



# prep magazine

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# Exploring with textures - Kindergarten



Kindergarten



One day a little boy called Max came. Max wanted to make a snow man. It was not snowing. Max had an idea his idea was he can use snow guns. The shops were closed. Then it was snowing. They were all happy the end

Laibah

Jack was a little boy he was outstayed. He played football his dad was in net he scored.

Oliver C

There was a boy called Jack and he wanted to be invited to a party because he has never been in a party before the next day he was invited to a party

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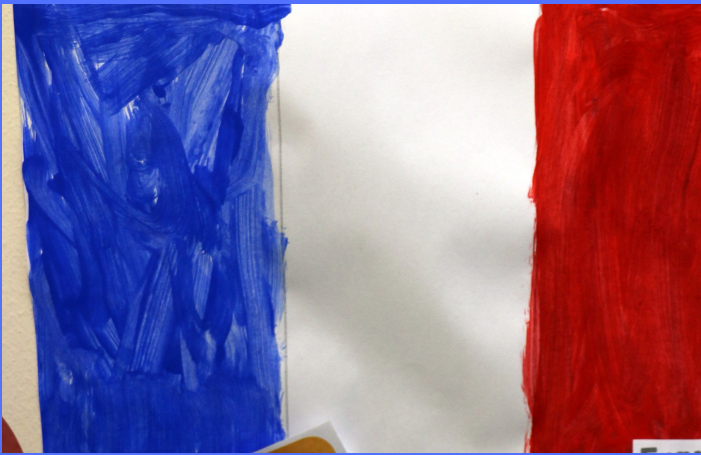
It's coming home - or is it? Reception World Cup flags



Oliver C



Samuel



Alfie



Patrick



Cover image by Oscar A

Symmetry by Lucie

# Prep I

## The Journey by Amelia

After school at half term we went to Northampton to see Grandma . Eventually we got there after five hours. On Saturday we had a massive barbecue and we had lots of guests. It was awesome! One day later we went to church and I met some of my friends from camp. On Monday I went to the shops and I bought a Toto toy set and had some ice cream - my favourite flavour, strawberry!

## My holiday by Betsy

Over the holidays I went to the Beagle Walk. It was fantastic! After, we got to go and wash the dogs because there was a washing place but my dogs were shaking because it was freezing cold. Later, we went home. The next day we went to the cinema to watch Dog Judge. It was so cool and funny. We had some popcorn, it was delicious. Also I put the chocolate in the popcorn which was amazing. I had a blueberry slushy - it gave me brain freeze. I loved it!

## Jellyfish



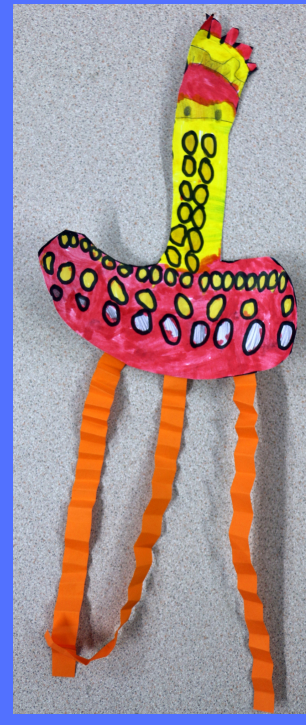
Cassius



Amelia



Abdullah



Darcie

Tuesday 8th May 2018

Dear Farmer Mark,

Thank you for letting us go on your tractors. My favourite part was seeing Blackpool Tower miles and miles away. I hope your baby lambs stay safe. I hope you have a lovely time with the next school.

Love from Raghav

Dear Farmer Mark,

Thank you for letting me feed the baby lambs. My favourite part was going on the tractor with Layla. I hope the mummy sheep and the baby lambs stay safe in the field.

Love from Tatiana

Dear Farmer Mark,

Thank you for our animal farm trip. My favourite part was when we walked up the hill.

Love Frankie

Dear Farmer Mark,

Thank you for letting me feed the lambs. My favourite part was going on the tractor with Tatiana. I hope the animals are safe in the field.

Love from Layla

## Rainbow Fish



Oliver



Ellie

# Prep II

## The Attic by Donya

As I looked behind me I saw an immense shadow. It came closer and closer. Suddenly I heard a loud bang! I felt something run in the attic. I wanted to know what it was and I soon knew... It was a ghost, a scary ghost. It came towards me, showed me some pictures and he told me he lived here. I asked him if he could go. But the ghost said this was his only home. He didn't want to leave because it was messy and dark and he liked it dark only. Then I saw the light switch, and Gran came in.

