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FUN CORNER

*For A
Quarter
Century*



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English is the most commonly spoken language in the world. We can see that it is also very valuable to learn English and can create many opportunities. We are aware of the necessity of learning English. Language learning is a process, so we are training our 5th grade students in that way. This year, we are applying busy schedule for 5th graders. There are 14 hours in our English lessons. These lessons include 6 hours Main Course, 4 hours Speaking and Listening and 4 hours Reading and Writing. We are teaching English in the best way. We believe that at the end of the academic year, students will speak 'Everyday English'. The purpose of this bulletin is to show the children about what they gain.





INTERVIEW WITH OUR HEADMASTER

Student: Hi,Mr.Çelik.We would like to interview with you about our school.

Headmaster: Certainly,my dear students.Let's start.

Student: Who's the founder of this school?

Headmaster: Our school was founded in 1995 by Prof.Dr.Hüseyin Gazi BAŞ in the name of EHDA companies. He has been worked a professor.

Student: Why should we select Neva College?

Headmaster: Neva's spirit is special because Neva is full of harmony everywhere and every time. So, Private Neva should be your choice. Actually,all life and time is harmony.

Student: What are your the most important rules?

Headmaster: Everybody thinks that for a school headmaster everything is a rule. But the basic aim is national and incorporeal values. Our school has been working on these values for a quarter century.

Student: What do you feel about being the headmaster of this school?

Headmaster: Being a headmaster means being a teacher.So that if I like being a teacher and teaching,everything will be easier.In that case it is an honour to be in this school.

Student: Do you think the school's current success is enough?

Headmaster: Absolutely not. Because everything is changing and developing.In that condition we should study more and more.

Student: What do you think about social activities at Neva?

Headmaster: I think our school is a model for National Education System. Because our school has been attending many different types of social activities.

Student: Thank you for your time and kind attitude to answer these questions.

Interviewers: Esma Erva FİLİZ - Sacide Nur TOP 7/B



FROM TEACHERS TO STUDENTS

You are a person, so you should have your own goals. Writing down your goals is very important to reach them. If you want something you can get it but you should try your best for it!

NEVER GIVE UP!

Follow your dream and believe that your dreams may come true one day...'

Don't worry when you have a problem and don't cry because of that. Think that your problem isn't too hard to solve. You can solve it. Just make your plan and do your best.

Many times you have got two choices:

You can give up or you can make an effort and win. Which one will you choose? The first or second?

Never say "I can't do it". You are a teenager you can do it everytime and you can solve your problem and you can find a way out...

OUR CHILDREN'S SKILLS IN ENGLISH LESSONS



Enjoyable Shopping

We are doing shopping. We learn shopping items and expressions. We use them in shopping activity. We both learnt and enjoyed.



Let's Do Karaoke!

We are doing karaoke of ' Life is Life '.



CANADIAN LEARNING COUNSELLOR WITH OUR STUDENTS

We had a guest from Canada for our speaking lesson. We had a chance to practise English with Jennifer Mailley. Firstly, we were very excited. We asked a lot of questions and learnt a lot about different cultures. We spoke very fluently and we felt confident.



Hand Crafted!

We are making paper babies for describing our appearances and clothes.



My First Things!

Students presented their first things in the classroom. While they were presenting their fabulous firsts, they really had fun.



Enjoyable Word Games

We play word games in English lessons. We both learn more words and enjoy.



