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The work of an RDR member



Julia Pachon, a Read Deed Run member was asked how it feels to be a RDR member. This is how she responded. "It usually feels like mixed emotions like happiness, I can do more, and do more." This makes it feel like she can persevere to do more and more.

If RDR and newspaper club weren't on the same day Julia would choose to be in both of the clubs.

RDR stands for read, deed, & run. Julia's favorite book she has ever read was a hard decision but, she chose the Wizard of Oz

Julia has read 12 books so far in RDR. The question of what a RDR session looks like is very specific depending on what deed you do. Julia responded like this. "An RDR session looks like kids running,reading, and doing deeds."





BY: PRAKRITHI GARIMELLA



JULIA PACHON







The Worst Gifts

EVER TO RECEIVE ON VALENTINE'S DAY

WORST GIFTS

Have you ever wondered which gifts are the worst to give? Well, one of them are squished and crumbled chocolate box. Next time they should put it in a fridge so the chocolate pieces doesn't melt. Another example is dead and ran over roses, they are not lively and happy to be with you honestly..





EXAMPLES

Hotdogs with flowers in a pot
I hate you love note
Toilet paper
Rejection to be you're valentines
Bad conversation hearts (ex: I hate you)

WHY DO THEY GIVE BAD GIFTS?

People sometimes don't have enough money to buy the best gifts, but sometimes they take it too far. So, always try your best in giving good gifts. The real reason they give bad gifts is because they want to give trauma and make it the worst valentines day ever!

by: Sophia V. Latorre-Mejia

MOST SOLD VALENTINES CANDIES

BY: GABRIELLA A MARTINEZ

Conversation hearts

Conversation hearts are like smarties in the shape of a heart. They have sweet saying on them such as,"xoxo" or "true love". Most people say they have the texture of chalk.corn syrup, sugar, gelatin and food coloring.





Chocolate Kiss

Chocolate kisses are a great candy for any holiday. They are sweet, rich chocolates that with their name can show love and grattitude. They consist of cane sugar, milk, chocolate, cocoa butter, milk fat, lecithin, and natural flavor.

Cupid Corn

Cupid corn is the Valentines version of Candy corn. It is the same thing as Candy corn but it has Valentines colors (red, pink, and white). They also taste the same as Candy corn. The ingredients are Sugar, corn syrup, carnauba wax, artificial coloring and binders.



Haribo Valentines

Haribo Valentines day gummies are like a pack of regular haribo gummies but the flavors strawberry, orange, lemon, pineapple, and raspberry.

Reeses hearts

Reeseś chocolate hearts are the seasonal version of Reese´s pieces chocolates. They are made with Peanuts, Milk Chocolate (Sugar, Cocoa Butter, Chocolate, Skim Milk, Milk Fat, Lactose, Lecithin (Soy), Sugar, Dextrose, Vegetable Oil (Palm Oil, Shea Oil, Sunflower Oil, Palm Kernel Oil, & Safflower Oil), Contains 2% or Less of: Lactose (Milk), Reduced Protein Whey (Milk), Salt, Chocolate, Skim Milk, Cocoa, Soy, Citric Acid (to Maintain Freshness), Vanilla (Artificial Flavor).

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Valentines day advice

How to become friends !

First find a way to say “hi” and one way is to become friends with her/his closest friends.



Once you have done that ask her/his friends to present you to her and that is when you say “hi my name is _____ and your name is? Cool, nice to meet you



How to become her/his best friend

You will have to become their close friend and annoy them as much you can do but without being mean(pushing,shoving)

2. if her/he gets hurt playing and can’t play anymore stay with him and ask if he’s ok so he won’t feel lonely

3. talk to her/him, and don’t act nervous when you do







BY: JULIETA CONTRERAS AND MARIELA MEJIA

Valentine's day

VALENTINE'S DAY IS A DAY CELEBRATED IN FEBRUARY AND IS AN ANNUAL HOLIDAY. VALENTINE'S DAY IS ABOUT LOVE , AND FRIENDSHIP. THIS SPECIAL HOLIDAY IS CELEBRATED ALL OVER THE WORLD. PEOPLE HAVE CELEBRATED THIS HOLIDAY SINCE THE 13TH CENTURY.

SYMBOLS THAT REPRESENT VALENTINE'S DAY ARE CUPID, AND HEARTS. POPULAR CANDY FOR VALENTINE'S DAY ARE CONVERSATION HEARTS, CHOCOLATE HEARTS , M&M'S, ASSORTED BOXES OF CHOCOLATE , AND CUPID CORN.







London UK

London is the place to be...



You probably have heard of this city before or the clock Big Ben. This big city is full of wonders and food.

Wonders in London

Even when you arrive into the airport from your airplane. You're greeted into this beautiful terminal where everything is so modern. Then when you exit, you go through highways of forests to the city. Now the magic begins. You can see Big Ben from the London Eye, the biggest ferris wheel in Europe. Or you could just visit Big Ben and Westminster, the church next to it. If you want to see Buckingham Palace or Trafalgar Sqaure. Just take the Underground!

