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An unforgettable encounter

Khan Sameer 1A

One day, Jack, who is a kind and helpful animal lover, encountered a scary experience. He woke up early in the morning and had nothing to eat so he decided to go to McDonald's and have a delicious breakfast there. When Jack arrived at McDonald's, he bought a cup of coffee, a sandwich and a cake. It was a simple breakfast. While Jack was having a peaceful time in McDonald's, he saw a dog entering the restaurant and it was going around and sniffing at people's food. The manager saw the dog and tried his best to make the dog run away. It really worked and the dog got scared and ran away.

After half an hour, Jack was full and had a bit of sandwich left. He was about to throw it away when he thought of the dog. He left McDonald's and saw the dog lying next to the entrance. He was happy and whistled so that he could get the dog's attention. The dog saw Jack and came to him sniffing at the sandwich. Jack then gave the dog the bit of sandwich. The dog was still hungry so Jack went back to McDonald's and bought a packet of hot French fries. The dog was happily wiggling its tail and Jack gave the dog some of the fries.

Suddenly, he saw three more dogs running towards him. He got very nervous because he thought the dogs would harm him, but no! They didn't and they just surrounded him with their mouth open with lots

of water! Jack knew they were very hungry too. But he had no money left in his pocket, and for the fries, he also had to give them to his sister so he ran at a full speed towards the nearest police station. He reached the police station and was relieved to see that two policemen saw him. They prepared nets and guns just to capture or even knock the dogs unconscious in case the dogs went rage. Jack was even scared when the policemen were pointing guns at the dogs and said, 'Please, don't kill the dogs!' The policemen replied, 'Don't worry! It's just a gun to make things unconscious but it won't kill them!' Jack was happy when the dogs got captured. The policemen told Jack that the dogs will be sent to animal shelter where people show care for them.

Before the dogs were taken away, Jack gave them some fries that were supposed to be for his sister. The dogs were harmless now and Jack has learnt not to give food to any stray animals on the streets.



Sword Art Online ~ a film review

Ernest Chau Chun Yin 2A

Recently, my favourite animation Sword Art Online was made into a movie shown in cinemas. The title of the film is Sword Art Online: Ordinal Scale. I am so impressed by this movie that I have to introduce it.

I not only love watching animation but also enjoy adventure films because I never know what kind of problems the main character will get into, so Sword Art Online: Ordinal Scale is my cup of tea. The story started in 2022. It is the time a virtual reality multiplayer online role-playing game (VRMMORPG) called Sword Art Online (SAO) is released. With the NerveGear, a helmet that simulates the users' five senses via their brain, players can experience and control their mind. They are created by Akihiko Kayaba. Kirito, the main character, discovers that he can't quit the game, and players will die in real life if they die in this game. The director is Tomohiko Ito, voice by Yoshitsugu Matsuoka (for Kirito) and Haruka Tomatsu (for Asuna, Kirito's girlfriend in the game and real life). It is produced by Reki Kawahara

In 2026, the Augma is released to the public as an alternative system to the AmuSphere. Due to its function to simulate reality while the player is conscious rather using FullDrive, the most prominent combat-based game is Ordinal Scale, in which a player's abilities are ranked by ordinal numbers. My favourite character is Kirito. He doesn't fight for himself but for his relatives. He promises Asuna to get her

memories back. She is hit by the SAO boss and loses every part of memories in SAO. He decides he won't get Leafa (Kirito's sister) and Sinon (Kirito's Gun Gale Online partner) get into this. He is also very smart. When he goes to school and asks Professor Tentsuhiro Shigemura (the one who develops Augma) about Augma, the professor refuses to answer his question. Smart Kirito notices the picture of Yuna's (Shigemura's daughter) picture on his desk. Then he gets information about Shigemura's daughter, Yuna, who is killed in SAO.

