

# House Made Out of Roses

**Poetry by the first graders  
of PS051 Elias Howe Elementary**

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## Introduction

Poetry can be whatever we want it or need it to be. We transform things through poetry and poetry transforms us. **House Made Out of Roses** is a line from the poem, "Flower Girl" by Abby Wyatt in class 403. the cover illustration is by Evan Cuevas in class 408. Poetry is the most imaginative literary exploration. Reading and writing poetry provides a joyous foundation of literacy skills. Children need to play with words in order to master language and feed their developing minds. Poetry is the most playful form of writing, and it yields the most sophisticated writing skills. It helps us navigate, process and make sense of our experiences and understand the world around us, express our feelings and share our unique perspectives. The poetry toolbox contains literary devices that hammer thoughts into shape, as well as a more mysterious element, an alchemy that changes sound and meaning into magic. Traditional didactic instruction is not the only way to educate. Creating space for freedom of thought and self-direction is important to developing intelligence, cultivating spaces of unknowing fosters creativity and discovery more than typical school instruction. Through April and May, 2018, I visited the first graders at PS051 in Manhattan twice a week to read, write, think, share, and imagine together through poetic experiments. We had positive reading and writing experiences to ignite a lifelong love of literature based in joy. There was so much excitement in these memorable times we shared.

We defined poetry through lively comparisons by reading: "I Love the Look of Words" by Maya Angelou, "How to Eat a Poem" by Eve Merriam, "Poem" by Alvin Greenberg and, "Eating Poetry" by Mark Strand. We looked at our names and found the hidden words inside of them. Poetry is everywhere. We hunted for poems in the classroom with an egg hunt and found the poems of Valerie Worth from her book "all the small poems" about everyday objects. We tasted carrots and touched mushrooms to engage all our senses and open the doors of understanding. We used Joanna Hewitt's "I Am" poem to experience how repetition and statement can come together to bring us closer to ourselves and each other. The sutra, "A cloud floating in this sheet of paper" introduced aphorism that illustrated how connected everything is to each other, that we are part of a wondrous whole we can find when we look deeply at our surroundings. We explored color in Eileen Spinelli's picture book, "If You Want to Find Golden" and Dianna Morton's poem, "Color de Rosa". We discovered the importance of description, that SHOWING instead of TELLING communicates more powerfully, by studying how poems are like riddles through James W. Swanson's, "The Turtle" and my own poem about a mirror, "Behold". We learned to recognize and use rhythm, rhyme and sound in language through Lewis Carroll's "Jabberwocky" that inspired us to invent our own nonsensical creatures. We encountered looking at the familiar in a new way by reading May Swenson's, "Cardinal Ideograms" and E. E. Cummings', "who are you little i" where we saw letters and numerals as shapes instead of symbols and created new ideas with these fresh eyes. Treasure this book, it contains some of the fruit from our philosophical conversations about the poetry we read and ideas we experimented with. Thank you, PS051, principal Ryan Bourke and first grade teachers: Ms. Francisque, Ms. Muryne, Ms. Moas & Ms. Simone for inviting Teachers & Writers into your school. We read, wrote and shared poetry, here's the proof. Enjoy!

Jane LeCroy



Ms. Simone  
&  
Ms. Maos

**Class 405**

## The Little Butterfly Man

-Brandon Igiozee

The little butterfly man  
lives in the circus  
He hears talking kids and adults  
He has patience



## What is Red?

-Brandon Igiozee

Find it on a bird  
Taste it in a raspberry  
I buy strawberries  
and apples just to  
have some red  
I have a red book bag  
My mother has a red purse  
Red is love

## C

-Brandon Igiozee

Moon  
Bridge  
Smile  
Ear  
Half a heart  
C is a banana  
C is an eyebrow



## Mr. Fancy Pants

-Isaiah Foster-Meeks

Mr. Fancy Pants has his  
pants on his head  
He plays dress-up  
He has his shoes on his hands  
Mr. Fancy Pants has  
his pants on his head

## **Apple**

-AJ Perko

I am crunchy, I am sweet and juicy  
Hearing the crunching bites out of me  
I grew on a tree and got picked to eat  
I have dark seeds inside me  
That could grow trees that could make more apples  
On Halloween bob for me in a party game  
I love sunshine and rain, I can be a home for worms  
I think it's surprising that such little seeds  
Can grow such huge trees

## **White**

-AJ Perko

white is in the sky  
white is down below  
white just goes with the flow  
the waves come  
with white lines of little bubbles  
white is awesome  
white is trees  
because paper comes from trees  
and paper is white