We Love Role Playing and Making Presentation

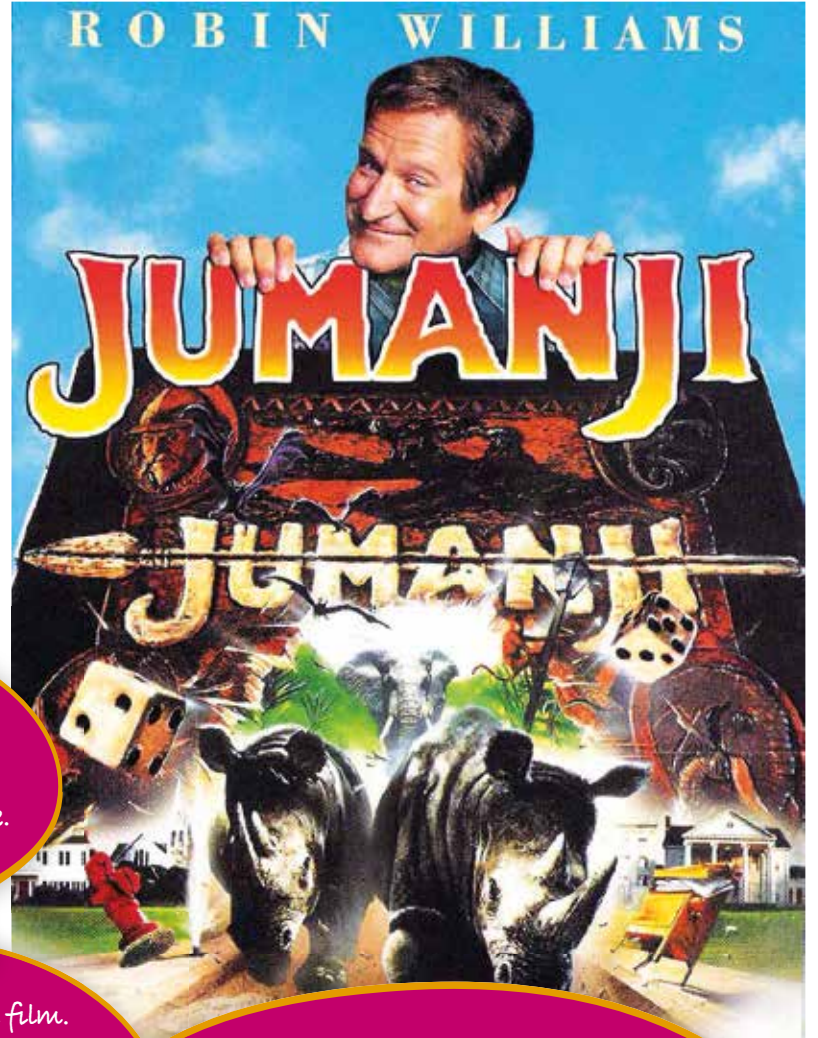
We are very active in all our English lessons. We learn every subject with effective learning methods. Our lessons are interactive and enjoyable.

ENGLISH FILM ACTIVITIES AT NEVA

MOVIE TIME!

Movie Of the Month Summaries

Jumanji is an American fantasy adventure film, starred by Robin Williams who died in the recent times. The story centers on 12 years old Alan Parrish who becomes trapped in a board game while playing with his friend Sarah Whittle in 1969. 26 years later, siblings Judy and Peter find the game and begin playing and then unwittingly release the now-adult Alan. After tracking down Sarah, the quartet resolve to finish the game in order to reverse all of the destruction it has caused.



Comments

It's a great movie. I like it.
I feel excited sometimes.
Sometimes it's funny.
Jumanji is a really nice movie.

(Kamila İsrailov)

On 1969 Alan finds a boardgame. Alan and Sarah are friends. Alan starts the game and the story starts.

(Meryem Betül Karaul)

We watched an adventure film.
We fear in some parts of the film. This film is about a game. This game's name is "Jumanji". I love this film. It is brilliant.

(Kayra Gülçin Tepe)

Alan finds a board game in 1969. Its name is "Jumanji". It's a very secret game. Alan and his girl friend start the game. Alan enters the secret forest. After 26 years, Peter and Judy take out Alan from the forest. Then Alan, Sarah, Peter and Judy continue the game and finish it. Alan and his girlfriend turn back to the real life after the game finish.

(Ali Esed Kaymak)

Alan Parrish discovers a mysterious game. Alan and his friend Sarah accidentally start the game. Alan Parrish remains hidden in this game for 26 years. He survives and two children find this game again and try to finish "Jumanji".

(Ayşe Naz Çumak)

The movie is very exciting and full of actions. It is frightening but sometimes it is emotional. I want to watch it again.

