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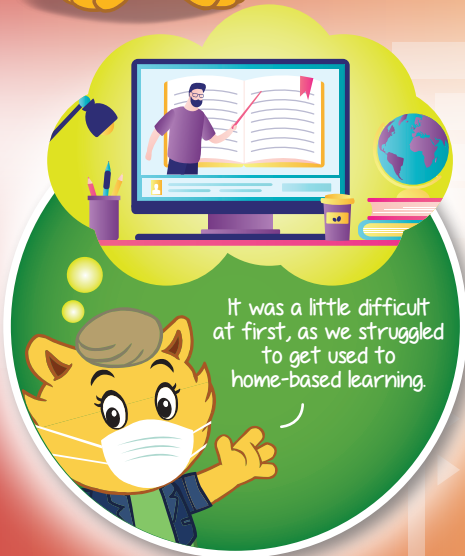


Primary 3 and 4
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CELEBRATION OF LEARNING



The Things We've LEARNT in 2020



That's true, but we adapted quickly and learnt to make it a success!

You're right! We managed to keep up with our school work while learning at home!





Yes, it was a challenging year, but it gave us so many opportunities to learn and grow.

That's a great way to look at it, Singa.



Now that you mention it, I have learnt so many new things this year!



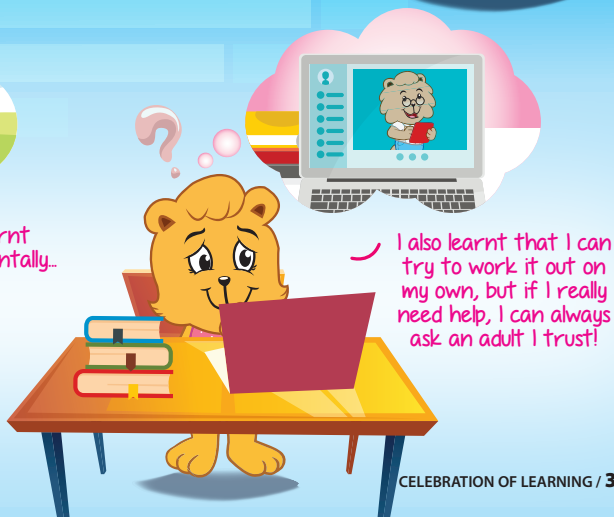
I learnt how to set my own schedule. That helped me complete my learning and daily assignments.

I think I actually accomplished more by being more organised! I even managed to find the time to learn how to play the guitar!

Great job, Tomeo!



As for me, I learnt to be stronger mentally.



I also learnt that I can try to work it out on my own, but if I really need help, I can always ask an adult I trust!



Even though we could not meet our teachers or counsellors in person, I knew that they will always be available to help us!



I was shy to ask for help initially, but when I decided to take the courage to seek help, I got the help I needed.

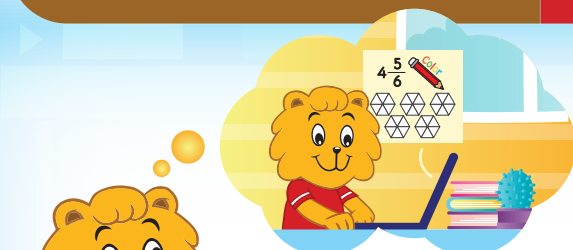
HELP!



Learning to ask for help is an important skill to have! Some of my best achievements were made with the support of others.



And I've learnt so much about myself!



I used to think I didn't like Mathematics. But during home-based learning, I realised I would always start those assignments first!



It turns out that I really enjoy learning after all!

Sounds like it was a journey of self-discovery for you, Singa! How nice!



I learnt something new about myself too!



I used to feel sad and helpless when someone was unkind to me. I didn't know what to do but cry...



However, I realised that I'm much stronger now!



I've been ignoring mean comments I see online. I also manage my emotions and thoughts so that negative messages don't hurt me as much.



Well done, Kalle! I'm proud of you!



Wow! It seems like we have all learnt a lot this year!



Yes, it's amazing! We all learnt and grew even though we did not physically go to school!