## **Gold**

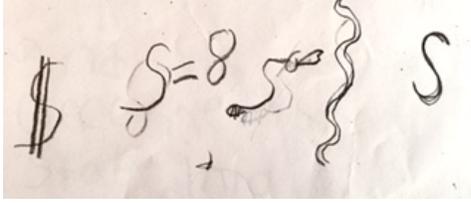
-AJ Perko

Find gold by digging underground  
Look for gold in the setting sun  
Hear it buzzing in bees  
carrying golden pollen  
to make golden honey  
I think of golden chirping chicks  
Feel golden in movies  
Gold gets in your eyes  
when you look at the sun  
Keep that gold,  
it belongs to everyone

## **King Kooky**

-AJ Perko

Once upon a time there was a king  
and he was called king Kooky.  
He had a bow and one day  
he decided he did not want the bow  
because it got all wrinkly and ugly.  
So, he asked the people in the castle  
if they wanted it but they said no.  
Then he went to the village and asked  
the villagers if they wanted the bow.  
All of them said no.  
Then he saw a poor person, he asked  
the poor person if he wanted the bow.  
The poor person said yes and ironed the  
bow  
and put it on and said thank you  
and hid the bow.



# S

-Samir Soriano

S is like a dollar sign  
S is a rattle snake  
and a windy train track  
S is an unfinished eight  
and a flamingo standing on one leg  
S looks like a path in the forest  
S looks like a five  
S looks like dots in an S shape

## Astro

-Samir Soriano

Astro is brave  
he lives in space  
with stars and planets as furniture  
and he has his own planet too  
he uses the stars to play catch  
with his brother  
and he uses planets as beds  
he uses the moon as a refrigerator  
to keep cold juice and cold water  
and the sun as his oven  
where he cooks chicken and bread  
once he drew with a star on a planet  
and his secret is once he threw a star  
into a cave in the shape of a ring  
which actually happened

# C

-Sya Nelson

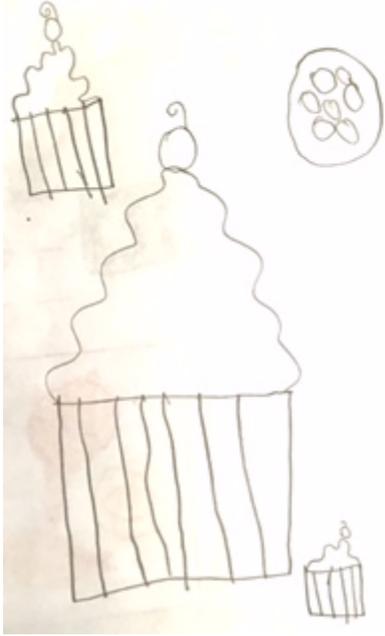
A cat's tail  
two C's make a cookie  
two ears to listen  
a cup handle  
a yummy croissant  
C looks like an ear  
and a rainbow's bend

## Butterfly Girls

-Sya Nelson

we have two wings,  
come from a caterpillar,  
like to fly,  
eat grass, and we  
have two antennas  
we are blue, orange, and red





## Pink

-Esmerelda Mercado

Pink is a cake.  
 Pink is a cupcake.  
 Pink is a donut.  
 Pink is a cookie.  
 Pink is sugar.  
 Pink is love.  
 Pink is happy.  
 Pink is a flower.  
 Pink is a star.

## S

-Esmerelda Mercado

S was slithering along the street  
 It stopped to say *I love you*  
 S likes to play in the park on the slide  
 and the swings and the see-saw  
 She wants to be eaten by a dinosaur  
 You can find her on money  
 S is a snake and a worm  
 S is in your name, it is a chair  
 S is a slide, a string, a rat's tail



## Coat Man

-Kris Wang

Coat Man helps keep me  
 warm. Coat Man lives  
 at home and in school.  
 Coat Man is never alone,  
 he is always with jeans  
 and a shirt. Coat Man loves  
 to be with gloves and scarves  
 Coat Man has different styles.