(Rümeysa İnci)

WE TRAIN OUR FUTURE DENTISTS



We make a teeth model in Science lesson. We use play dough and it is very enjoyable and informative.

YOUNG AND TALENTED PERFORMERS OF PRIVATE NEVA



Our gifted students displayed their ability with perfect acting. The theatre performance was shown at the conference hall. At the end of the show, the audiences left the hall with pleasure.

LOOK AT MY DIGESTIVE SYSTEM



We paint T-shirts in Science lesson. We draw the digestive system models on our t-shirts. We have so much fun.

SAVE ENERGY AND PROTECT YOUR FUTURE!



We learn the importance of energy save in our life and for our future. We are more conscious now.

MY DEAR PROPHET



There are students and their families and our school teachers at the Serdivan hall. We celebrate the birth of our prophet. Students read poems, sing hymns. Some students make Hacivat-Karagöz show. Everybody has fun.

NEVA'S BASKETBALL PLAYERS



Private Neva Secondary School students' basketball team go through the final.

MY LITTLE NOTEBOOK



We write some sentences in reading and writing lessons. We use A4 paper for our little notebook. We fold papers and cut them, so we make our little notebooks. We write sentences that learned in our lessons.

PROFICIENCY EXAMS GO ON



Every month, we have proficiency exams. We are excited and it motivates us.



Everyone wants to talk English. But first you have to learn it. Some of us are afraid of learning English. But I think it's the most easiest language in the world. I learned English in 1 year. It was very easy. First thing you have to do is "believing in yourself" If you don't believe in yourself you can't learn English. Say "I can do it". Second you can "go to a course" if your school doesn't teach English very well. We are studying in Neva Schools. I think our school teaches English very well. Then you have to "pay attention" to your teacher. Because it's hard to learn English without a teacher. After that "study and practice what you learned" You can solve problems about what you learned that day. Later try to watch "English cartoons". Don't say I'm too big for watching cartoons. Cartoons has more easy words than movies. Then If anybody in your family talks English well, try to talk with them English" This way you can practice too. Finally we all have phones or music players. You can download English dialogues. You can listen them on bus on car or everywhere! Now you see that learning English is not hard. Always say and repeat "I CAN LEARN ENGLISH"

(Verda Betül AI 8/E)

HAPPY TEACHER'S DAY



We celebrate Teacher 's day on November 24th. Two of 5th grade students present the demonstration. They read poems, sing songs , show videos etc. We are very happy.

FOR A GREEN WORLD

We are destroying our planet! We should stop this. We can do more things for our world.

- * We shouldn't cut young trees.
- * We should recycle glass, paper...
- * We should use glass bottles and cardboard.
- * We shouldn't throw the rubbish on the floor.
- * We should always throw away old batteries.
- * We should use solar power and with wind power.



NEVER MISS A HIKING DAY AGAIN!



ABOUT HIKING

Hiking is the activity of going for long walks in the countryside. What do you think about hiking? Did you go hiking? If you didn't go you should go anytime! Don't miss it! I have some advice for you. It is enjoyable and also healthy for human body. You breathe clean air. The second important thing is sharing. You can share your water, food, napkin, dress, shoes and whatever you want. You learn to be together. Look around what do you see? Different flowers, different animals, stones, grass, clouds, sun... and a lot of things. If we want to protect our nature, we should never throw our trash on nature. Here are our hiking experiences from us:

5TH GRADE

In this term, we went to Doğançay as 5th grade students. There was a perfect weather. We enjoyed the great view and had a lot of fun! We walked up the hills, took a snack and enjoyed the fresh air. We had great time!



LITTLE CHILD

*With pearls in his eyes and pain in his heart
The little child is crying being lost in darkness
You mightn't have a house or parents
You mightn't have anybody, you might have been scorned
Whatever happens and happens
The time and the days will pass
One day might come and you might be consoled little child.
With pearls in his eyes and pain in his heart
The little child is crying being lost in darkness
You'd had various troubles making you get lost
Strangers had taken the little money you deserve
Whatever happens and happens
The time and the days will pass
One day might come and you might be consoled little child.*

(Şeyma EROĞLU)



WELCOME TO OUR SCHOOL "SASKİ"

Saski came to our school and they talked about saving water. They said that water is very important for us, and we must save water resources. Saski gave a packet of present to us. The present was a pen, but it was a different pen. It had got a seed in it. Now, everybody has lots of seeds and we will have a lot of trees.