In the end, the boss is defeated. The voice of Akihiko Kayaba congratulates them on their victory and gives Kirito an extremely powerful sword as a reward. The hooded Yuna restarts the survivors' memories and fades out of existence since she is coded from the floor 100th boss. The story ended with Kirito putting the engagement ring into Asuna's finger.

This story tells us to protect our loved ones and cherish the time with our relatives. I hope you'll enjoy the movie as much as I do.



An amazing experience last week

Wong Wai Lam, Wilson 1A

Last Saturday, I went to a restaurant to buy fast food in the morning. When I arrived there, I saw a menu. Then, I walked to the counter and bought a cheese hamburger, French fries, and sprite. After I had eaten all the things, I picked my French fries and walked out of it. There was a dog looking at me. The dogs sat and stared at me. I fed him with some French fries.

Suddenly, there were more and more dogs running to my way. I was so scared and I said to the dogs, 'No! This is my food! Get out of here!'

Then, I put my French fries away. The dogs were jumping happily. I was so nervous that I ran as fast as a tiger. However, the dogs were chasing me. 'Oh!' I said loudly but nobody heard it. I saw a police station so I ran into it. The dogs started to bark at me. I said to the police officer,

'Help me! Help me! A lot of dogs were chasing me!' The police heard it and responded fast. They put the dogs in a cage and brought them to Hong Kong Dog Rescue. 'Thank you!' I said to the police.

I feel thankful to the police because they have saved my life. I even didn't have any injury in this incident. In this experience, I have learnt that we should not feed the stray animals on the streets since it is really dangerous.



Changes for a better future

Mehra-Mahak 3A

Our schoolmates have to carry a load of books back home from school and vice versa, but our lockers are too small. Moreover, our teachers complain that the lockers are too messy. So, what exactly are we going to do?

Having bigger lockers with different sections and omputerized monitors to unlock them can solve the problem. We could be more careful and wouldn't have the hassle of forgetting our key. In this way, our teacher, schoolmates and us could have a less-problematic school life. The different sections could represent the core and important subjects with heavier books, and the omputerized monitors could use a fingerprint lock to open. I'm pretty sure it would be a lot easier this way.

The different sections could be colour coordinated so we would know where the books are. The omputerized monitors could be like a tiny pad that we could use to open our lockers easily. Now wouldn't that be nice?

Although this innovation is beneficial to both students and teachers, it has a few problems such as the fees and the space for the lockers. However, nothing to worry! Students can pay for their monitors and get back the charges after they complete school. The lockers can be a little bigger too. Moreover, if the lockers look dull and boring, students could decorate them themselves. Who doesn't love DIY?

This innovation, to me, is exciting but I can't guarantee the possibility of it. However, I hope the school considers it!



The future school

Choi Chun Lam, Andy 3A

Can you imagine studying at home? How about tablets or I-Pads as your textbooks? If you can't imagine at the moment, you might see that change in the future. Schools have changed from the past and keep improving even now. Therefore, changes are always possible.

AI teacher

Today, we are used to having teachers during the lessons. However, the future generations won't see one. They will indeed stay at home. However, AI teacher will be the future teacher in our daily school life.

Missing out on the fun of friends in school

Technology has helped us to change the world. Therefore, holographic TV lessons will be used in the future. However, it will make

video chats with aliens very common. Moreover, students will miss out on face-to-face group interactions.

Any change in subjects?

Not really! Common core subjects such as Chinese, English, Math and Liberal Studies won't be changed. It is because they are our main subjects. Although the world will change, I don't see these subjects changing in any way.

So, do you guys like these changes in the schools of the future?



My Double

Sumangil Janyll Alexa 2A

A few years back, my friends and I hanged around my small town. When we were exchanging an interesting conversation, something caught my eyes. I didn't really pay attention to that female figure at first. But a few minutes later, I spotted the same figure again, now a lot closer.

she was looking around gingerly as if smelling for some secrets . But what really shocked me was that she looked exactly like me! She had brown hair, almond-shaped eyes and her skin colour was just as brown as mine! I was in complete shock. I didn't move until one of my friends shook me to get my attention back. I told them I needed to get back home for a study session but in reality, I just wanted to get away from my double.