Food in London



There are LOTS of choices for food in London! From a billion Gordon Ramsay Ramsay Restaurants to classic pub food. If you want to go fancy, Core is the place. If you're fancy and like Gordon Ramsay, the Restaurant Gordon Ramsay in Cheslea is the place for you. If you're classic, the Belgravia district is the best place for you.

Ryan Soza

TRAVEL TO FRANCE





WHY TO TRAVEL TO FRANCE!!

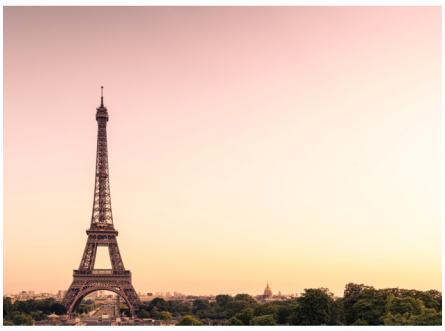
France has a wide range of UNESCO World Heritage sites that include medieval towns, castles, religious buildings, forts, and landscapes.

FACTS ABOUT FRANCE

The Louvre is the world's most extensive art gallery and museum, it has over 38,000 pieces of art within its walls, including the most famous painting ever. The Louvre is big very big. With over nine million visitors annually, the Louvre Museum is the most famous museum on the planet. The Louvre is the world's most visited museum. The Louvre is a museum in Paris which is home to some of the world's most famous works of art including the mesha stele







It is known as the most romantic city in the world, and is home to some world famous sights that are constantly shown in travel magazines, movies, and other works of art. Paris, the capital of France, has a population of over two million people and is one of Europe's most-visited cities.

BY: JULIETA Contreras, and Mariela Mejia



THE SYRIAN REVOLUTION



A Struggle for Freedom and Democracy
The Syrian Revolution, which began in 2011, emerged from a wave of protests across the Arab world. It started as a series of peaceful protests demanding democratic changes, political freedom, and an end to corruption. The initial spark was started by the arrest and torture of a group of teenagers in the city of Daraa, who were accused of painting revolutionary slogans against the government on school walls.

The Escalation of Conflict
As the government, led by President Bashar al-Assad, responded with brutal force, including using his army and weapons, the movement quickly escalated into a full-scale civil war. Various opposition groups formed, ranging from secular activists to Islamist groups, all united in their desire to overthrow the Assad regime. The conflict drew in regional and international powers, leading to a complex and devastating war that has reshaped the Middle East.

Humanitarian Crisis
The Syrian Revolution has resulted in one of the worst humanitarian crises in modern history. Millions of Syrians have been displaced, both within the country and as refugees abroad. Cities and towns have been reduced to rubble, and countless lives have been lost.

The Quest for a Political Solution
Despite numerous attempts at negotiations and peace talks, finding a political solution to the conflict has proven challenging. The Assad regime, boosted by support from Russia and Iran, has managed to regain control of large parts of the country. However, the situation remains unstable, with ongoing clashes and a fragile ceasefire. The Syrian Revolution is a living proof of the resilience and courage of the Syrian people in their fight for freedom and justice. It also serves as a sobering reminder of the human cost of war and the complex geopolitics that shape our world.

The State of Syria Now
On December 8, 2024, Assad fled to Russia and his army surrendered to the rebels. After 14 years, one day, a historical war was over. Prisons such as Prison Sadnaya, were overrun by rebels. The rebels let out all of the Prisoners there.

Conclusion
Syria in these past years has suffered so much pain and damage as a whole. Hopefully the people and kids of Syria can rebuild themselves, and the beauty Syria once had.

By: Jude Kassas



JAMAICA

Jamaica's Dishes

One of the most known and classic dishes in Jamaica is Ackee and saltfish. This dish is Jamaica's national dish and the Ackee is a fruit that may look a little like scrambled eggs to somebody who has never seen it, But this is a staple in jamaican culture.



this dish is also a salty flavor profile that could either be pleasing or unpleasant to the taste buds.

this savory dish is Jamaican patties. this pattie is usually filled with meat, cheese, and or vegetables. its often served as street food.





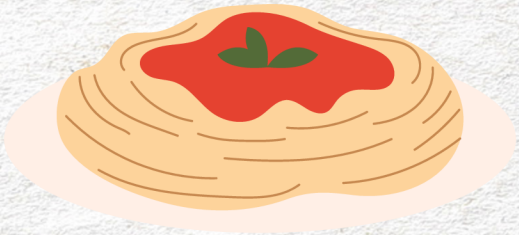
coconut drops is a jamaican classic that is made of shreded coconut and sugar and a bunch of other stuff. but overall this is a classic that all Jamaicans know and love.

by: McKenzie Hitch

FOOD FROM ITALY







AUNTHENTIC ITALIAN FOOD

PIZZA IS A CLASSIC DISH THAT IS LIKED BY MANY PEOPLE IN THE WORLD. BUT DID YOU KNOW THAT PIZZA ORIGIATED FROM ITALY BETWEEN THE 16TH AND 18TH CENTURY.