## The Haunted House Next Door by Max

It was the night of Halloween. We live next door to a haunted house and this halloween, I'm going in. I went to the door and got dressed. I went to the car, Mum drove me there. There were tonnes of spiders and webs. Suddenly, something opened the door. It was wind. "Phew!" I thought it was a ghost. Suddenly, blood was on the floor from nowhere. Then I saw a door. There were statues of skeletons fighting for a chest which started to move. The skeletons were moving! I quickly ran down stairs. I went to the door but it was locked. I was so scared I smashed the door and ran out.

## Dear Mr. Grindling by Adam

I have an incredible invention! It is called The Crier. You probably think it is very stupid but it is very clever. You should know that birds fly away when they hear their own kind in danger so my invention can make most sounds of crying birds, including seagulls. When you use the control, it will have a screen that will say what bird cry it will make and when you have found your cry, press the big purple button. Then it will scream very loudly!

Yours sincerely,

Adam

PS Please write back

## Prep II - What Makes Me Happy



"Happiness is Freddie Mercury because he is my favourite singer from Queen. He is awesome!"

Maia

"My cats called Tigger and Flossy make me happy because they are the fluffiest and cutest cats you have ever seen"

Elissa



HAPPINESS HAIKU BY PREP III

Joyful as a dance,

Makes you brighten  
like a star,

Feels like freedom  
now!

HAIKU

Riddles

I have hands and a face but no legs.

I move like a jet plane when you are having fun.

Sometimes I fly as fast as a roller coaster when you are having fun.

I have got three hands, but I can't hold anything.

I am as precious as a full bag of gold.

I have a face but not a nose, eyes or mouth.

My job never ends.

You can play with me but I cannot play with you.

I will never die no matter what.

I am as old as a tyrannosaurus rex.

I am as silent as a fish hiding from a bird.

I am invisible.

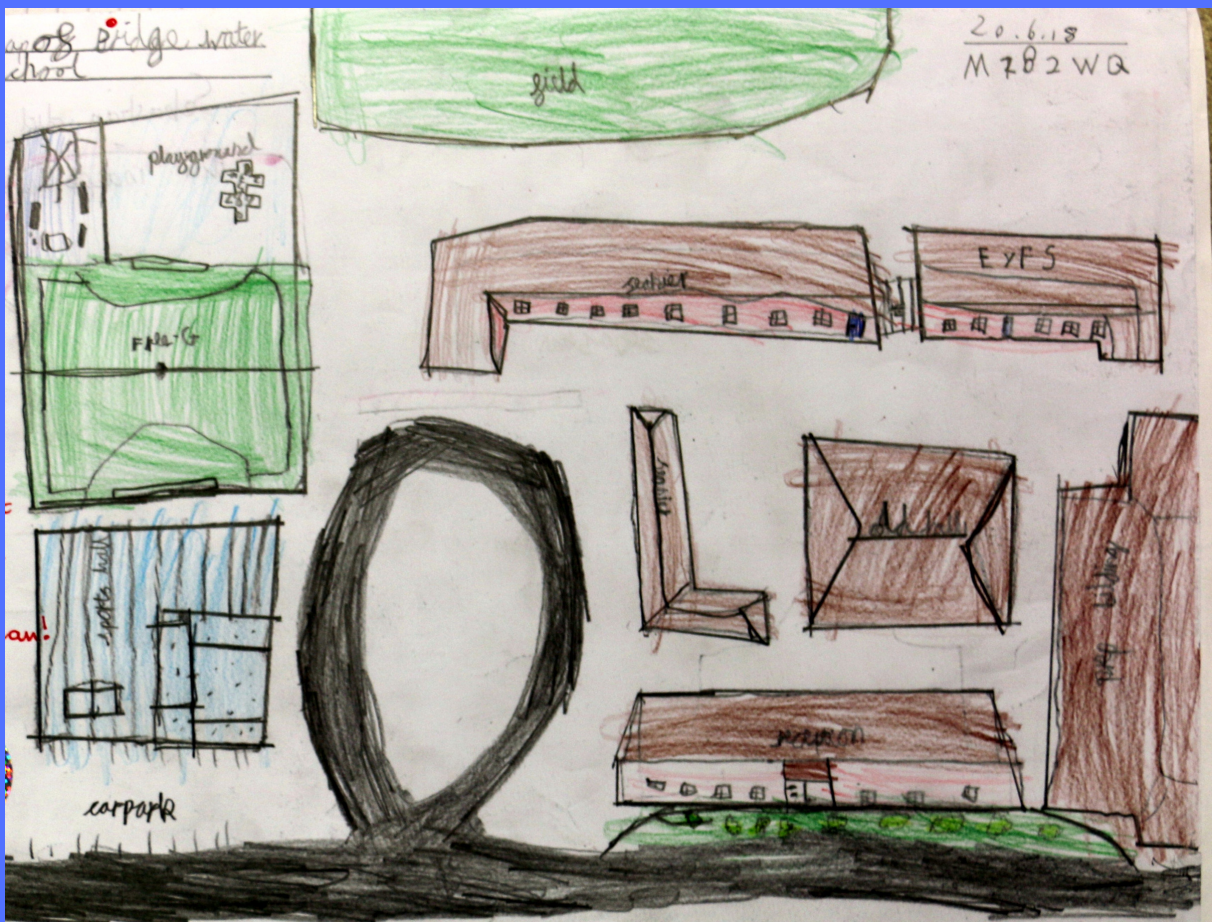
I never get scared.

