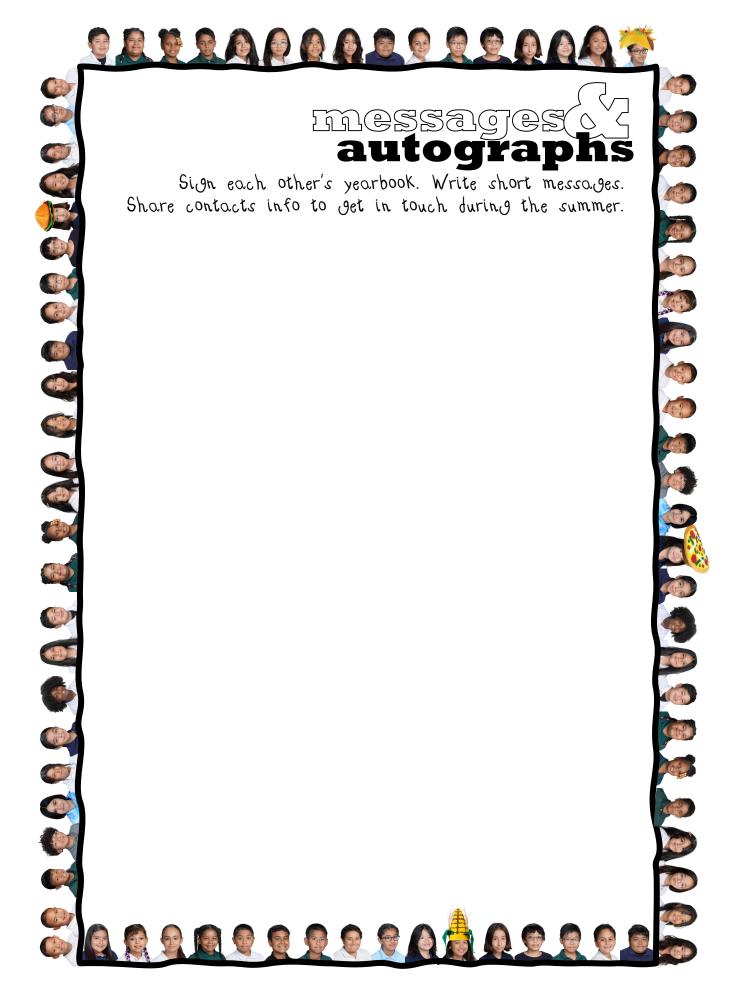
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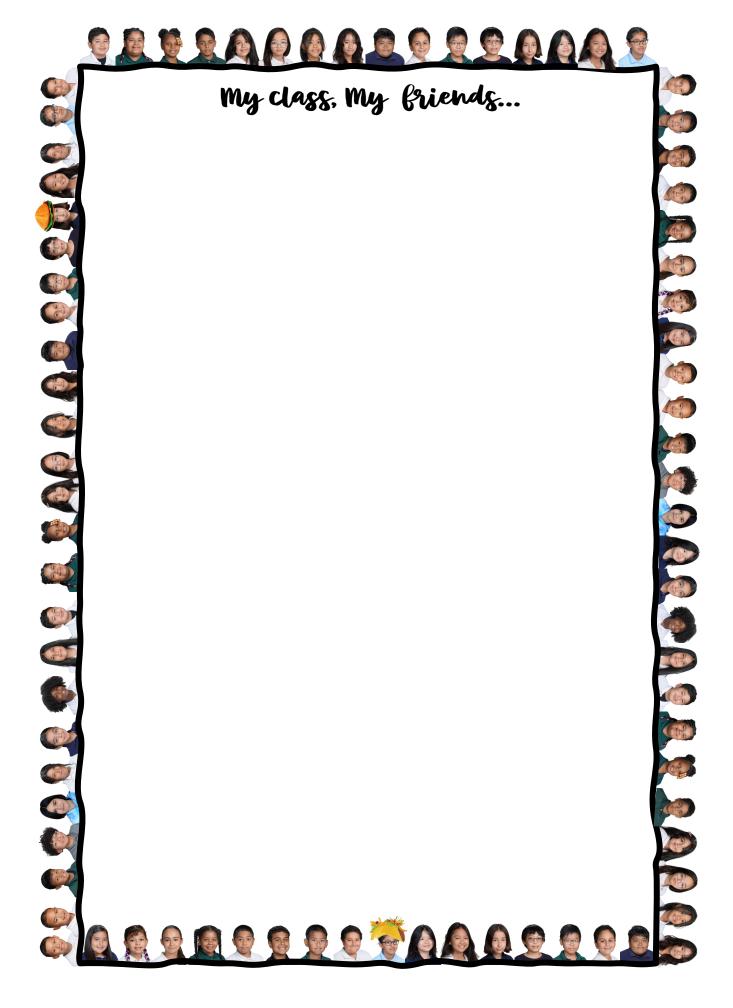
Use resources and links