ENGLISH PROVERBS

- * Don't count your chickens before they are hatched.
Dereyi görmeden paçaları sıvama.
- * Dead mice feel no cold.
Acı patlıcanın kırağı çalmaz.
- * Decline begins by internal strife.
Ağacın kurdu içinden olur.
- * Don't teach your Grandmother to suck eggs.
Tereciye tere satılmaz.
- * Do as the romans do when in Rome.
Ya bu deveyi güdersin, ya bu diyardan güdersin.
- * A drowning man will clutch at a straw.
Denize düşen yılanı sarılır.
- * Dance attendance on.
Etrafında dört dönmek, üzerine titremek.
- * Daylight robbery.
Ateş pahası
- * Die laughing.
Gülmekten çatlamak.
- * Disappear like water on sand.
Ortadan kaybolmak, sırta kadem basmak.

- * Don't change horses in mid-stream.
İrmaktan geçerken at değiştirilmez.
- * Drive a hard bargain.
Sıkı pazarlık etmek.
- * The die is cast.
Ok yaydan çıktı.





★ **RECIPES** ★

Recipes from our students. If you want, you can try them. Already now enjoy your meal!

A) SPICY TURKISH OMLETTE

You need:

- 2 cups green pepper, chopped
- 1 cup diced tomato
- 2 eggs, beaten
- 3tablespoon oil
- ~ teaspoon salt
- 1 pinch of black pepper (optional)



Place the oil and onions in a pan and sauté the onions for 2-3 minutes over low-medium heat. Then, add peppers and salt. Close the lid and cook until the peppers become soft by stirring occasionally. Add the tomatoes, stir and cook for 5-6 minutes with the lid closed. Finally, add the beaten eggs and stir. It's done when the eggs are cooked. You can sprinkle some black pepper on top if you like.

Menemen is a very good and famous dish for breakfasts. Serve it with bread while still warm. ENJOY!

(Meryem Betül KARAUL)

B) CAKE

You need:

- 3 eggs
- a glass of yogurt
- a packet of baking powder
- a glass of sugar
- half packet of butter



3 glasses of flour
First break the eggs in a bowl. Next add sugar. Mix eggs, sugar and yogurt. Then melt the butter in a pan. Pour butter on the bowl. Add the baking powder and flour. Mix all of them. Pour into a cake pan. Place in a hot oven and bake it. Yummy!

(Yusuf KIRAL)

C) MACARONI SALAD

You need:

- 1 pound elbow macaroni
- 1 cup chopped sausage
- 1 cup boiled green pea
- 1 cup chopped cucumber pickle
- 1 cup yogurth
- 2 cups mayonnaise
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ~ teaspoon black pepper



In large pot of boiling water, cook macaroni over high heat for 7 to 9 minutes, or just until tender, Drain, Rinse, and let cool. Place macaroni in a large bowl, add remaining ingredients, and mix well. Cover and refrigerate for at least 1 hour before serving. Bon appetitel!

(Kamila İSRAPİLOVA)

6TH GRADE



On a Saturday at seven o'clock I woke up happily and had my breakfast. Then I went to school to go hiking. I waited for the bus with my friends and my teachers. After that the bus picked us up to Karagöl plateau. We had a small break and breakfast then we started to walk. We saw a dog we put his name 'CEMŞİT'. We loved it but some friends were afraid of him. At the end we were a bit tired but very happy! We ate grilled meat and bread. And then we got back to school. It was very exciting and adventurous. I think you should go. So hiking makes us healthy and we learn a lot of things. My last advice: 'WALK AND BE HAPPY, WALK AND BE HEALTHY'.