## 2

-Kris Wang

2 looks like the letter Z  
 2 looks like a duck  
 2 looks like a backward S  
 2 looks like a snake  
 2 looks like a person's face

## Lego Ninjago

-Aiden Guerrero

I am Lego Ninjago  
I wonder if I am a Lego  
Legos screaming  
Legos working  
I want Legos  
I am Lego Ninjago

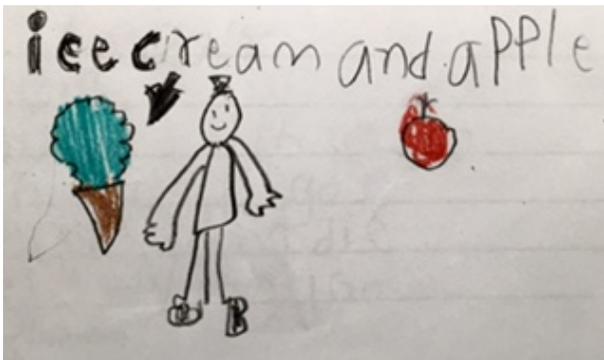
I pretend that I am a Lego  
I feel power  
I touch trees  
I worry about flies  
I cry bees  
I am Lego Ninjago

I understand Legos  
I say Legos  
I dream about Ninjago  
I try to build Legos  
Legos don't die  
I am Lego Ninjago

## My Ice Cream

-Aiden Guerrero

He throws apples  
He tastes like vanilla  
Fluffy and soft  
He looks like a fuzzy  
He also lives in an ice cream truck



## Play-doh

-Sayida Pierce

Play-Doh  
you are  
squishy  
you are  
green

## M

-Sayida Pierce

M looks like  
grandpa

M looks like snake  
M looks like cookie



### I Am a Cup

-Roman Spiers

I am a cup  
I wonder about liquids  
I hear people washing dishes  
I see a table  
I want to be clean  
I am a cup

I pretend I am a plate  
I feel happy that I am a cup  
I touch liquids  
I worry a person will drop me  
I am a cup

I understand that I cannot be a person  
I say I like being a cup  
I dream to be a plate  
I try to not talk  
I hope I do not get broken  
I am a cup

### Milker Drum

-Roman Spiers

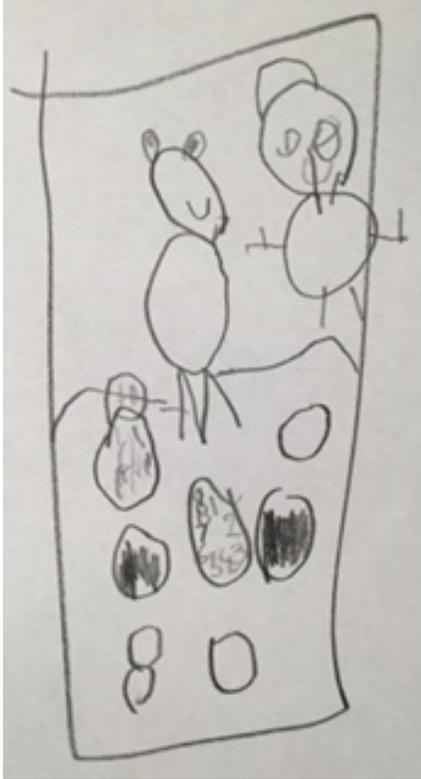
The Milker Drum milks  
with a drum  
and sometimes milks with milk  
He lives in milk  
He eats drums all day  
Milker Drum loves white  
and lives in the refrigerator  
his car is made of drums  
drum wheels push him around  
he is good for your bones  
and goes through your mouth  
to help your body  
He looks yellow and fat  
and his skin is smooth

### B

-Pierre Fofana

B looks like glasses  
B looks like a butterfly  
and the number 3  
B looks like two basket balls





**8**

-Bryant Rivera

looks like a snowman  
 8 is a monster  
 8 looks like goggles  
 I see it as eyes  
 a couple O's look like 8  
 8 is a race track  
 8 is clocks, stacked blocks

**What am I?**

-Aaliyah Richmond

It feels smooth  
 It grows long  
 It grows short  
 and it grows in the dark  
 They are like rainbows  
 They smile at you as they grow

**Black and White**

-Bryant Rivera

White is a cloud  
 and a paper  
 eat it in a cupcake  
 feel it in an eraser  
 White is snow and cup  
 White is a box with tissues

Find black in a deep hole  
 look for black in Star Wars  
 see it in a dead man  
 Death is black  
 see it sticky as goo of tar  
 storm clouds, it's almost like  
 a natural disaster  
 Like People vs. Nature  
 Nature is black and scary  
 just look in my eyes

**Boobanana**

-Aaliyah Richmond

Boobanana lives  
 he lives at the zoo  
 he is fat and yellow  
 and drives a banana car  
 Boobanana's  
 secret is Pink Banana  
 he sees banana's 400 shoes  
 Live in a banana and  
 do not have shoes  
 shoes shoes

**Pink**

-Aaliyah Richmond

What does pink smell like?  
 Pink smells like rose  
 What is pink?  
 Pink is make-up on me