A CHEF CALLED RAFFELE ESPOSITO HAD MADE A PIZZA FOR QUEEN MARGHERITA OF SAVOY TO TRY AND SHE LOVED IT! ESPOSITO HAD MADE THE PIZZA OUT OF DOUGH, TOMATO SUACE, CHEESE, AND BASIL LEAVES. IN HONOR OF HER HE NAMED THE PIZZA MARGHERITA PIZZA, AND IT IS STILL POPULAR TO THIS DAY

EXAMPLES OF ITALIAN FOOD

1. PIZZA
2. PASTA
3. TIRAMISU
4. ARANCINI
5. BRUSCHETTA

WHERE TO FIND IT

1. OLIVE GARDEN
2. GEORGE'S PASTARIA
3. PANE E VINO
4. POSTINO CINCO RANCH
5. CARRABBA'S ITALIAN GRILL

BY : DYUTHI KARTHIK

Chiffon Cake Recipe & Facts

by Sophia Zhou & Michelle Hu



Chiffon Cake

What Are Chiffon Cakes?

Chiffon cakes are elegant, light and airy sponge cakes that are delicious! There are many types of chiffon cakes such as chocolate, lemon, coconut, strawberry, etc.

The History of Chiffon Cakes

Chiffon cakes were made in America around 1920 by a man named Harry Baker. He was known for making angel food cakes, but he wanted to make a lighter cake. After many years of testing he finally came up with the recipe for chiffon cakes.The recipe was heavily guarded and only sold to few people. But, in 1947, he sold it to General Mills who published it in a cookbook.



Fun Facts

1) Chiffon cakes are sturdier and more versatile than angel food cakes.

2) Chiffon cakes are a mix of sponge cakes and angel food cakes.

3) When kept at room temperature, a chiffon cake can last for 3-4 days.



How To Make a Chiffon Cake



Chiffon Cake

Ingredients

- 2 cups sifted cake flour
- 1 1/2 cups white sugar
- 1 tablespoon baking powder
- 1 tablespoon salt
- 7 large eggs, separated, divided
- 3/4 cup cold water
- 1/2 cup vegetable oil
- 2 teaspoons vanilla extract
- 1 teaspoon lemon extract
- 1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar



Recipe Steps

Step 1.
Preheat the oven to 325 degrees F (165 degrees C). Wash a 10-inch angel food tube pan in hot soapy water to ensure it is grease-free; dry well.

Step 2.
Measure flour, sugar, baking powder, and salt into a sifter; sift into a bowl. Make a well; add egg yolks, water, oil, vanilla extract, and lemon extract to the well in the order listed. Do not beat.

Step 3.
Beat egg whites and cream of tartar in a separate, large bowl until very stiff.

Step 4.
Using the same beaters, beat egg yolk batter until smooth and light; pour slowly over egg whites. Gently fold mixtures together with a rubber spatula; do not stir. Pour batter into the angel food tube pan.

Step 5.
Bake cake in the preheated oven for 55 minutes. Increase heat to 350 degrees F (175 degrees C) and continue baking until a toothpick inserted into the center comes out clean, 10 to 15 more minutes.

Step 6.
Invert the pan onto a wire rack. Let cool completely before unmolding and frosting as desired.

by Sophia Zhou & Michelle Hu

DESSERTS





Desserts, desserts, dessert...YUM!!!! love the savory desserts and sweet desserts.What will we ever do without desserts ? There are cookies, drinks and my favorite ...ice cream!! So today we are making diy desserts that look irisitible but easy.



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Today we are making lemon posset. Trust me it is easy!!

Lemon Posset Ingredients
All you need to make this dessert is sugar, heavy whipping cream, and of course lemons. Chances are you already have at least one of these ingredients on hand, making it a great budget-friendly !

How To Make It?

Step 1 – To make this lemon posset put all of your ingredients into a saucepan over medium high heat, stirring frequently.

Step 2 – After around 2-3 minutes, the mixture will start to bubble and turn a rich yellow color. Once it starts to rise as if it is going to boil over, remove the saucepan from the heat and reduce the temperature to low.

Step 3 – Place the saucepan back on the heat and cook for 10 minutes.

Step 4 – Remove the saucepan from heat and let it cool for 20 minutes before pouring the mixture into your serving bowls or ramekins and cooling in the refrigerator for a few hours, preferably overnight.

How To Serve Lemon Posset

15 minutes before serving, slice clean strawberries into a bowl and add sugar to taste. Mix to combine.

Let the fruit sit at room temperature and add it on top of the possets, along with its juices, just before taking your desserts to the table.





by: Lena yi and debashree panda

Fennec Foxes

Have you seen a fegnnec fox? Well read this article to learn some facts about these amazing animals. Fennec foxes are amazing,they are the smallest fox in the world.The average fennec fox is only about 8 inches tall and they weighs merely 2 to 3 pounds. Fennec foxes subsist in arid desert environments and are capable of inhabiting the remotest sand seas. Stable sand dunes are believed to be the ideal habitat for them. They are common throughout the Sahara desert.