(Beyza KÖKER 6/C)

7TH GRADE

Our hiking to Yedigöller



We went to a school trip to Bolu. There are seven lakes in the area that's why the name is Yedigöller. It has a beautiful view and fresh air. The weather was warm and sunny on that day. It was an awesome place for taking photographs; we took a lot of pictures and we made an exhibition at school.

(Nevval AYAN 7/A)

Climbing Keremali Peak



It was a sunny day. We climbed the Keremali hill. We visited the grandfather Keremali's tomb at the top of the mountain. It has a great sight. We played snowball. It was very funny. There was a mosque near the tomb. There was mud everywhere. We had hot drinks and some snacks. A dog followed us. It was very cute. The mountain was very high. We walked 15 kilometres. It was very hard but we enjoyed and had fun. We also skied on the snow. It was funny too. We watched the great sight of the mountain. Waterfall was very cold. Everything was very good and exciting. We enjoyed very much. At last we ate grilled chicken and meat. They were really delicious.

(Ahmet Kızıltan 7/A)

NEVA'S SUCCESS AT SPORTS

BASKETBALL



Little girls basketball team became second in Sakarya from our school. That's a great success. Our School awarded medals in the conference hall. Our players are talented. Congratulations to our students and P.E. teachers. We hope our success continues to rise.

WUSHI CHAMPION



Our twin friends from 8th grade won medals in Wushi and changchuen. Zeynep YILMAZ was second in Tai – Chi competition in Antalya. Kemal YILMAZ became first in changchuen competition. And our youngest champion from 2nd grade was Abdullah YUSA. He won three championships in Wushi.

TAEKWONDO



Our school is successful in Taekwondo. They are Taekwondo masters. Their future is bright. They took valuable awards. Winners: Enescan Korkmaz came in first 57 kg in boys and Sevde Çingir came in first 37 kg in girls. Bahar Mehmetağaoğlu came in second 59 kg. Bedirhan Vergül came in third 49 kg.

(Çağatay GÜREL - Mustafa Özkan İR 7/E)

KARATE



Our friend Samira DEMİRBAŞ from sixth grade became first in Karate competition organised by Youth and Sports Ministry. We are proud of our young player.

(Azra ALBAYRAK - Zehra ÖZTÜRK 7/A)

7 Tips For Learning English

Carry a list or notepad with you

Learn the word again on other days

Look for grammatical variations of the word

Look for examples of the word on the internet

Do word associations or mind maps

Make flash cards to revise the words

Use the new word in a sentence

COLOURFUL WORLD

The world is beautiful with blue and green.

There are;
Colourful flowers
Green gardens
Blue seas
in this world.

There are;
Cute creatures
Old, young trees
All kind of fruits
in this world.

There are;
Beautiful people
Beautiful hearts
Ancient cities
Priceless sights
in this world.



(Ceyda Belgüzar KARA 6/D)

ADVENTURE PARK



We went to adventure park, because we became first in the proficiency exam. Our teacher gave us permission form and we filled it. On Saturday, everybody came to school at 9 o'clock. We went there by school bus. When we saw the park, we were excited. Park attendants gave us some clothes to wear before we started activity and they described us some rules. Activity was dangerous and frightening, but everybody completed the race track successfully. Our parents and teachers gave courage to us. At the end of the day, we had a lunch with our friends. It was an unforgettable day to our class. We wanted to go there again by coming first in the other exams.

(Dilay ŞENGÜL - Samira DEMİRBAŞ 6/F)

CELL MODEL



Ingredients (Materials)

Halley (Core)
Cake (Cell)
Tofly or Kiwi (Choloroplast)
Cream (Cytoplasm)
Banana (Vacude)
Chocolate
(Endoplasmicreticulum)

Square cake was plant cell and circle cake was animal cell. We used so many materials. Each material represented one organelle. For example: Cake represented cell, Halley represented core, banana represented vacude etc. It was a very enjoyable activity. We had so much fun and we also learned while making this model.

We did cell model with our teacher in Science lesson. There were two types of cake; square and circle.

(Öykü DİMBAŞ - Aslı Sıla TAŞKIRAN 6/F)

DEBATE



Every year our school quizzes are regulary organized in the secondary school. This competition is fun and informative for our students. The debate was organized by 7th grade students of our school. Their topic was 'Social media makes people socialized or make them alone .' Students expressed their ideas in this debate. And the winner team claimed that 'Social media makes people alone.'