Once I got home, I ate dinner and watched some video clips on my lap top to try to forget about that person. I thought it was just a mere coincidence so I just left it that way and went to bed.

The next few days, I totally forgot about my double until I saw her again. This time, she looked directly at me. I froze. She then smiled just like the way I do. I was so confused. She walked slowly to me and took my arm firmly and dragged me to the nearby park. The park was as quiet as a graveyard. Not a single soul in sight. My apparent double sat me down and sarcastically introduced herself. Of course, we both knew who the second was even though we looked so alike from head to the tip of my toes. We were even wearing the same clothes and accessories.

For two hours, we talked about ourselves and tried hard not to be surprised in every answer we both received from each other as the answers were always exactly the same. Suddenly, my double got serious.

She stood up right in front of me and said in a calm and stern voice, "There can only be one of us, you know."

I was very creeped out but I just calmly replied, "Excuse me?"

Then she started laughing hysterically and pushed me down on the floor yelling, "Just one! Just one!" She took out a knife and was about to stab me right on my chest but I grabbed her hand just in time. I squeezed her hand with all my might until she dropped the knife. That gave me enough time to make a run for it.

Once I made it safely home, I locked all my doors and windows and shut the curtains. When I felt everything was safe, I went to my lap top and researched on a dope gang threat that created double, triple even quadruplets to get rid of the original person. It turned out that they were real and the most recent killing was a decade ago. The dope gang was formed somewhere in a parallel universe with satanic power so the only way to stop them was with holy water.

Having found out a way to destroy the gang and save myself, I slept the whole encounter out. The next day, I went to church to grab some holy water and went back to that park. I waited until she appeared. She looked at me with furious eyes and an evil grin.

Without warning, she charged at me yelling, "Only me! Only me!"

I quickly poured the holy water over her and got a knife from my pocket and stabbed right in her chest. I watched as she turned into dust in daylight, screaming in agony. Shortly after, she disappeared. I collapsed.

I woke up on my bed a few days later. My mum was standing next to me, asking me what had happened and what I had done in the park with a knife and an empty bottle. I just looked at her and laughed nervously, "Oh... I was digging for earthworms."



Information Poster

Desierto Josaya Josh Quinones 4A

Countryside Clean-up Challenge

Sunday, 12th March, 201()

Aim: To help clean up Hong Kong country parks

Why take part

This activity can really help conserve and protect the environment. By cleaning up the waste, such as cans, plastic or leftover which may be eaten by animals, we can save them from getting poisoned. In addition, this can raise people's awareness of cleaning up the environment. When others see you cleaning up the environment, they may get the motivation and inspiration to do the same thing. A small act of kindness can make a big difference! Hence, be a pioneer and be the first to make this a hobby and difference to society. This can also be a great activity for the family. What could be better than saving the environment with your family?

Where to clean up

We should clean up country parks which have lots of barbecue sites, such as Sai Kung. It is a very famous place with beautiful country parks. A lot of people would just leave their garbage after they use the barbecue area. We should do something to save the environment and try our utmost to keep our country parks peaceful and clean. Nobody wants to see a dirty country park filled with trashed barbecue sites.

What to wear and what to bring along

There will be a lot of cleaning up, so make sure you bring along enough trash bags and gloves for yourselves. It will be hot in the country parks, so make sure you apply sunscreen and wear proper clothes. Besides, stay hydrated all the time is very important. We suggest putting on insect repellent as dengue fever is getting worse in Hong Kong. Finally, we hope that all of you have a great time in the clean-up campaign!



Say No to death penalty!

Chu Sze Wing, Sandy 5D

Death penalty in Hong Kong was formally abolished in 1993. Recently, there have been several organizations in Hong Kong urging the government to bring death penalty back to the territory. They argue that death penalty is an effective deterrent to serious crimes, such as murder and drug trafficking. However, I strongly disagree with it due to 3 main reasons.