Fennec foxes are omnivores, feasting on a variety of prey such as nighttime hunters. They enjoy insects, rodents, snails, lizards,plants, fruits,roots, and eggs

. Another fact that's really cool is that fennec foxes appear to be the only carnivore in the Sahara desert able to live without freely available water. Their kidneys are specifically adapted to conserve water. They can obtain moisture from the food they eat and by licking the dew that forms in their den. This little fox can jump to about 2 feet high and 4 feet forward when sprinting to catch their prey or evade a predator. What do they do in their free time? Well these crazy animals spend most of their time in an underground burrow avoiding the desert heat. What do you think would want these cute animals as a pet

By:Aadhira Subramanian











Arctic Wolves

Description

Arctic Wolves are well adapted to icy conditions. White fur allows them to blend into snowy surroundings. To help reduce head loss their ears are small and rounded, the muzzle is short, and the fur is dense. Legs are shorter than other subspecies.

Lesser Wolves

Unlike other species of wolf, the Arctic Wolf rarely comes into contact with humans and is not threatened by hunting or persecution. Industrial development threatens the Arctic Wolf as an increasing number of mines, roads, and pipelines encroach on its territory and interrupt its food supply.

Fun Facts about Arctic Wolves

-Arctic Wolves have 42 teeth

-Wolves can run up to 36-38 MPH(Miles Per Hour)

-Pups are born blind and deaf with bright blue eyes

-A litter of wolves is usually 4-6 pups

-Wolves mate for life

-A pack of wolves have about a range from 2-30 wolves

By: Claire Qin





All About Flamingos



Flamingos are animals that are pink. Stuff about flamingos they can filter feed in the water for several hours a day. Another thing is their nest is made out of mud. One fact about flamingos is if they are in a group they are called flamboyance. Second fact is that they get their pink color from the food they eat..

Also they can live to 20 to 30 years and some live to 50. Flamingos are amazing animals. They are different kinds of them and they are so cute. I love then.Fourth fact about them is they can stand on one leg.

They have good feathers for them to fly 35 miles per an hour. They can lose their pink while raising their young flamingos.

I love flamingos, they are so unique.





Facts and stuff about Flamingos.

I hope you enjoy learning about them.

Tara Otegbola





The Ocean Ecosystem

Coral Reef

Coral reefs provide habitat for a large variety of marine life, including various sponges, oysters, clams, crabs, sea stars, sea urchins, and many species of fish. Coral reefs are also linked ecologically to nearby seagrass, mangrove, and mudflat communities.

Most shallow water coral reefs are 5,000 – 10,000 years old. Deep-sea corals grow very slowly. Some species only grow about 10 millimeters per year. A colony of black coral was determined to be 4,265 years old and are the oldest known marine organisms.





Damselfish



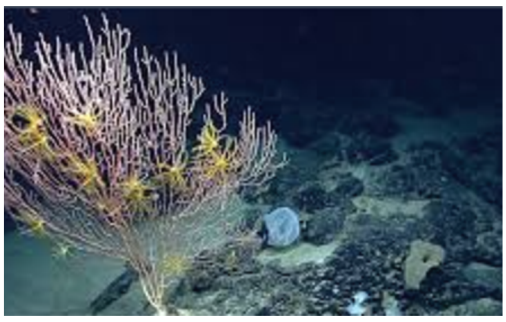
Damselfish are those within the subfamilies Abudefdufinae, Chrominae, Lepidozyginae, Pomacentrinae, and Stegastinae within the family Pomacentridae. Most species within this group are relatively small, with the largest species being about 30cm in length.Best of all, though they are small, they have the lifespan of the average damselfish (around five years) and can survive in captivity for as long as fifteen years.

Clownfish live about 8 years in the wild and 12 years or more in a protected environment. An Ocellaris Clownfish, which Nemo most closely resembles, requires an aquarium of at least 20 gallons. Clownfish are omnivores, feeding on a varied diet consisting of algae, zooplankton, worms and small crustaceans.



Deep sea biomes

The deep sea biome occurs in that part of the ocean and seafloor beyond the continental shelves. It covers 65 percent of the planet's surface and reaches depths of -650 ft to -36,198 ft at the bottom of the Challenger Deep in the Mariana Trench.



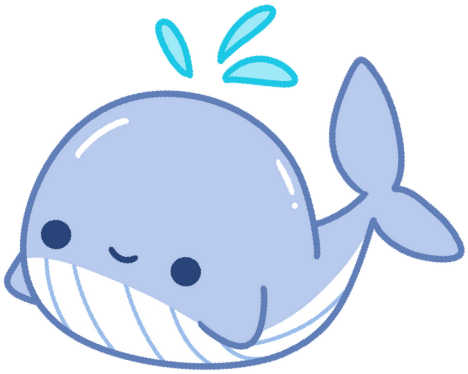
By: Julio Matteo Farrera-Gomez

Whales





Dive in!



Despite living in the water, whales breathe air. And like humans they are warm-blooded mammals who nurse their young. A thick layer of fat called blubber insulates them from cold ocean waters. Some whales are known for baleen whales, including blue, right, bowhead, sei, and gray whales.