(Hayrunnisa KARAUŁ 7/A)

ZIYA OSMAN SABA CONCERT



A very precious name from Turkish poetry Ziya Osman Saba's poems are read by 7th grade students with the intention of understanding and remembrance. Here is one of the poems we translated in English.

MY CHILDHOOD

My childhood, my childhood...
Gardens in the distance
That morning, that night,
Not a day of my childhood.

My childhood, my childhood...
The country is smouldering in my eyes.
Me now, eternal longing,
Endless grief of my childhood.

My childhood, my childhood...
Unaware my brother, who died
The tomb of the unknown spouse,
Every thing I do with my childhood.

My childhood, my childhood...
In a drawer, forgotten
And over the years faded,
A single image from my childhood...

(Zehra TARCAN 7/A)



SOCIAL SCIENCE COMPETITION



The competition was between 6th grades. We were three students. Firstly, we shared all units. We met three times a week. We told our subjects each other. We asked questions and we were ready but also look the audiences because we were so excited. It was a nice experience for us. Many thanks to our social teachers.

(Atalay İşler / Ayşegül Yılmaz / Ali Arslan 6/A)

WHO IS YOUR MODEL?

Most people get inspired by people around them for example their teachers, siblings, famous people and maybe even their friends. To get inspired by a person and make them your role model, that person needs to have done something that maybe you would like to do when you grow up, like being a successful business man and never give up on anything even if no one believes in you and doesn't respect you on what your trying to do and end up with something amazing and successful . Now think about it, who could be your role model or would be a good one.

(Berra Açıkdeniz 8/E)



A TEOG MOTIVATION SEMINAR FOR OUR 8th GRADE STUDENTS



Our teaching members İshak Akdemir and Cevat Eker carried out an efficient activity to differentiate our students' perspective in exams that they will meet in education and real life. They contributed their points of view about how students solve their problems through the preparation process . Our speakers, also gave tactics about carrier plans, teog clues, lifelong success, work ethic and motivation. We thank to all their presentation.

TEOG FOR US...



Each eighth grade student dreams the best high school in their city or country. But they are worried about it. If they cannot be successful what will happen if they cannot go to school which they wanted? And we know that we have to study hard. We have to do a lot of things for being happy in high school and in our life. I have to be calm while I'm studying. If I get stressed while studying it won't be good for me. Staying calm is the main rule of success. Because if you get stressed you will lose your concentration. After that studying will be very hard for you. The amount of the questions you have solved or you have studied is not important. The important thing is working effectively. Some people ask me "How many questions you have solved?" and I say "that is not important, the number of the questions, I have understood the whole questions which I solved" I prefer solving questions effectively to solving fast.

(Nursena Aydemir 8/B)