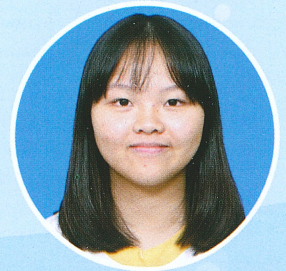
Regarding the concern of humanity, capital punishment is cruel and inhumane. The most common type of capital punishment in China is shoot dead. Criminals who were condemned to have shoot dead were always filled with the scary of death. But there were no chances for these criminals to turn over a new leaf. Ultimately, they got shot. Besides, being killed by lethal injection or being electrocuted is not always smooth and painless, sometimes it may cause painful death. The criminals die immediately and they can feel the terrible pain until they die. This is cruel and inhumane.

Concerning about human rights, death penalty is never acceptable. Death penalty violates the right to life which happens to be the most basic thing of human rights. Furthermore, death penalty undermines human dignity which is inherent to every human being.

Every human being is given rights of being alive. Murderers expropriate victims' rights of being alive, but it does not mean that we should treat them in the same way. If we approve death penalty, what is the difference between a murderer and us?

The last reason I am against the reintroduction of death penalty is that it is irrevocable. Mistakes are sometimes made in the law. What if someone who is killed is actually innocent? This is the difference between death penalty and imprisonment. Execution is the ultimate and irrevocable punishment. The risk of executing an innocent person can never be eliminated. Nothing can compensate this mistake. In this case, prison is certainly a more suitable way for handling those serious criminals.

To conclude, it is strongly believed that death penalty is unnecessary. Death penalty is a cruel and inhumane punishment in the civilized world.



Letter to the Editor

Rani Maryam 6A

Dear Editor,

I am writing to express my opinions on the hot issue --- "Parents in Asian countries install some apps on their children's mobile phones in order to monitor their activities". Some argue that this act is appropriate as it is parents' responsibility to educate their children with good morals and correct their behaviours. I beg to differ on this point of view.

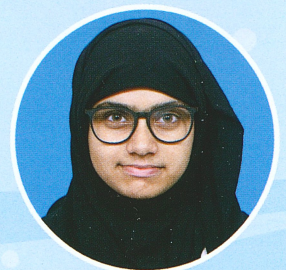
To commence with, the behavior of monitoring child's activities violates the basic human right which is privacy. Everyone in the society has the right of privacy, undoubtedly children are also included. Isn't it contradicting that the society fights for one's privacy once there are personal information leaked out by some companies, but not respecting the fact that children should also have their privacy.

Having an eye on their mobile phones will not allow them to grow since parents are always there to ameliorate the situation before it worsens, thereby children do not need to face any obstacles throughout their growth. Such overprotective acts are detrimental to the personal growth and the development of the children. How will the children have a satisfactory life without facing any hurdles in their workplace and after marriage? Consequently, they will inevitably be the less privileged ones in the highly-competitive society. The act of supervising the activities of children by installing apps on their mobile phones will not only contravene the basic human right but also hinder the personal development of the children.

Apart from that, the action of monitoring the children will have an impact on the relationship as well. Parents will definitely read over the conversation of their children with their friends in order to get up-to-date information about their children. However, this will cause them to feel uneasy when chatting with their peers via mobile phone as they will not be able to talk about something sensitive or things parents dislike. Disputes between parents and children are often the result. Why do parents risk their relationship with children when they know it might worsen their relationship? Children will always keep a distance from their parents as they are not given freedom to do things they like on their mobiles. Aside from parents, once their peers know that their friends are supervised closely, they may fear that their secret is leaked out. Hence, their peers may try to keep distance from them so as not to let their privacy be threatened. This will only add difficulty to develop their good interpersonal relationship.