Lesser Whales

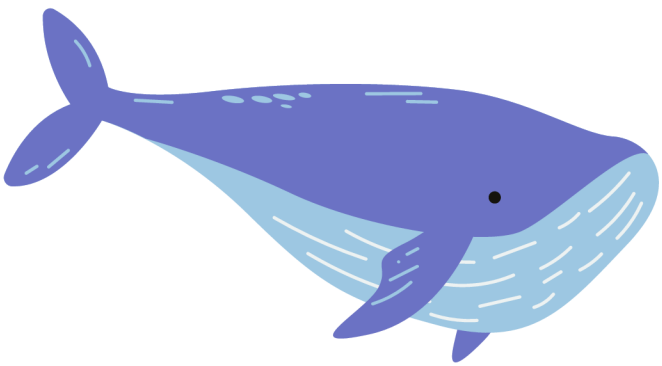
The Lesser Whale is a smaller version of the Whale. Blue Whales grow up to 75-79 ft! Just like the Whale, it is a Whale that is found in all oceans except the Arctic.

Fun Facts about Whales

-Baird's beaked Whales can have up to 13 stomachs
-Whales are considered mammals
-A normal Whale is 30 meters long
-Normal Whales weigh more than 130,000 kg
-The lifespan of whales(in the wild)is 80-90years

By: Claire Qin





Weird and Exotic Diseases

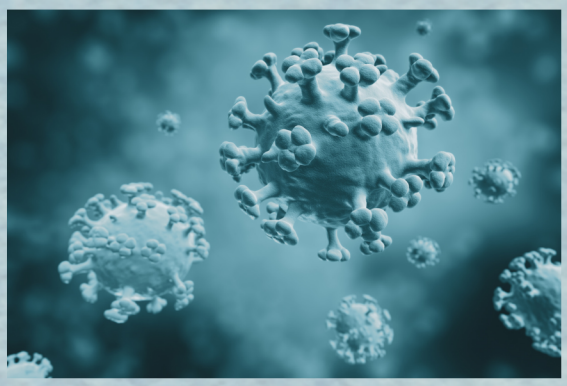
Spanish Flu

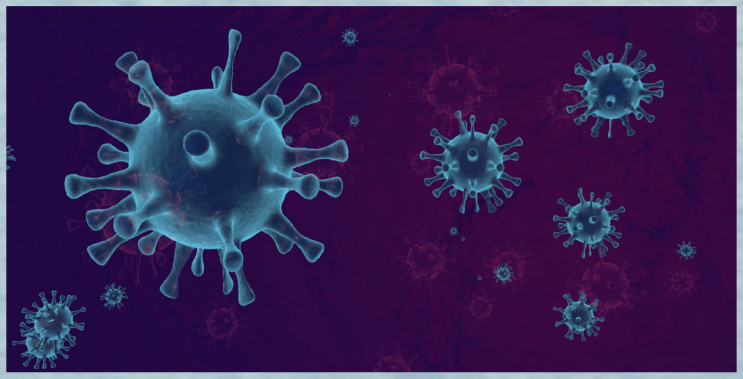
Spanish flu, also known as the Purple Death, killed more people than World War II itself. The outbreak was from 1918 to 1919, and mysteriously disappeared afterwards. It is caused by an H1N1 virus with genes of avian origin. Five hundred million people worldwide or one-third of the world's population fell sick with this flu. Symptoms included fever, aches, pneumonia, nausea, and diarrhea. It was first identified in military personnel in spring 1918. The number of deaths was about 50 million worldwide with about 675,000 in the United States. A unique aspect of this virus was that it attacked young, healthy people, often being fatal. Control efforts were limited to non-pharmaceutical interventions such as isolation, quarantine, good personal hygiene, use of disinfectants, and limitations of public gatherings, which were applied unevenly. In one year alone, the average life expectancy in the United States dropped by twelve years. There were two main phases of Spanish flu. The first phase, "three-day fever", was not fatal and people often recovered from it. However, the second phase often resulted in death within a few days.



Mad Cow Disease

Mad cow disease is a disease caused by a prion, or a malfunctioning piece of protein. It is unaffected by heat or UV treatment. While this disease does not affect humans, humans can get a different form of this disease from eating beef from cows which have fell sick with the disease. It is very similar to the variant Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease(vCJD), which can be caught by humans.Over time, it can destroy the brain and spinal cord. Symptoms include loss of intellect and memory, changes in personality, loss of balance and coordination, slurred speech, vision problems and blindness, abnormal jerking movements, progressive loss of brain function and mobility. If someone catches it, within fourteen months, it is almost always fatal. Treatment and medications for the symptoms may help, but Mad Cow Disease cannot be cured.