In fact, home-based learning opened up many opportunities for us to learn more!



Great job, everybody!





THE KINDNESS DIARIES

of Singa and the Kindness Cubbies



SINGA

3 July 2020



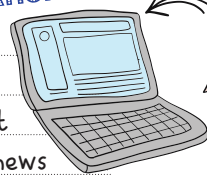
I am finally learning how to play the ukulele! Being a Kindness Ambassador helping people all around Kindsville has kept me busy and fulfilled for the past few months. I am looking forward to playing the ukulele and having a sing-a-long session at our next get-together in Kindsville! Meanwhile, I am already thinking about what I would like to learn next. Maybe I can ask Tomeo if he can share some food recipes.

TOSH

9 July 2020



**POWER
STATION**



I can't believe the people in Kindsville are panicking over a fake news that there will soon be a blackout throughout our town. Whoever spreads the fake news online needs to take down the post! Singa and I have just checked and ensured that all power stations in Kindsville are working well. All we have to do now is to stop the fake news from spreading and let everyone know that there is no need to panic. It will be a challenging day tomorrow, but I heard the Cubbies are going to help out!





SHER

15 August 2020



Today I came across the coolest video online. It was a music video which takes people through step-by-step instructions for a fun and energetic dance! I am so inspired. I want to be a dancer when I grow up! Should I invite Kalle to make a dance tutorial with me? I'm sure we can make videos with simple dance steps to encourage a fun and active lifestyle in the Kindsville community!



TOMEO

20 July 2020



Just last week, I shared in our group chat about the Healthy Plate project. Unfortunately, I received rude comments from Spade that it was boring and useless. Kalle stood up against Spade's comments but I still feel hurt. Today, I received an apology from Spade who explained that he should not have said those things. I thanked Kalle for always standing up for her friends.

KALLE

31 August 2020



It is Tosh's birthday next week and I am planning a surprise. Since he is always on his phone, maybe I should plan a virtual party for him. We could invite Sher, Singa, Tomeo and others! We could invite Tosh to a video call and sing him a birthday song. We could all have a chat and play some games together. Should I start learning some magic tricks and perform them at the party? I am not too sure if it will work out well, but I am sure Tosh and others will be my best supporters!

★ Start your own kindness diary too! Record how you feel about your day in school or at home, what makes your day or even fun and kind things you wish to do with your friends.



DISCOVERING MY LEARNING PREFERENCE

Over HBL, we had opportunities to learn from outside the classroom in many different ways. Did you discover that you learnt better in some ways? That's because we all learn better in a few ways or another.

You can take this quiz to find out your learning preferences! Put a tick in the boxes which best describe you and add up the number of ticks in the total score.

AM I A VISUAL LEARNER?

- ☐ I enjoy drawing and painting.
- ☐ I like books with diagrams and pictures.
- ☐ I am good at reading maps, charts and patterns.
- ☐ I enjoy learning from videos.
- ☐ I like to use different coloured pens when studying.



Total score:

/ 5

AM I A LINGUISTIC/LANGUAGE LEARNER?

- ☐ I am good at writing stories, remembering things and reading.
- ☐ I enjoy reading and writing.
- ☐ I like to talk and have conversations with others.
- ☐ I explain things well.
- ☐ I tell funny stories.



Total score:

/ 5

AM I A LOGICAL-MATHEMATICAL LEARNER?

- ☐ I am good at Mathematics.
- ☐ I enjoy recognising patterns and thinking through problems.
- ☐ I like solving problems and puzzles.
- ☐ I enjoy conducting Science experiments.
- ☐ I like working out difficult sums.



Total score:

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AM I A KINAESTHETIC/MOVEMENT LEARNER?

- ☐ I am good at body movements and actions.
- ☐ I remember things by doing them.
- ☐ I enjoy doing physical activities such as sports.
- ☐ I enjoy hands-on activities.
- ☐ I like creating things with my hands.



Total score:

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AM I A MUSICAL LEARNER?

- ☐ I am good at remembering songs and melodies.
- ☐ I understand musical patterns, rhythms and sounds.
- ☐ I enjoy singing and playing musical instruments.
- ☐ I like doing musical performances.
- ☐ I like to tap and move to the rhythm.