When you are dead I am still alive.

Jasmine

Joel

Plan of the school by Sebastian

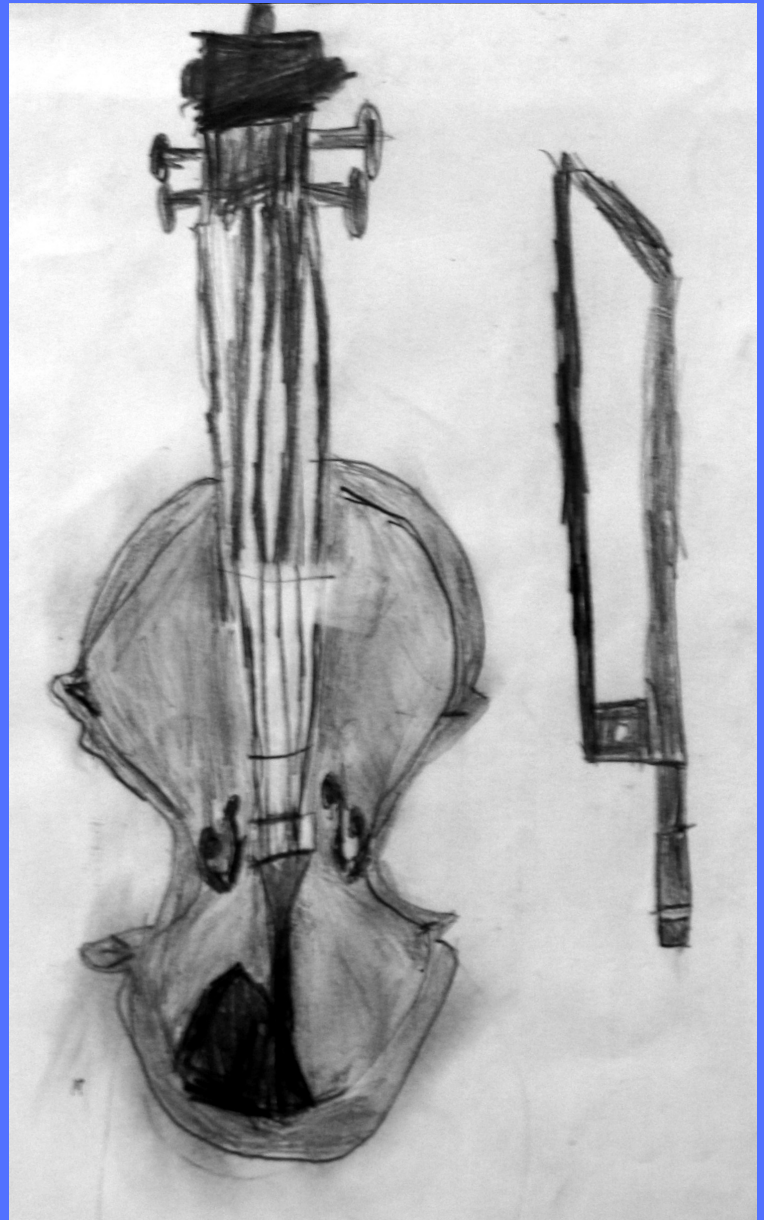


Answer to both riddles - TIME!

# Prep III



Volcano by Mason



"Happiness is my violin because I really like its music" - Nathan



Sebastian

Anglo-Saxon  
Illuminated Letters



Alfie

# Prep IV

Have you ever left a plastic item behind on the beach? Do you know how harmful it can be?