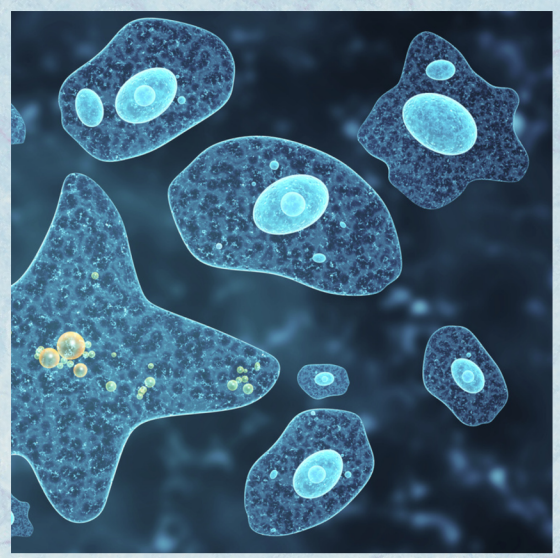
Weird and Exotic Diseases

This amoeba lives in the habitats of warm freshwater lakes, rivers, ponds, and hot springs around the world. Very rarely, this amoeba has been found in recreational splash pads, swimming pools, and tap water. This amoeba can cause an infection called primary amebic meningoencephalitis(PAM). First, water containing this amoeba travels up the nose into the brain via the olfactory nerve. From there, the amoeba can destroy brain tissue and cause the brain to swell. Between 1962 and 2023, there were 164 reported cases of PAM. Only four survived. More than 97% of people who get PAM die from it. Early symptoms can include stiff neck, confusion, lack of attention to people and surroundings, loss of balance, and hallucinations. This amoeba cannot be spread from person to person or from swallowing water containing this amoeba.

Typhoid Fever



Brain-eating amoeba (*Naegleria fowleri*)



Typhoid fever can be caused by ingesting food or drink that is contaminated with waste. It is a life-threatening infection that can kill many people. There is a 1-4% chance of surviving typhoid fever. The United States is the country with the highest possibility of catching typhoid fever. In history, Mary Mallon was known for being a healthy carrier of typhoid fever, unwittingly spreading it to numerous people. People who catch typhoid fever carry the bacteria around in their bloodstream and intestinal tract. Symptoms can include prolonged high fever, fatigue, headache, nausea, abdominal pain, constipation, diarrhea, and the occasional rash. The small intestine and the large bowel are most affected when someone gets typhoid. No animal can cause or spread typhoid fever.

By: Tiffany Chen, Tara Sharan, Emma Liang

TORNADOES : GONE CRAZY

PT 1 : How tornadoes form
Tornadoes are formed from cold air from Canada and the warm air from the gulf of Mexico. The air combines in Tornado or Dixie alley. They come in Super cells and wall clouds in them are where the tornadoes form. Rotation is a sign of tornadoes. If you see dust on the ground, that's a tornado.
PT 2 : Famous tornadoes
Some famous tornadoes are the Joplin 2011, El Reno 2013, Greensburg 2007, those are examples of famous tornadoes. The El Reno 2013 tornado was the widest on record since 1950 (1950 is when they started recording tornadoes). It was 2.6 miles , 0.1 miles wider than the Hallam 2004 tornado. The fastest wind speeds of any tornado is the Bridge Creek - Moore 1999 tornado at 321 miles per hour (517 Kilometers per hour).
PT 3 : Extras
There's been two F6 ratings but both got down graded to F5. There are lots of types of tornadoes like elephant trunk, rope, wedge, and more.

BY : Hudson Rader 5TH





Bridge Creek - Moore tornado

When Christopher Discovered America

On October 12, 1492 the Italian explorer Christopher Columbus landed in the Caribbean islands—a momentous event in world history. Although Europeans would not realize it for several years, he had accidentally "discovered" the Americas.

Who is Cristopher Columbus?

Christopher Columbus (born between August 26 and October 31?, 1451, Genoa [Italy]—died May 20, 1506, Valladolid, Spain) was a master navigator and admiral whose four transatlantic voyages (1492–93, 1493–96, 1498–1500, and 1502–04) opened the way for European exploration, exploitation, and colonization of the Americas.



What year did Cristopher Columbus discovered America?

October 12, 1492, is of enormous significance in Western history: It is the day when explorer Christopher Columbus completed his journey across the Atlantic Ocean and landed in the "New World."What Columbus actually reached on that October day was an island he named San Salvador that is now part of the Bahamas.

How did he discover America

The explorer Christopher Columbus made four trips across the Atlantic Ocean from Spain: in 1492, 1493, 1498 and 1502. He was determined to find a direct water route west from Europe to Asia, but he never did. Instead, he stumbled upon the Americas on accident.

How did Cristopher Columbus die?

Sea voyages and cold weather seemed to exacerbate the condition. Columbus' health history, the symptoms of "gout", and a description of his death at the age of 54 are presented. Dr. Arnett's diagnosis is that the seafarer suffered from HLA-B27-related reactive arthritis precipitated by recurrent infection.

What did he do with America?

Between 1492 and 1504, Columbus completed four round-trip voyages between Spain and the Americas, each voyage being sponsored by the Crown of Castile. On his first voyage he reached the Americas, initiating the European exploration and colonization of the continent, as well as the Columbian exchange.