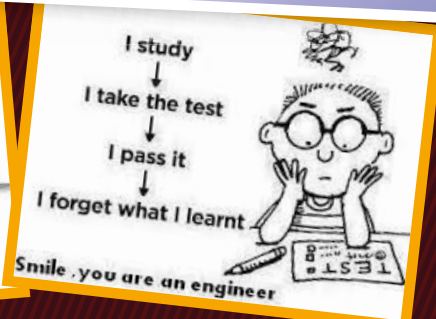
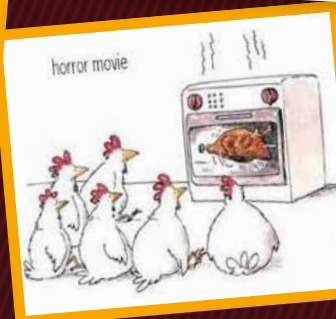
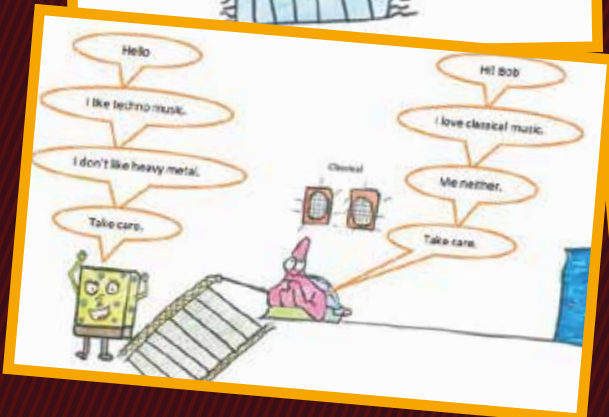
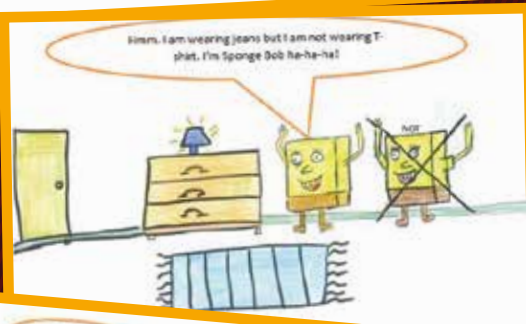
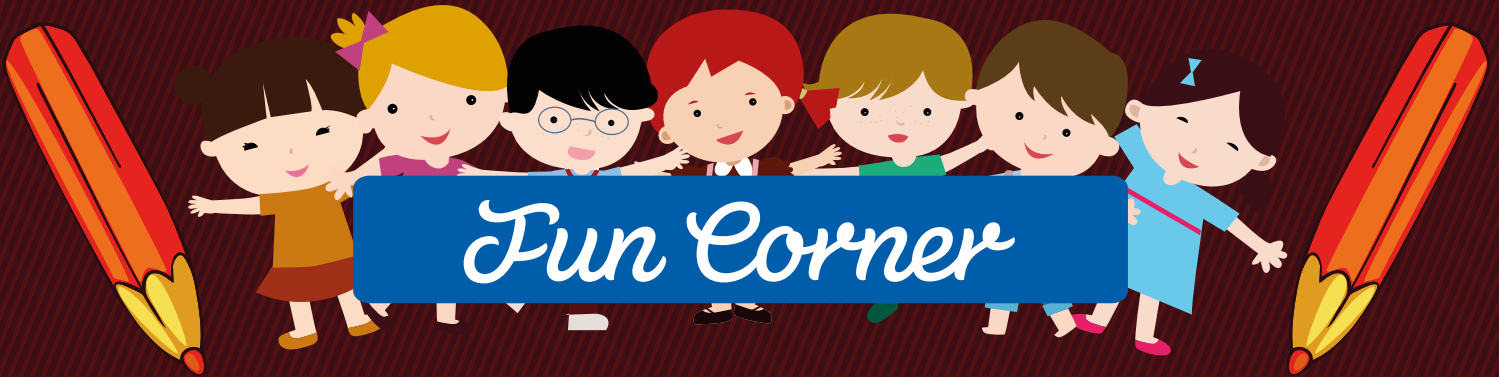
This is the exam year, our last year... Which one is more important? Actually, it's quite difficult to make the right decision. Yes, this is our last year. Next year we will not be sitting in these desks. We'll have new friendships but we'll never forget our old friends, we will miss our teachers and our principals and of course our precious school employees. This year is a hard year because we study hard, sometimes we laugh sometimes we cry and sometimes we get excited. So everything is beautiful. Thanks for all things that you did for me and for the others. I'll always remember you..

(Samir İsrailov 8/A)

Eighth grade students say "Teog is our terrible dream" Yes, this is right for me. But when we study regularly, I believe we will be successful.

My Teog course process was very challenging. We solved thousand of questions and our school made hundreds of 'trying exam' these exams are boring and difficult. We often say that those exams are boring I feel depressed I asked by myself several times "why we have to have Teog" My buddies have the same opinion. First Teog exam was more difficult than the last year's Teog. But question styles are similar. We were very excited one day before the Teog exam. I couldn't sleep easily of course. I was worried, because I thought: I wonder if I can't remember all subjects. However I could sleep and when I woke up I saw the exam paper in front of me then we solved the questions of Turkish lesson. After that, we went to our school garden for 30 minutes. At that time we relaxed we drank tea. This relaxing is one of the big advantages for us. In other words the Teog studying period was hard and boring but it's fact that Teog is important for our life.