### **Cake is Rainbow**

-Noa Piris

Cake is red  
 I love cake  
 Sprinkles is rainbow  
 Mmmm, so good  
 Cake is soft like the sky  
 Close  
 Light brown  
 Orange  
 Violet purple

### **Letter M**

-Mason Halls

M is for monkey  
 M is for Mom  
 M is upside down W  
 M is for Mickey Mouse  
 M is for Maria  
 M is for Ms. Maos  
 M is for Mason  
 M is for Math  
 M is for Minny Mouse  
 M looks like bunny ears  
 listening

### **Hammer Likes Sun**

-Noa Piris

Hammer said, "hi" to the sun  
 Sun said, "hi" to hammer  
 "It's a nice day, right?"  
 Hammer laughed and laughed  
 Hammer said, "You're funny"  
 The sun ate cake  
 The hammer ate rice and pasta

### **What is Pink?**

-Noa Piris

I can taste pink donuts  
 hear it crunch  
 feel it smooth  
 I think ice cream  
 I can feel cold slime  
 I love Pink  
 Pink is a fancy pants

### **Box Boy**

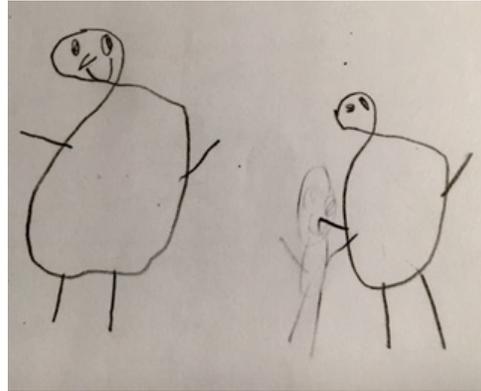
-Mason Halls

I am a box  
 I come in many  
 shapes and sizes  
 and different colors

## Sure-Thing Dog

-Maddox Alonso

he lives in a  
sure-thing house  
in a garden  
he has a big nose  
a car  
words  
a lot of news



## The Growing Cat

-Maddox Alonso

The cat woke up in the morning  
She heard some singing  
*Dat da dat de da da*

She started growing  
She grew all day long  
and by night the cat turned  
into a monster

She goes outside,  
destroys the houses,  
Singer Cat



## 8

-Chace Thompson

it looks like 2 snakes  
it looks like a snowman  
8 looks like eyes  
2 circles on top  
make an 8

## 2 Feelings

-Chace Thompson

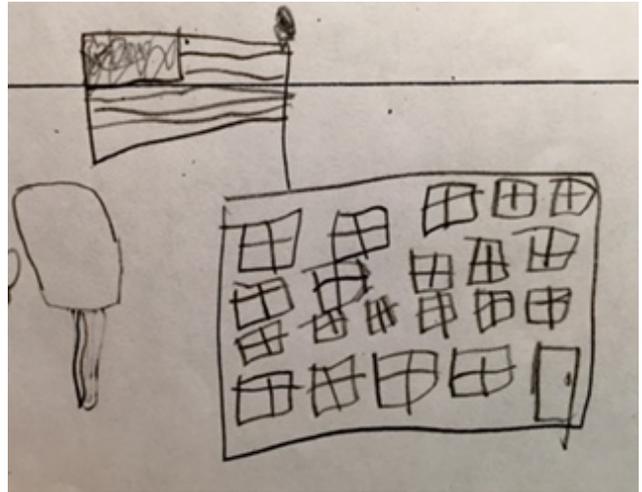
Blue is happy  
Blue is fun  
Blue is boy  
Blue is Ms. Moas  
Blue is water  
It makes me think of the world  
Blue is a color

Red is the feeling mad  
Red is a color of an apple

# 1

-Blanca Fuentes

1, you look like  
a stick from a popsicle  
You are a birthday candle  
on a first birthday cake  
1 is a pencil with no eraser  
1 is a chopstick  
from a Chinese food restaurant  
You look like a pole holding a flag



## What Am I?

-Blanca Fuentes

I have stems.  
I have different  
colors.  
I have different  
smells.  
I have different  
shapes.  
I have different  
names.