4 Unbelievable Facts About Christopher Columbus

Christopher Columbus Was Not His Real Name

Although Columbus remains a prominent historical figure around the world and has been researched and written about for centuries, there are many details of his life that are still a mystery. Many scholars agree that he was born in Genoa, which is now part of Italy, although there are theories that he may have originated in Spain or even in Poland or Greece. In Italian he is known as Cristoforo Colombo, which was long thought to be his birth name, and in Spanish as Cristóbal Colón. But he has also been referred to, by himself and others, as Christoual, Christovam, Christofferus de Colombo, and even Xpoual de Colón. There is even a theory that he adopted the name from a pirate named Colombo.

He Made Four Journeys to the "New World"

In 1492 Columbus did sail the ocean blue. He also sailed it in 1493, 1498, and 1502. Although many people may have an image of Columbus planting a flag in the lower half of Florida, he really only explored a small area of the Caribbean—which included the Bahamas, Cuba, and Jamaica—and parts of Central America.

His Remains Did About as Much Traveling as He Did in Life

After Columbus died in 1506, he was buried in Valladolid, Spain. Three years later his remains were taken to his family mausoleum, which was in Sevilla. In 1542, in accordance with the will of his son Diego, Columbus's remains were transferred to Santo Domingo, Hispaniola (now in the Dominican Republic). Hispaniola was ceded to France by Spain, and in 1795 Columbus's bones were moved to Havana, Cuba. More than a hundred years later they were shipped back across the Atlantic and returned to Sevilla in 1898.

He (definitely) Was Not Great at Math

At the time Columbus made his famous journey, a lot of overseas travel was guesswork. The exact size of the planet Earth was unknown, and there were two main ways of measuring degrees of latitude—the method developed by the Greek philosopher Poseidonius and the method developed by the medieval Arabs. In making his own calculations, Columbus argued that the circumference yielded by both methods was the same...ignoring, or forgetting, that Arab miles were longer than Roman miles. Using that data, which ultimately rendered the planet about 25 percent smaller, Columbus assured his backers that his small wooden ships could make it from Spain to Japan in 30 days. Some scholars think Columbus willfully misrepresented the distance, but the jury is still out.



Cristopher Columbus



Julio Matteo Farrera-Gomez



Esteban Felipe Hermosilla Vega

Manga

What is Manga?

Manga is a Japanese Comic. You may own different kinds of comics but this is one originated in Japan in the 12th and 13th century. Manga was created by Hokusai Katsushika. He created and publishes his manga on 1902 in Japan.

Fun Facts About Manga

There is a girl and boy manga. Why is there different kinds of manga? The two main ones are shonen manga and sheinen manga. The purpose of manga is education and entertainment. Did you know more paper is used on manga then toilet paper!

How to do it Yourself

First, script your characters ,story and action!
Next, put together a storyboard. Think about composition. Where to put your boxes.
Then, do the pencil sketch.
Next, do the inking for the project.
Also, fill in the pictures.
Lastly, add the final touches.



By:Finley Ingram

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PREPPY ACTS

Preppy is the MOST cutesy and slay people in the world. Somethings that preppy's do is beg there parents for robux. Another thing preppy's do is bedazzle there Sol De Janeiro perfumes and bum bum creams. They also beg their parents to go to Sephora or Ulta.

PREPPY THINGS

Preppy things are like pink palm puff hoodies (Which are so slay), skincare products are also very slay and preppy, some examples are bubble, byoma, and glow recipe. In contrast makeup is also slay. Lastly Stanleys are very preppy.

PREPPY THINGS



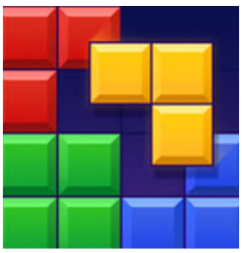
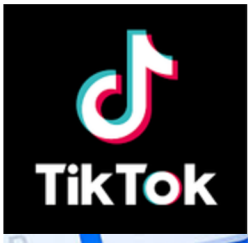






10 of my favorite apps

1.Roblox
2.Block Blast
3.Tik Tok
4.Youtube
5.Associations
6.Spotify
7.Minecraft
8.Pixel coloring
9. Netflix
10.Brawl stars










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TOP 5 and Why

#1 is my favorite because you can chat with friends on there and there are multiple games.
I like #2 because it is so satisfying and relaxing.
#3 a lot of kids can't have but it entertains me and I could scroll on it for hours.
#4 is also great because you can listen to music,watch full videos or even watch You tube shorts.
I like #5 because it is addicting and fun.

(for the other apps you can ask a friend.)

Top Four Basketball Players



1 the greatest player of all time. Jordan led the Bulls to six NBA championships, winning six Finals MVP awards and five regular-season MVP honors while becoming a global icon on and off the floor. Jordan's brilliance on both ends of the court defined a generation of basketball and set a new standard for players following in his footsteps. His game transcended the sport.