Plastic includes crisp packets, wrappers, bottles and also straws. It's true that plastic is colourful and useful, however plastic kills sea creatures everyday. Because of this, the environment turns into a scrapyard like no other! I feel furious and ashamed of myself and everyone who uses plastic items! We need to stop destroying our coral oceans and start to use less plastic now! Just look at our beautiful ocean. Please protect it or else it will be destroyed. PLEASE HELP!



Harper

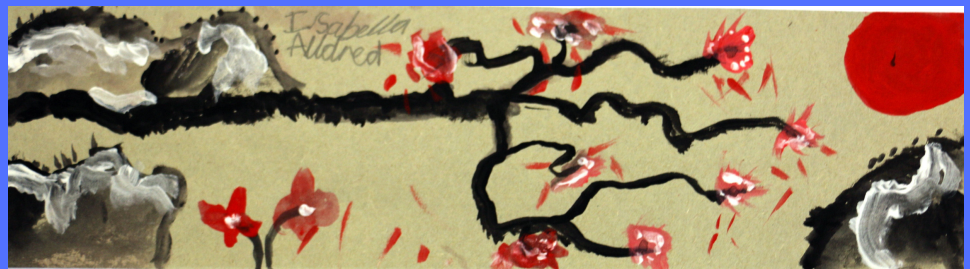
Cherry Blossom



Bhargav



Yasmeen



Isabella

# Super Slurps

Are you tired of falling asleep in class ?

Are you tired of being late for class?

Then you need...SUPER SLURPS!!!

It's smooth.

It's Slurpee

It can only be super slurps

70% yoghurt

30% strawberry

Don't waste your time with regular yoghurt when you

can

get

this

2 for

the price of 1



The graphic features a vibrant purple background with a white border. On the left, a cup of frozen yogurt is shown, topped with fresh strawberries, raspberries, blueberries, and orange slices. The cup has the Menchie's logo and the tagline "we make you smile". To the right of the cup, the text reads: "menchie's NATIONAL FROZEN YOGURT DAY", "2.6.18", and "BUY ONE GET ONE FREE". At the bottom, there is a small disclaimer: "Offer valid at participating Menchie's stores on 2/6/18. Buy one frozen yogurt, get one of equal or lower value free. Cannot be combined with any other offers. See store for details."

By Craig Matika

# Prep IV - What Makes Me Happy



"Happiness is my Mum because she brought me into the world and she helps me with my homework" - Aysha



"Happiness is my dog called Mily because she died in March and I loved her very much" - Mia



"Happiness is my guinea pigs Octo and Octomus because I like to play with them and catch them when they escape" - Moaed

# Prep V

A poem to be spoken silently  
by Maryam H

It was so silent I heard  
My books talking to each other

It was so peaceful that I heard  
A butterfly's wings flap by

It was so still that I heard  
My teddies fighting over who  
was my favourite

It was so still that I felt  
My pens and pencils watching  
me

It was so calm that I sensed  
Footsteps walking down the  
hallway

It was so quiet that I heard  
My duvet and my pillow asking  
if it was time for bed yet.

A poem to be spoken silently  
by Alfie

It was so silent I heard  
The dreams of my mind come  
alive

It was so peaceful that I heard  
The leaves crinkle on the forest  
floor

It was so still that I heard  
The crickets play with their  
orchestra

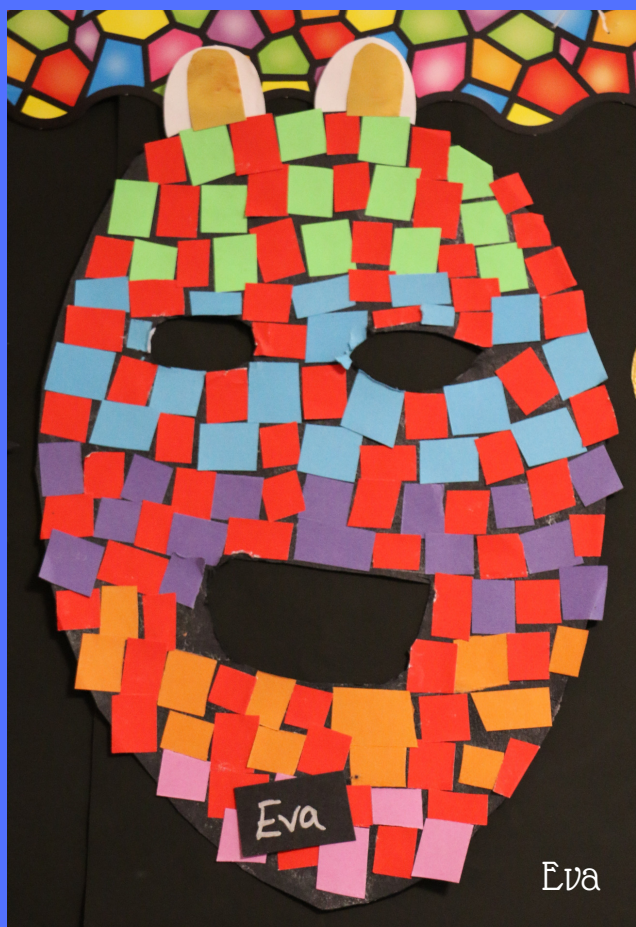
It was so still that I felt  
The Earth weep for all its  
pollution