## Didy

-Blanca Fuentes

Didy has 10 eyes  
and Didy has  
2,000 legs  
And Didy has  
100,000 fingers  
and he lives  
in a garbage can

## Unicorn

-Sophia Li

Rainbow shines in my eyes  
I touch the rainbow pond  
Magic comes through my window,  
flying high in the sky  
Shake my tail,  
make magic come true  
I understand my horn  
Stand by the rainbow sea  
Rainbow flowers  
I worry about my crown  
I cry about the popping balloon



## **Cadence**

-Sophia Li

Cadence lives in the castle  
she makes cupcakes and  
she learns math  
she eats ice cream  
and cookies and hot dogs  
she has a puppy and a piano  
she travels to the beach  
and plays in the park a lot

## **What is Pink?**

-Maria Obaid

Pink is the color of pigs on the farm  
Pink is hearts on Valentine's  
Pink is the color of frosting in the bakery  
and pink markers on pink paper  
Pink is the color of love  
and rosy cheeks when I'm shy

## **What Am I?**

-Maria Obaid

It sits on my neck.  
I like to play with it  
and it is fussy.  
Where do I come from?  
It is like a toy.  
Girls like to wear me.

# **M**

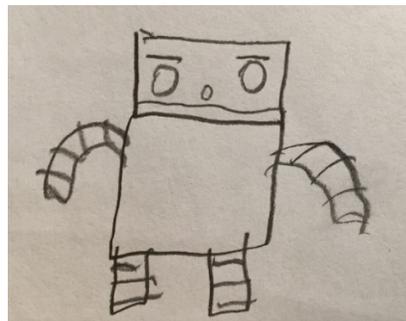
-Maria Obaid

M is mountains  
It is a roller-coaster  
It's the Brooklyn Bridge  
It's like towers  
M is a zig zag  
M is like bunny ears  
and cat ears  
and fox ears  
M is Maria  
M is like fancy shoes  
M is a bird's beak  
and M is a bird's wings

## **Robey**

-Maria Obaid

He lives in a tiny house.  
He is metal and  
he has a rope  
to catch big things  
and small things.  
He likes to eat  
metal and gold.  
His secret  
is that he is really a person  
in the inside of his body.  
He uses his rope a lot.





### Guess Who?

-Sally Alshiri

They flap their wings  
 They have pretty colors  
 They fly very high  
 They like to sit on flowers,  
 sometimes I see them at the park  
 They have 6 legs  
 They drink nectar  
 They have colorful wings

### Kate

-Sally Alshiri

Kate lives in a dog house  
 and she eats ice cream  
 and hamburger.  
 Kate likes to play violin.  
 Also, she likes to play  
 with her friends  
 which are  
 Sophia and Maria.

### Pizzameeme

-Jashria Bennet

Pizzameeme lives with her grandma  
 and went across the street to a restaurant.  
 A giraffe was running down the street  
 and the giraffe was eating pizza.  
 The giraffe is playing. The giraffe is sleeping.  
 The pizza is hot. The pizza is cold.  
 The giraffe is cool. The pizza is yummy  
 The giraffe is beautiful. The pizza is cheesy.  
 The giraffe has butterflies around.

### One

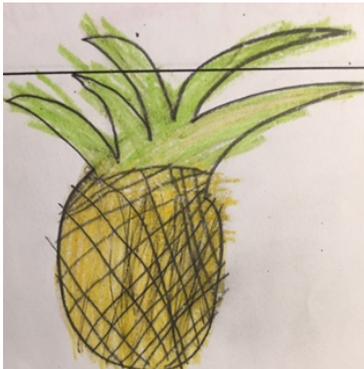
-Victoria Rosario-Mercado

One is like letter I  
 One is a leg  
 One is a finger pointing  
 One is a pencil  
 writing a poem

## **Fruit**

-Victoria Rosario-Mercado

fruit is juicy  
pineapple yellow  
I have eyes to see yellow  
pineapples smell sweet  
they come sliced  
or they can be diced  
they can be cold or hot