Total score:

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**IT SEEMS THAT I AM MORE LIKELY
A _____ LEARNER!**



Write to Singa and the Kindness Cubbies and get a Personal reply!

- ★ What are some memorable moments you had during the Circuit Breaker and May school holidays?
- ★ Describe those moments when you received care and kindness from others. What was on your mind? How did you feel? What did you do?



Write to Singa and the Kindness Cubbies to share your stories. You may draw too!

Post it by snail mail to:

**Singa and the Kindness Cubbies
Singapore Kindness Movement
61 Stamford Road
#01-08 Stamford Court
Singapore 178892**

**You may also email to:
kindsville@kindness.sg**

Singa would like to know your **home address, school and class** so that he can write back to you! You may write them at the back of your letter or in the email.
Thank you! (Parental consent required)





Friend of Singa Mission

Showing Care and Support in School

2020 may have been a challenging year of change. With new ways of learning and safe distancing measures in place, many of you may have missed interacting with your friends in school. Show some care and support by writing to a friend.

Find out how they have been and send some words of encouragement!



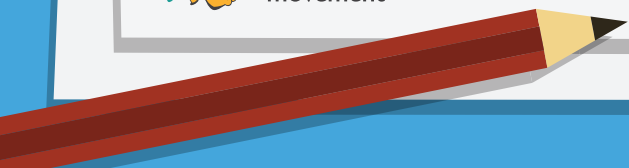


Dear _____,



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From: _____

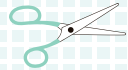




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DESIGN YOUR "BACK TO SCHOOL" STICKERS!

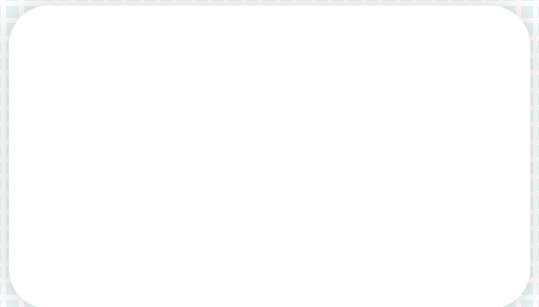
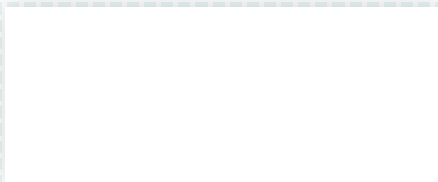
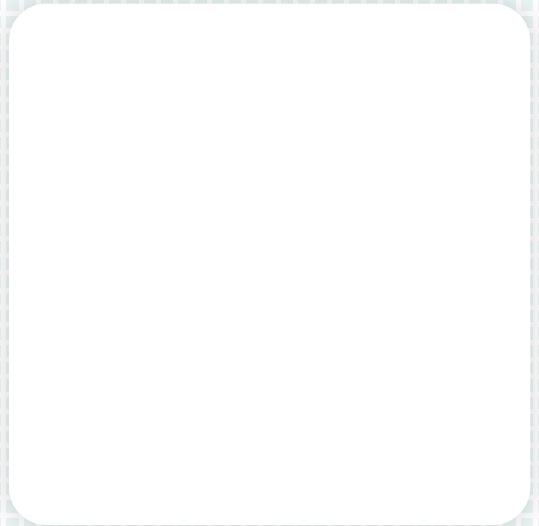
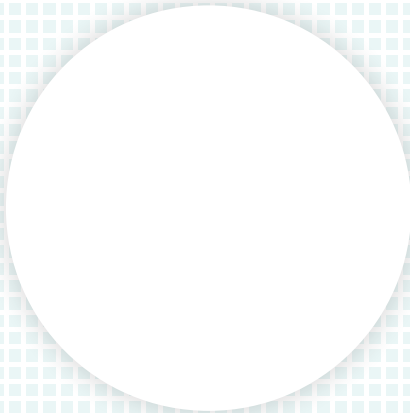


IT'S OK
TO TAKE A
BREAK



Be kind

Create some "Back to School" stickers for your friends and you in 2021 by filling up the shapes below with your designs. The winning designs will be featured in Kindsville Times Issue 1 (2021) stickers page!