It was so calm that I sensed  
The spider make his web

It was so quiet that I heard  
The duckling's feathers brush  
against the water.



# Prep V - Mayan Ceremonial Masks



Eva



Dean



Freddie



Kiki

# Prep VI - Bluebell Woods



You just have to imagine the scent, the birdsong, the occasional breeze shaking raindrops from the trees, and that ethereal, infinite blue.



# Prep VI - The Blitz



Lyall

"It was terrible last night. We were up for nine hours and the sky was lit by the most lurid glow from the tremendous fires in London."



Kareena

"All around St Paul's Cathedral fires sprang up and spread. Fire bombs fell on the cathedral roof but all were cast off and the cathedral was saved."

# Prep VI - Peppered Moths, Darwin and Skwob Wars

In Victorian Britain there were Pepper moths, black and speckled ones, different colours. The black moth was plain and dark. The speckled moth was black and white.

In rural areas lichens grew on trees and the speckled moth was camouflaged on the lichens. The lichens grew if the air was clean. It mostly grew in the countryside.

Near the towns and cities the pollution and soot killed all of the lichens and stained all of the trees black.

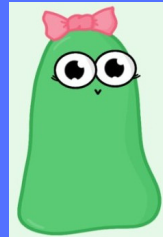
Now the black moths were camouflaged and the speckled moths got eaten by the birds.



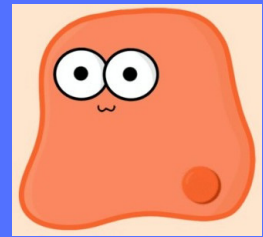
Isobella

Skwob wars: to test Darwin's theory using simulation by Grace

On a planet far, far away...



In a vast majestic ocean lived...



Skwobs...

Skwobs are gelatinous herbivores that slither with a ponderous sway. They are extremely flexible and they leave mottled mucus behind their shapeless bodies when they move forwards, backwards, left and right at around 0.5 to 1mph. Skwobs are elastic creatures that can be stretched from one end of a house to another. Skwobs are timid, anxious creatures with a strong nervous system. Skwobs are two colours: red and green.

Red skwobs live on blood red stones, pebbles, rocks, sand and boulders.

Green skwobs live on emerald seaweed that flourishes in the deep blue currents.

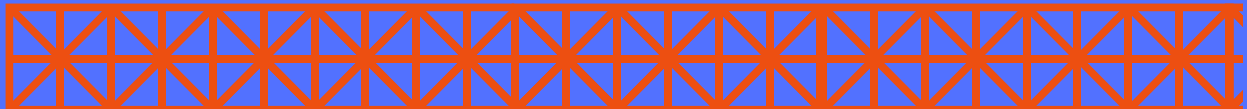
Skwobs are not the only ones on the planet...

Bolotomuses are bulky, colossal, cunning creatures with dangerously powerful proboscis who hunt skwobs/ They have coordinated attack patterns and kill by gliding on top of the skwobs to squish them then suck them up their proboscis. Bolotomuses move and are three times the size of skwobs and are three times as fast. They can move in every direction.

Then one day...

A paint truck carrying green paint spilled into the ocean causing the whole seabed to turn GREEN. So... wait for it. The green skwobs have the advantage because they are camouflaged in the green paint. But the red skwobs are now the most vulnerable because they do not blend into the green paint.

Now because of the paint spill the red skwobs became extinct and the green skwobs lived looking over the shoulder at all times.



Eva and Maryam have worked tirelessly this term making suggestions, choosing design layouts, chasing teachers for pupils' work - well done again girls for bringing this edition of the Prep. Magazine to fruition.