2 Standing 6-9 and weighing north of 250 pounds with a 40-inch vertical, James' game is built on power, but his passing ability might be his strongest skill. The four-time MVP and three-time champion has reinvented how an athlete's prime should be viewed; he had the Lakers in the thick of a title hunt as a 35-year-old playing in his 17th season. His chase-down block in Game 7 of the 2016 Finals to help complete a 3-1 comeback against a Warriors team that won 73 games will forever encapsulate his will to win.



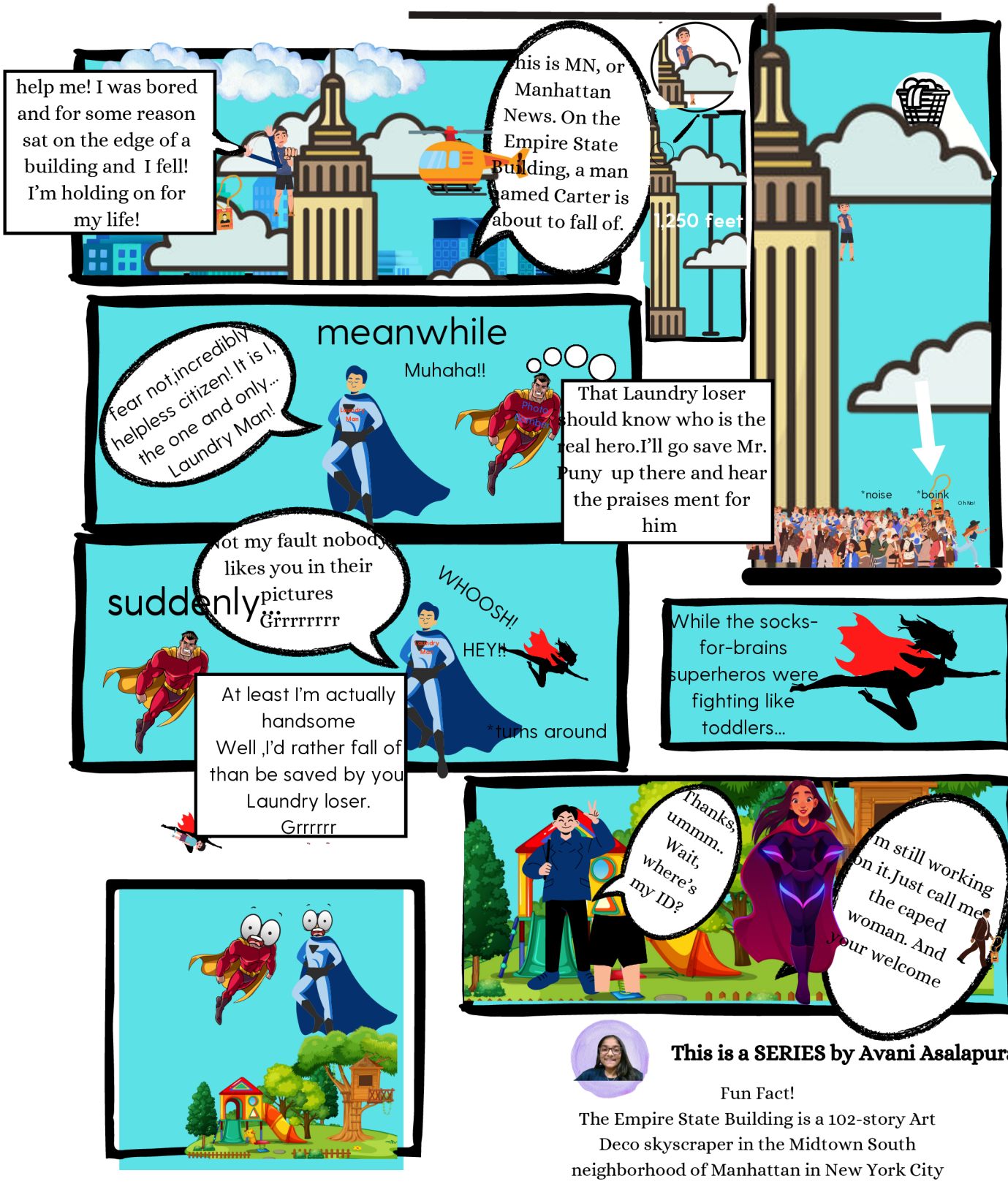
3 No one in NBA history can match Abdul-Jabbar's lengthy list of achievements. He won a record six MVP awards and was a 19-time All-Star. He won six championships -- with the first and last coming 17 years apart -- and was named to 15 All-NBA teams, with 10 first-team selections. His unstoppable skyhook allowed him to score more points than anyone in league history, and while he wasn't flashy, there has arguably never been anyone better.

4 The greatest winner in basketball history, Russell claimed 11 titles in 13 years by turning the Celtics into a defensive juggernaut. Russell's defensive acumen and determination made him the perfect foil for Wilt Chamberlain, as well as one of the players from his era who wouldn't have looked out of place in later generations. Those qualities also helped him earn five MVP awards and 11 All-NBA selections.

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Fun Fact!

The Empire State Building is a 102-story Art Deco skyscraper in the Midtown South neighborhood of Manhattan in New York City



5 years later

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THE KITTEN.
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