Name: _____

School: _____

Class: _____

Parent's/Guardian's Email Address: _____

Parent's/Guardian's Contact Number: _____

Home Address: _____

Send us your entry by mail to the following address by **31 October 2020**.

Kindsville Times Contest
Singapore Kindness Movement
61 Stamford Road
#01-08 Stamford Court
Singapore 178892

JUDGING CRITERIA:

- ★ Relevance to the theme
- ★ Originality



I agree to the collection and usage of my personal data provided in this contest form by the Singapore Kindness Movement (SKM). The personal data will only be used to administer this contest, in accordance with SKM's Data Protection Policy available at <https://www.kindness.sg/privacy-policy/>

PRIZES:

★ 1st

BETADINE® Natural Defense Hamper worth \$30, a Singa self-inking stamp, a set of Singa and the Kindness Cubbies plush keychains, a limited edition zipper bag, a crayon highlighter and other SKM merchandises.

★ 2nd, 3rd

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★ 3 consolation prizes

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PRIZES FROM THE SINGAPORE KINDNESS MOVEMENT

Kindsville A4 Folder



Limited edition set of Singa and the Kindness Cubbies plush keychains

Zipper Bag





Congratulations to the winners of the “Multicultural Singapore” notebook cover design contest!

Congratulations to Nayeem! You have won a notebook with your cover design for your fellow primary 3 and 4 schoolmates at Fern Green Primary School.

A colorful drawing of Singapore's ethnic groups. It features a map of Singapore with different colored regions representing various communities. Labels include 'One Singapore', 'Chinese', 'Malay', 'Indian', 'Sinhalese', 'Tamil', 'Burmese', 'Vietnamese', 'Indonesian', 'Filipino', 'Pakistani', 'Bangladeshi', 'Sri Lankan', 'Thai', 'Laotian', 'Cambodian', 'Mongolian', 'Korean', 'Japanese', 'American', 'European', 'Australian', 'New Zealand', 'South African', 'Nigerian', 'Kenyan', 'Tanzanian', 'Zimbabwean', 'Botswana', 'Namibian'. The drawing is signed 'Name: [blank] Class: [blank]'.

Kaylene Ang Yi En
Punggol Green Primary School, 4B

CONSOLATION



Temperance Tan
Punggol Cove Primary School, P3 Coral

CONSOLATION



Javed Barzin
West Grove Primary School, P4

CONSOLATION



Chloe Gan
Methodist Girls' School, P4.4

All winners will be notified and will receive a BETADINE® Natural Defense Hamper and merchandise from the Singapore Kindness Movement. Singapore Kindness Movement's decision on all winning entries is final. No correspondences will be entertained.

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FEATURED LETTERS

Dear Singa and the Kindness Cubbies,

What I like most about my Indian race is that there are so many languages spoken by people of my race, such as Sanskrit, Hindi, Punjabi, Tamil, Kannada, Marathi and many more. Another thing is that there are many Indian festivals such as Diwali, Holi, Dussehra and Rakhi. Diwali, which falls on 14 November 2020, is pronounced as Dipawali, where we light up oil lamps and celebrate. Holi is known as the festival of colours. Next, Rakhi Bandhan, which falls on the 3 August 2020, celebrates brotherhood and love for their sisters. We also eat sweets and delicious snacks during these festivals. I hope that you got to know more about the Indian culture and race and that you will celebrate these festival along with us this year!

Luvya Gambhir
Fernvale Primary School, Graciousness 3

Dear Singa and the Kindness Cubbies,

I would like to share with you about my Chinese culture and tradition. We celebrate Chinese New Year on the first month of the lunar calendar. Chinese families will do a spring cleaning of their homes to make sure that the house is spick and span for the Chinese New Year visits by their relatives and friends. Some families make it a point to put up Chun Lian (Spring Couplets) at their door ways.

Jaime Tan
Poi Ching School, 3 Courage



Kindsville stickers

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