Send annoying messages to Mr. Pham access to Game Room

# LOG ON NOW









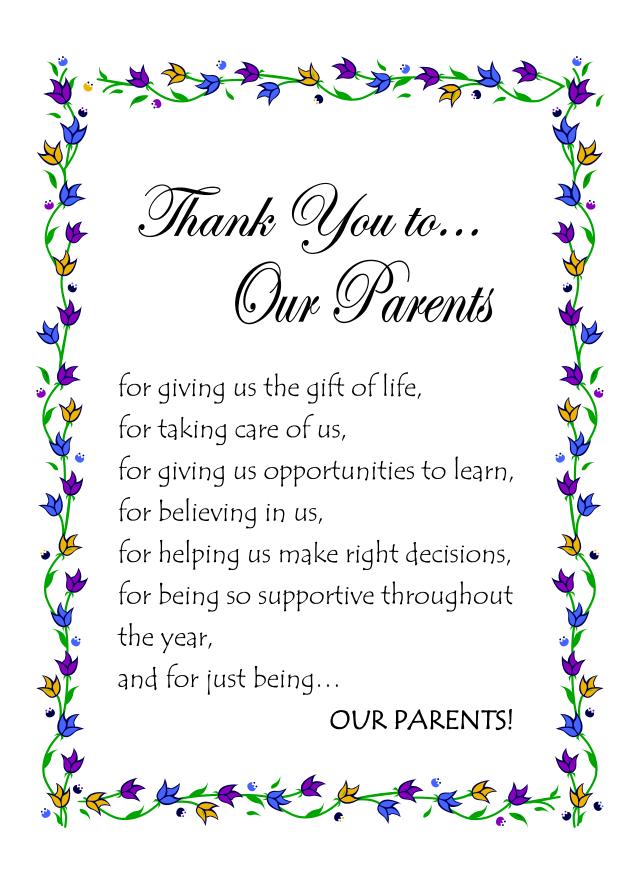
FAST-FOODIES

Have you seen these weird kids?

They called themselves "Fast-Foodies." They're the notorious foodies that ran away from restaurants when Mr. Pham visited, afraid that he will eat them! These foodies also insulted and made fun of your beautiful and precious teacher. They also photobombed all over this yearbook.

Your mission: Search and count how many times each of these "Fast-Foodies" photobombed in the yearbook.

There might be a prize for you if you're one of the first three to get the exact count. Be careful, because they're really sneaky! They hide in plain sight and they're VERY FAST! So, look for them... and be very afraid...





Follow your dream.

Take one step at a time and don't settle for less.

Just continue to climb. Follow your dream.

If you stumble, don't stop and lose sight of your goal.

Press to the top.

For only on top can we see the whole view;

Can we see what we've done and what we can do;

Can we then have the vision to seek something new.

Press on.

Follow your dream.

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