## **Yellow**

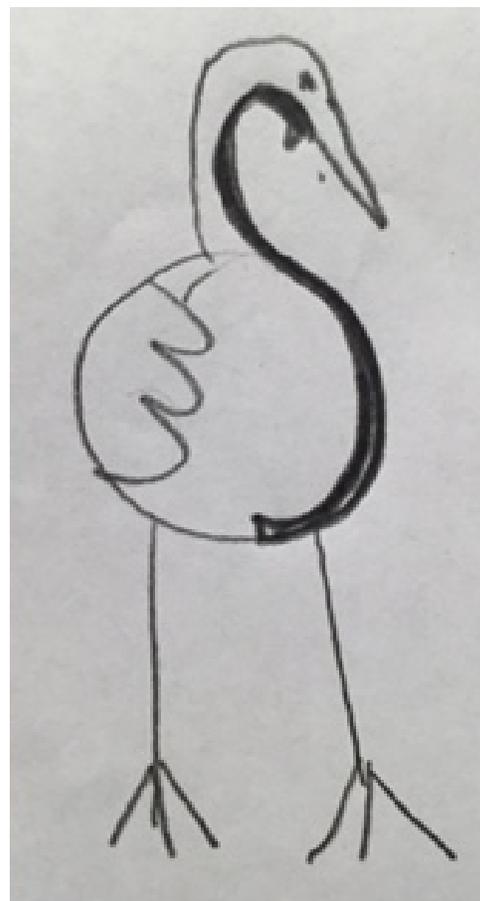
-Victoria Rosario-Mercado

yellow is pretty  
yellow is the sun  
yellow is frosting  
yellow is fire  
yellow is sunflowers  
yellow is beautiful  
yellow is inside of us  
yellow is a crayon  
drawing a picture  
of the beautiful pineapple

## **Flamingo**

-Jashria Bennet

I stand on one leg at the edge  
of the ocean on the sand.  
I love my pink soft feathers.  
I have a long neck shaped like an S.  
I love eating shrimp  
and I'm afraid of tigers.  
I hear waves crashing  
and elephants doing their thing.



Ms. Muryneec

**Class 403**



**The Building of Water**

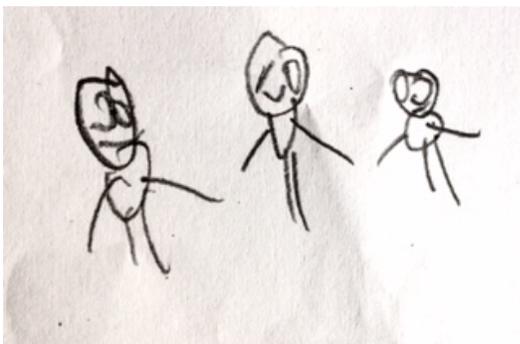
-Niaz Cecunjanin

it is cool  
 it has a lot of flowers  
 and flying fish  
 and water in a building  
 or a home  
 it has waves  
 it has pointy stuff

**Balloons**

-Mason Carter

At Mason  
 Nooooooooo Mason  
 Touch  
 NO!  
 No Mason



**Unicorn Rainbow Power**

-Iranyi Delarosa

Unicorns are white  
 and they're pretty  
 with their golden horn  
 and rainbow tail  
 They live in the garden  
 They're fancy  
 They're cute  
 They sound like horses  
 They can have wings  
 I saw one once  
 in a garden of weeds  
 and I got to ride it



## **Rain**

-Abrar Naji

A girl was singing a song  
in the rain and dancing.  
The rain lived in the sky  
with the clouds.  
The singer sleeps at home  
in her bed.  
The next day the singer  
went out of her home  
and got wet in the rain  
and went back home.  
The rain went to the umbrellas  
and the floor.

## **Games Alone**

-Abrar Naji

A guy playing tic-tac-toe  
with 4 hands by himself  
and nobody  
and his eyes are closed  
when he is playing  
He presses the button  
like an "X" or an "O"  
and it goes on the board  
like an "X" or an "O"  
It just goes on the board  
by itself, by just looking  
at the board

## **Bunnies**

-Abrar Naji

snowy, white and fluffy fun  
long ears that can hear everything  
blending into the snow  
because it likes to hide  
a puff of a tail following it  
it likes to jump and hop and run around  
it dreams it's raining carrots  
it's scared of snakes  
because snakes eat them

## **Bubble Girl**

-Abrar Naji

blowing bubbles up in the sky  
climb up the mountain  
sitting on the mountain  
and blowing bubbles  
and the bubbles turn to  
different pictures  
and different shapes

## **Chain Saw**

-Chase Holston

Cut  
Sharp  
Dangerous  
Hurt Finger  
No touch  
Hurt touch  
Cut Table  
No Kill



## **Black and Light**

-Chase Holston

Lights are bright  
I love light  
I love you, light  
Light, you are cool  
Light, you are the best  
I love light

Black is dark like the night  
Like when you turn off the lights  
Black is very dark  
Black is on a raccoon tail  
Black is cool