Other than that, the gesture of monitoring their children can be done lifelong. When the children are grown up, could the parents still monitor their children? Obviously not! It is not possible that their parents are always there to ameliorate the situation or observe their acts in the virtual world. Rather than monitoring their children's activities, family education can also do the same which will not affect the parent-child relationship. This will definitely be a "win-win" idea as good morals are being input, at the same time, the children can practise what they have learnt and establish good interpersonal relationships. This approach can be taken lifelong even if their children are grown up and it will always have a good influence.

To conclude, the practices of monitoring kids on their mobile phone by parents are all undesirable. These approaches must not be taken as an initiative to educate their children when dealing with their use of mobile phones. So stop being a spy on the children's activities!



Yours truly,
Chris Wong

'Karma' has done her great job!

Sadia Bibi, Rebekah 6A

"Good morning...eh...my name is Ha..Harry, nice to meet you all," said a stuttering, a possibly shy young boy from in front of the classroom. I stood up from my chair and peaked across the room in order to catch a glance of him. Harry was a short, blue-eyed, fair skinned handsome man but he was sadly disabled and forced to be placed on a wheel chair. Well, we can't judge a book by its cover, can we?

Despite his disability, Harry was extremely sporty as he would always score in the school basketball practice. Owing to this, our classmates had given him the nickname 'scorer'. I honestly loved the way all my classmates had welcomed Harry as it had been three days since he started school and no one had discriminated him, in any sorts of situation. Harry moved his seat right next to me the other day which gave me quite a shock because every other person wanted to sit next to him but instead he chose me. I mumbled hoping no one heard me especially Harry. He was a sweet and extremely comfortable person to talk to. Thus, we bonded quite well. But who knew me texting him after school would turn out to be a great disaster...

Harry politely asked for my number and social media accounts which I certainly gave him without any hesitation because he was already considered as the cool kid in our class. We texted like all friends normally would, cracking jokes and telling each other about our personal lives. It was all positive and great between us and I had already started trusting him with my privacy - little did I know, he was never ever as he had shown to us. We were to go out on a movie date and guess what? He came walking there! Walking! He could walk properly yet had lied to almost everyone about his so called "disability" just to gain fame and be privileged in school.

"No way! You lied!" I shouted on top of my lungs, he came running across me and requested me to stay calm. He then proceeded telling me his story but the story seemed extremely made-up to me so I just walked away from him until he shouted, "Don't you dare walk away from me or I'll expose all your secrets to everyone in school." That got me devastated but I still chose to run away from him knowing he couldn't be trusted anymore.

Two days passed and I hadn't been to school as I was still mentally struggling to believe that I had fallen truly for a guy whose whole life is a lie! I went back to school the other day and noticed everyone in my class whispering upon seeing me and a group of people started consoling Harry when I walked in. What? What's going on? I thought to myself. Then I had a flashback of his words and understood that he had made me the bad person by spreading fake rumors around. No one would believe me as everyone thought a disabled person wouldn't lie! Ridiculous! He wasn't disabled at all!! How could I prove that to everyone when no one was willing to listen.

Eventually, I got tired of trying to prove myself and chose to rest on my desk instead. I started crying quietly as my heart was torn with all the mean words by everyone. I just prayed that he got caught somehow. And guess what? He did! A lizard came into the classroom and Harry upon noticing the lizard was so terrified he stood out of his wheelchair and started running out of the classroom. He ran so obviously everyone saw and could clearly justify who was lying in the very first place.

He was quite in trouble for betraying the school and his friends. Well, I received apologies and deep in my heart had this assumption that God had answered my prayers and sent the lizard in the form of 'Karma' to teach Harry a lesson. In fact, Karma had done in a splendor!



Letter to the Editor

Choi Tsz Kik, Joe 6A

Dear Editor,

As a long-time reader of young post in your magazine, I was taken aback recently when coming across an article published in the Young Post suggesting that an 8:00 am start to the school day makes students feel tired and sleepy. As a father of two, I always pay heed to wide-ranging issue which concerns my two teenage children. The suggestion put toward in the aforementioned article is worthy of my concern and probe as the holistic development of my children variably hinges on policies mapped out by school. Tellingly, when to go to school is an all-important matter.