(İrza Zeyneb Şen 8/A)



Tongue Twisters

How many cookies could a good cook cook if a good cook could cook cookies? A good cook could cook as much cookies as a good cook who could cook cookies!

Tongue Twisters

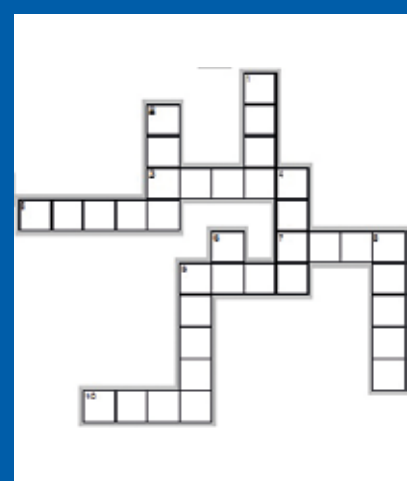
Group #1
Fuzzy wuzzy was a bear,
Fuzzy wuzzy had no hair.
Fuzzy wuzzy wasn't fuzzy.
Was he?

Group #2
A Tutor who tooted a flute
Tried to tutor two tooters to toot.
Said the two to their tutor,
"Is it harder to toot
Or to tutor two tooters to toot?"

Group #3
I thought a thought.
But the thought I thought wasn't the thought
I thought I thought.

Group #4
Say this sharply, say this sweetly,
Say this shortly, say this softly.
Say this sixteen times in succession.

Group #5
She sells sea shells by the sea shore.
The shells she sells are surely seashells.
So if she sells shells on the seashore,
I'm sure she sells seashore shells

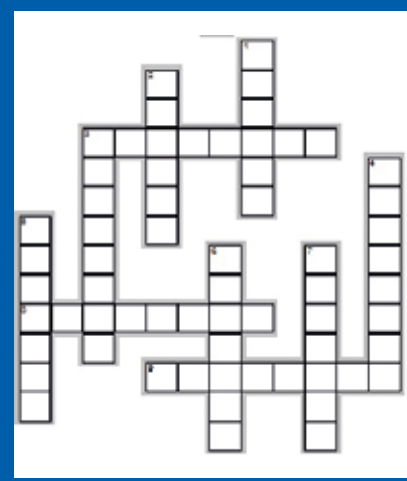


Across

- 3.the floor
- 5.TV
- 7.my hair.
- 9.dinner
- 10.the clothes.

Down

- 1.a shower.
- 2.the dishes.
- 4.the bags.
- 6.to bed.
- 8.my teeth.
- 9.the house.



Across

- 3. I like TV
- 8. My brother likes soda.
- 9. We like go to the pool.

Down

- 1. He likes..... kite.
- 2. I like food.
- 3. I like
- 4. We like book.
- 5. I love very fast.
- 7. My mom and I like

BODY PARTS



- STOMACH
- HAIR
- FOOT
- EYE

- ARM
- HAND
- MOUTH
- NOSE

FIND THE HIDDEN WORDS





PRIVATE NEVA AT EUROPE

TÜRKİYE CUMHURİYETİ
AVRUPA BİRLİĞİ BAKANLIĞI



REPUBLIC OF TURKEY
MINISTRY FOR EU AFFAIRS

We completed our Comenius Project successfully. Our exciting journey began in August 2012, with the final report was completed in September 2014.

During our two years project process,

- We have completed 4 mobilities with 64 participants , and we hosted our foreign guests two times in our city.

In our journey,

- We had opportunity to meet with people in different cultures.
- We improved our communication ability with people from different cultures and countries.
- Beside this, we consolidated awareness of living in the same world by bringing people together from different language, religion and cultures.

November 2012, Turkey



February 2013, Poland



April 2013, Germany



October 2013, Turkey



January 2014, Germany



May 2014, Poland



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