

My family



My family members are my mother, father, sister and myself. I like my family. I play with my sister. I like my sister.

I like my mother and father. I like to play with my family. I like my family very much.

Dinushi Jayasekara
(5 years)

All Nations International
School, Ganemulla

My brother and me

My brother is Mahendra Abeysinghe.

He was born on October 17, 2007. He is very naughty but he is so cute. I love him.



Kalendra Abeysinghe
(Grade 1)
St. Benedict's
College,
Kandy

My favourite character



My favourite character is Spiderman. He is a boy named Peter Parker. One day a spider bit Peter. He went to his room and slept and when he woke in the morning he saw that his body was covered with web. Then he became Spiderman.

In Spiderman III, he finds a black coloured suit and takes it home. When he wears it he becomes bad. He found out that the suit is bad.

Spiderman's friend is

Harry. The two of them have an enemy called the Sandman. Harry and Spiderman fight the Sandman, but in the end Harry dies. I like Spiderman because he is a hero.

Mahesha Wedagedara
(9 years)
Gampola International
School

Fossil fuel

The fuel that is formed from the remains of dead animals and plants are called fossil fuel. They are non-renewable energy resources. Coal, oil and natural gas are good examples of non-renewable energy resources.

Coal is formed from the remains of trees and other plants that died in swamps. They were buried by more plants and mud. Over millions of years, in the absence of air, the heat and pressure, caused chemical changes to take place, turning the plant remains into coal. Coal is often found deep underground and we have to obtain it by mining.

Likewise, oil and natural gas is formed under the sea-bed from the remains of sea creatures that died

millions of years ago. We have to obtain it by drilling.

Coal is used to generate electricity but when it burns it produces carbon dioxide and sulphur dioxide, which pollutes the atmosphere and causes acid rain. Oil and natural gas are more efficient when burned. But they also pollute the atmosphere. China, U.S.A., India, Russia and South Africa produce coal. Canada, Nigeria and Kazakhstan produce gas. Saudi Arabia and the U.S produce oil. The original source of all energy in fossil fuel is the sun.

Krishanth Sugumaran
(14 years)
OKI International
School, Wattala

My friends

I have many friends. My best friend is Rashmi. I play and study with my friends. Some of my friends are very bright. Rashmi helps me in English. Tharuka helps me to do my Maths homework. Nimeshika helps me

in Sinhala. They are very good. During the interval we share our food. We are very happy friends.

Achini Fernando
(Grade 6)
Holy Family B.M.V.,
Wennappuwa

Saber Tooth cat and Dino wolves

Halder Paravithana
(7 years)
Adventist
International
School,
Negombo



Benuri Kanishka
Royal International
School, Kurunegala

Ice-cream seller



Note

Please remember that articles, poems and paintings sent, will not be published unless they are certified as your own work by a parent or teacher. Articles should not exceed 200 words.

My school

My school is Child Jesus Convent. It is very beautiful and big. My teacher is Mrs. Imalka. She is very good. I love my school.

Supun Tishakya, (6 years)
Child Jesus Convent, Ratnapura

The day I won a big race

When I was in Silvern International - Montessori, we had our sportsmeet. I was participating in the running events. I was terribly frightened at first, as there were many fast runners. I was a fast runner too, but I was afraid I would lose the race.

When we heard the whistle, we started to run. While running, I remembered the saying, "If there is a will there is a way," and I remembered the story of the hare and the

tortoise too. I started running faster and suddenly I was stopped by my teacher. Then only I realised that I had passed the finish line. I had won the race!

I heard my brother and my cousins were shouting, calling my name. At that moment I felt very happy and proud too. I'll never forget that day!

Haala Marikar (7 years)
Matale International School

Scenery



Fathima Hajara (Grade 7)
Sailan International School, Negombo

A herd of cows



Jayani Senathilaka (12 years)
R/Sumana Balika School, Ratnapura

Wihanga Amarasena (4+ years)
Playpen Montessori, Peradeniya

Rakitha Jayasinghe (Grade 4)
Royal International School, Kegalle

Myself

My name is Siluni. I am five years old. I am in Grade One. I live in Digana. I like to eat ice-cream.



Siluni Chandrarajan (6 years)
Ecole International, Digana

Japanese girl



Flowers



A Poem for the Week

Create your own little poem and send it in to us. This competition is open to age groups from 4 – 14 years. The poems will be judged according to the age of the competitor.

Please remember that the poems you send should be your own original composition and not copied from anyone or anywhere. Entries should be in your own handwriting and clearly certified as your own creation by a teacher or parent.

Word limit: 100 words
Please write 'A POEM FOR THE WEEK' at the top of your entry. The winner will receive a book voucher for Rs. 500.

Chocolates

Cocoa, milk and sugar
Together with cashew and nuts,
Mars, Snickers and Milky way,
Chocolate bars I love.

Brown, white and black chocolates,
Mixed with rum and raisin.
Sweet mint and coffee chocolates,
Makes me ask for more.

Wrapped, packed and covered with sweetness,
Chocolates are loved by all.
Expressing feelings has never been easier,
For chocolates say it all.

A penny, rupee or dollar,
For chocolates, not a price,
Trusted taste of all time sweets,
Never say no for a bite.

Arthi Amunugama (13 years)
Bishop's College