To commence with, students feel tired because there are a multitude of reasons giving rise to the problem that students are worn-out, with lack of sleeping being silent one. Therefore, why do students not have enough time to sleep? Electronic gadgets are to be blamed. Students in the territory are hooked by these electronic gadgets. They fail to take their eyes off them. They are obsessed with video games. The bright light from the screens keep students awake at night. Little wonder they suffer from insomnia and feel tired when they go back to school.

In recognition of the above problem, a corresponding solution often suggested among adolescents is to put off the start time later, say 9 am. However, to my personal belief, I think the plan cannot ease the problem. I totally frown on this "well-meaning" initiative. Nevertheless, I am skeptical of its effectiveness. For a start based on my personal observation, only a vicious circle will result should this plan be put in place. The later students go to school, the later they will go to bed. It is abundantly clear that the initiative cannot solve the problem. Schools are a place where our future pillars learn self-control. How come we, adults, back down in the truce of such a problem! We need to be role models of our children.

It is sincerely hoped that our readers, especially those who are parents, set a good example for our future pillars. As an English saying goes, the early bird catches the worm.



Yours faithfully,
Chris Wong

Voices posted on Young Post, South China Morning Post

Youth Issues

By Donna Izabel 5A
2017 Young Post



I recently went to a Youth Development Policy forum and it made me realise how important it is for young people to be politically active.

Young people have lots of ideas but feel that they can't put them into action. But, actually, there are resources out there to help them that most people aren't aware of. For example, some schools offer free trips overseas for students, but not many teens know this I didn't.

Because young people don't get involved in politics, the government has no idea how to tackle youth-related issues. If we start to become politically engaged, the government will have to start taking us seriously and find solutions to our problems.

Talking Points: Should Hong Kong introduce a 'zero homework' policy?

By Zenna Sultan 5A
December 12, 2018 Young Post



In my opinion, Hong Kong shouldn't introduce a zero homework policy because this would make students lazy and they will likely do badly in their quizzes and exams if they don't practise what they learn at home. Doing homework helps students retain knowledge and allows them to learn how to manage their time, which is a good skill to develop at an early age.

Talking Points: Will the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macau bridge benefit Hong Kong?

By Zenna Sultan 5A
October 31, 2018 Young Post

This is a controversial topic, but in my opinion, the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macau bridge will create a business hub in the country's south, including Hong Kong. This is a great way to improve the region's economy. Also, more mainlanders will visit the city and maybe use the bridge to travel to Macau.

So I think the bridge will be beneficial to Hong Kong.

What is the best day of the week?

By Iris Liang 4A
November 30, 2018 Young Post



Relaxing day

Sunday, because I can do whatever I want. After a week of hard work, I can spend time with my loved ones. I like to switch off my study mode and relax. Sunday gives me the energy to tackle the week ahead.

The perfect Christmas present for my parents

By Iris Liang 4A
December 14, 2018 Young Post

Keep warm

I would give them hand-knitted scarves to keep them warm during the winter. Handmade gifts are more meaningful than something I can buy from a shop. I believe that the price of the gift is not the most important, it's really the thought that counts!

What are you thankful for?

By Lexie Zheng 4A
November 23, 2018 Young Post



Endless opportunities

I'm very grateful to be living in Hong Kong. I love this city because it is full of opportunities that allow me to broaden my horizons and keep improving myself.