## **Wolf**

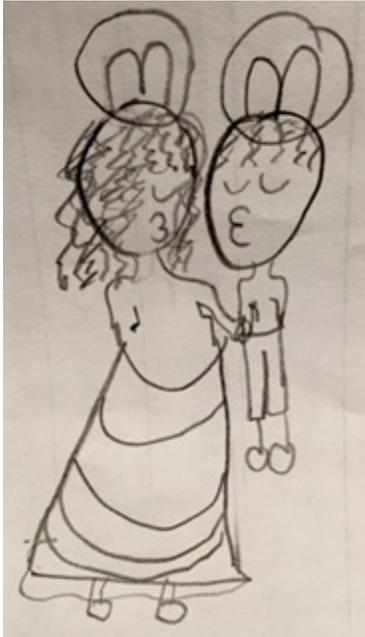
-Chase Holston

The wolf hears an owl  
The wolf likes the moon  
The wolf has sharp teeth  
Wolves are scary  
Wolves are spooky  
Wolves are cool  
Wolves are cool  
Wolves

## **Red**

-Jayden James

Red is hot  
Red is good  
Red is a kiss  
Red is good  
Red is beautiful



### **Pink**

-Isis Nelson

pink shimmers like kisses on your cheek  
pink shine-shine-shine  
ring ding pop pop woosh  
pink, it's ok if you don't like pink  
look for it in the store  
so many things about pink  
like cotton candy pink  
some like dark pink like sunsets  
light light pink like lipstick  
dark dark pink like hearts  
pink and blue look nice  
like sunsets  
bom bom  
poof poof  
splash splash  
pink markers  
pink color pens  
any emotion can be pink

### **I Love My Little 3**

-Isis Nelson

3, you're a kiss  
flowing in a heart  
beautiful.  
3, you're like  
a queen and king's crown.  
Little 3, do you want  
to wear lipstick?  
What color dress  
do you want to wear?  
red or pink?  
Maybe both

### **I Am Part of a Family that I Love**

-Isis Nelson

I am part of a family that I love  
I wonder what it would be like  
without the divorce  
I hear my mother say, "yes" or "no"  
I see all types of colors wherever I go  
I want to have a good family that is nice to  
each other  
I am part of a family that I love

I pretend I am a mermaid  
with a beautiful vase  
I feel like the red ninja  
I touch peace and beauty  
I worry about someone I love in my family  
dying, I cry about someone dying  
I am part of a family that I love

I understand things change a lot  
I say, "you are the best"  
I dream of Lego Ninja  
I try not to cry  
I hope everything is cool  
I am part of a family that I love



### **First Girl**

-Abdul Fawzy

First Girl saw rain outside  
started raining  
so she likes the rain  
so she will go be rain  
and make the shhhhh sound  
she lives in clouds now  
she will go rain  
she will go be Rain Girl  
she go rain lonely  
she go rain love  
go magic  
she's magic  
ok I see rain so I like rain  
so ok I will go rain  
I will go Rain Girl

### **The Ceiling**

-Abby Wyatt

the ceiling  
is the sky for the classroom  
covered with clouds  
it becomes  
night light

### **Flower Girl**

-Abby Wyatt

She lives in Hawaii.  
She lives in a flower  
house made out of roses  
and daisies. She plays  
the violin softly. She  
like to wear a ring.  
She likes to play  
with her dolls.

### **Candy Girl**

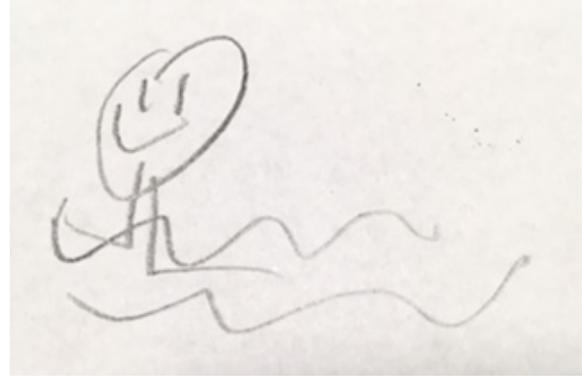
-Abby Wyatt

She likes to eat candy  
She lives in Candy World  
She like to make  
candy rings. She likes  
to make candy.  
Candy Girl plays  
in Candy World.

## Blue

-Angely Torres

you can find blue in the ocean  
blue like sky  
you blue, look like a balloon pop  
you could see blue in the sky  
you feel blue everywhere  
you could find blue everywhere



## Bubblegum Girl

-Angely Torres

she looks pretty  
she lives in a bubble gum house  
she eats gum  
she makes bubble gum pop and pop  
she can make pink bubbles  
she lives above  
she is a pig  
she is a peach  
she like hiding in dark spots

## One

-Angely Torres

1 is like grass  
1 is a candle  
1 looks like a pencil  
1 looks like a marker  
1 looks like a crayon  
1 is like a ruler  
1 is like r  
1 is like a person