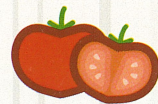
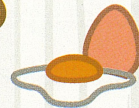
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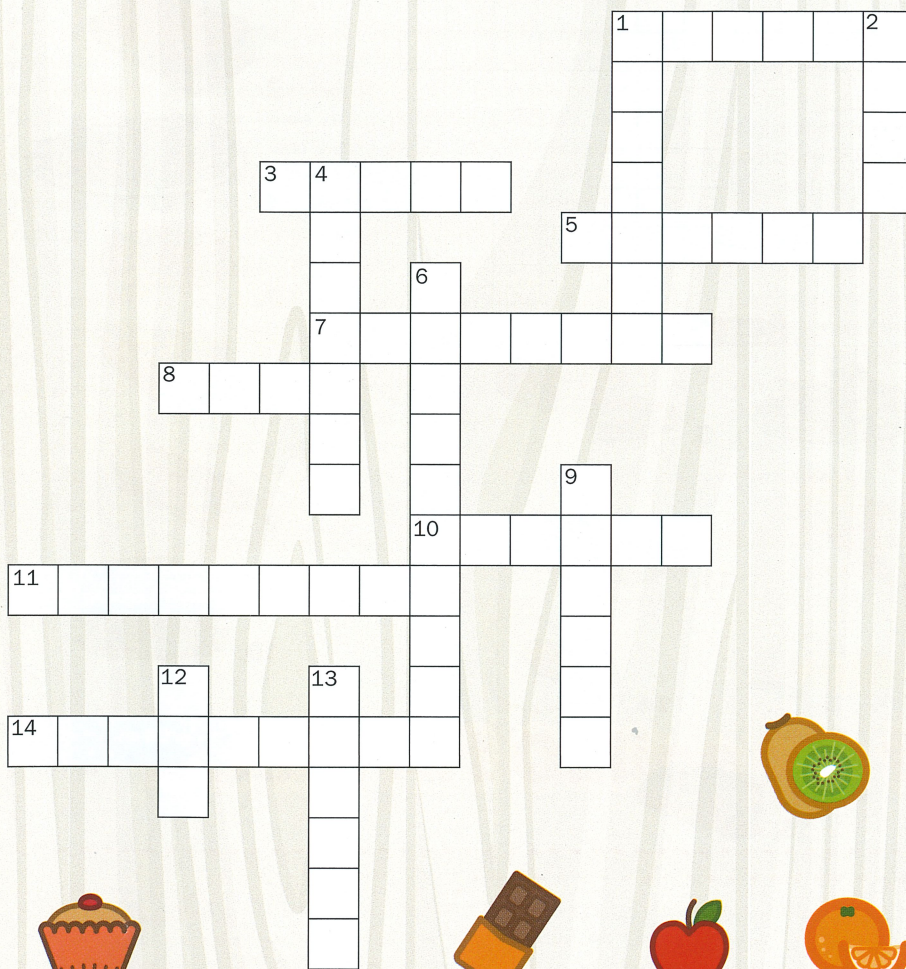
To take part, complete the crossword puzzles below and put it into the envelope posted outside Staff Room 109 by **April 30 (Tuesday)**. Some awards will be given to you.



Food



Unscramble the words and fit them in the puzzle below.

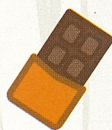


Across

1. A famous dairy product in Holland
3. It is a healthy fruit and a symbol of the most expensive phone model
5. A medium-sized silver-colored fish that lives in the sea or rivers and swims up rivers to produce eggs.
7. They are used to make chips
8. The product which is taken from cows
10. The fruit which is associated with the cartoon character, Minions
11. This sweet gives you the feeling of happiness. It is a famous product in Switzerland.
14. A kind of berries which improve vision if you use them regularly

Down

1. A kind of vegetable that has white big head with loads of leaves around
2. This product is given by the chicken
4. It is the most popular symbol at Halloween
6. The most delicious red berries which grow in the garden. They also grow in the wood.
9. Rabbit's favourite vegetable
12. Made with lots of nice flavors and we can drink it in every meal
13. These berries become in raisins when you dry them. Sometimes we extract vine from them



Your information:

Name: _____ Class: _____ ()

Your voice

- Which kinds of food/ cuisine do you like? Describe your dining experience or place(s).
- Do you think Hong Kong is a well-known place for food? Explain your views.



Well, you can with Expressions. Have your say and share with students in our school.

To take part, submit your essay (written or printed version) on either of the questions to your English teacher or put it into the envelope posted outside Staff Room 109 by **April 30 (Tuesday)**.

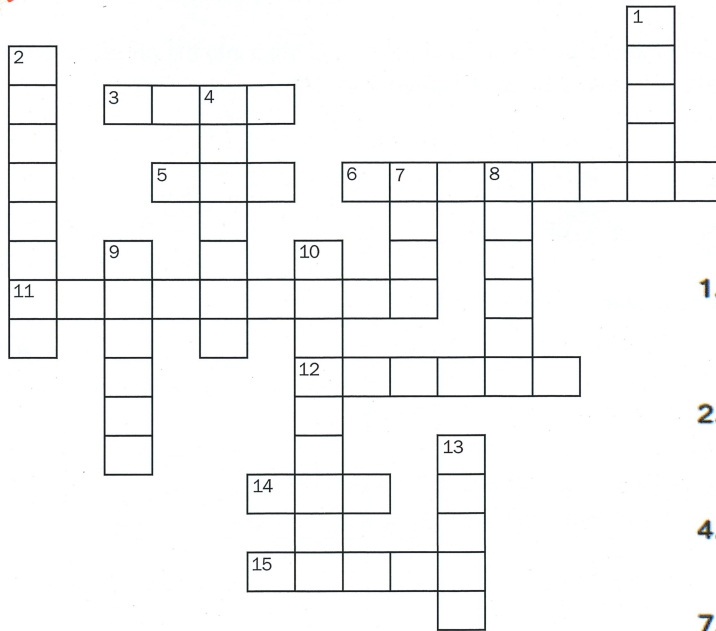
BIG prizes are waiting for you!

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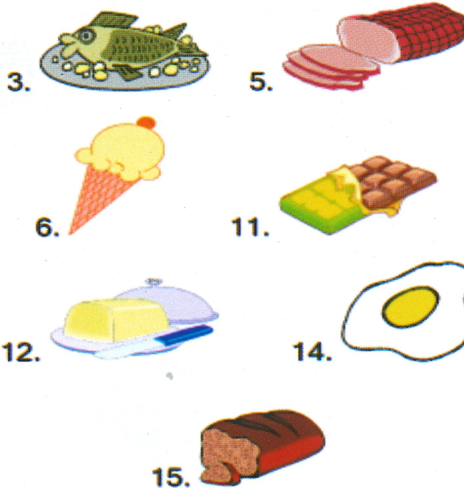
Food

To take part, complete the mini-task and fax it to us at 2178 3636 or email to yy3mail@hktayy3.edu.hk by **April 30 (Tuesday)**.

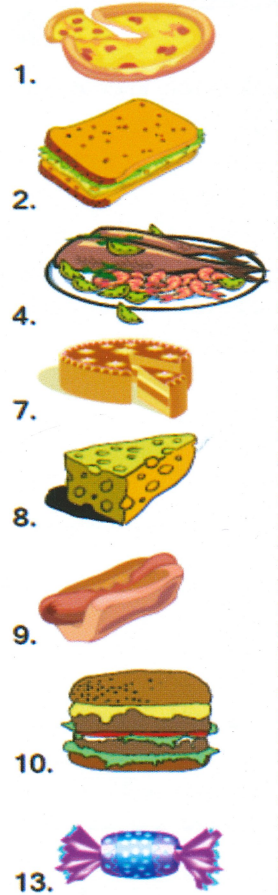
A fancy gift will be awarded to you.



Across



Down



Contact information

Name: _____
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Your voice

- What is your favourite food? Why do you like it?
- Where do you usually go when eating out?

Well, you can be with Expressions. Have your say and share with other students here.

To take part, email your answer with your name, age and school, along with a nice, clear selfie (make sure it's not blurry), to yy3mail@hktayy3.edu.hk by April 30 (Tuesday).

Be sure to include "Your voice" in the subject line. For any queries, please contact Miss Suen at 21783223.

The top five entries will be published in our next issue and big prizes are waiting for you!