## Cheetah Boy

-Eli Williams

Cheetah Boy beats Monkey Boy  
in a fast battle.  
Faster than FLASH  
Faster than ZOOM  
Faster than the fast of gods  
He is the god of fast  
he sounds like Cheeeeeeeeee

## Race Park

-Eli Williams

I hear music in my ears  
I see a dancer  
I want to go to a race park  
I pretend I'm rich  
I feel good because I went to the park



### **Sweet Girl Bullies**

-Roza Gonzalez

She likes beach balls  
but she loves sweets  
Sweet Girl Bullies lives in candy  
Sweet Girl Bullies goes to the beach  
"Yum Yum" says Sweet Girl Bullies  
She sings sweets yummy

### **Sea Green**

-Roza Gonzalez

Sea green is magical and rosy  
You can find it in the sky  
You can see it everywhere in the world  
You can feel it in your head  
You can look for it  
Sea green is gold  
it makes me think of gold

### **Crystals Shining**

-Roza Gonzalez

I am crystals shining  
I wonder where I come from  
I hear jewels raining on my head  
I see sunshine in the sky  
I want the clouds to rain  
I am crystals shining

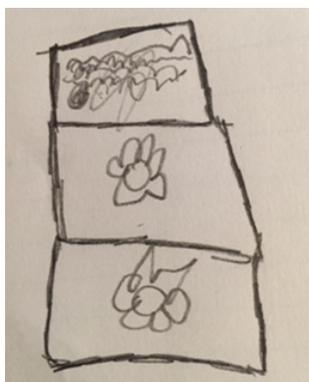
I pretend I'm digging for crystals shining  
I feel like fries  
I touch myself  
I worry about my friend  
I cry crystals  
I am crystals shining

I understand myself  
I say, YAY when I'm surprised  
I try my best  
I hope my friends be nice  
I am crystals shining

## Cake

-Cindy Correa

cake has different  
frosting like  
banana and  
chocolate  
strawberry cake  
and sprinkles  
hearts  
like sprinkles  
cake is yummy



## Bear

-Cindy Correa

You're fluffy  
like cotton candy.  
You are nice to me  
every day.  
You are cute  
and beautiful  
like me.  
I love you.

## Yellow

-Cindy Correa

because I love yellow  
and yellow is in the sun  
and I hear yellow from my ball  
yellow is in the air  
yellow is in the windows  
and I find it outside  
it makes me think of how  
yellow goes on lemons

## Snake and Rope

-Hudson Seiger

Snake found a rope  
it was alive  
they were friends  
but when they went to school  
Snake bullied Rope  
and Rope told the teacher  
Snake went to the principal

## Blue

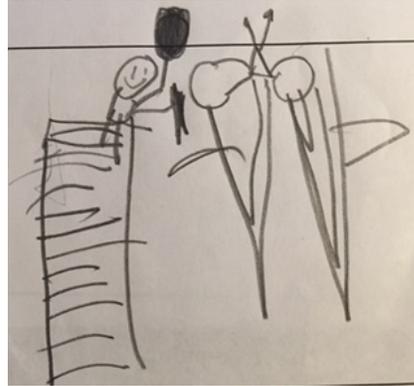
-Hudson Seiger

In the sky  
You can find it in the ocean  
You see it everywhere  
You see it in school  
I look for it at home  
I have a blue jacket  
I feel it in my body  
It makes me think of  
a blue world  
Where do you find it?  
Everywhere  
Pink and blue are nice together

### Kid in the Sky

-Hudson Seiger

kid in the sky  
he builds clouds  
he builds birds  
and butterflies  
every animal  
insects



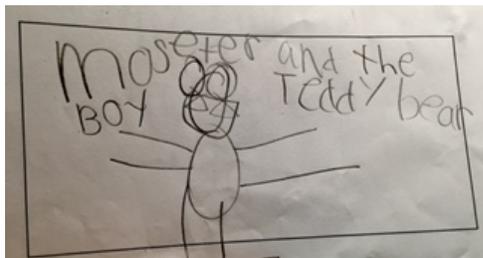
### 3 Boys

-Rehan Haque

Monster Boy was living  
in a huge cave  
with his teddy bear

Beast Boy was king of the jungle  
and he can turn into any animal  
and any dinosaur in the world

Boy Wonder was a super hero  
he defended the whole city  
from villains and monsters



### Red

-Rehan Haque

Red like a fire truck  
Red like a fire  
Red like an apple  
Red like a fire helmet  
Red like a fire costume  
Red like a lip  
Red is like a cherry  
Raspberries are red  
Strawberries are red  
and just berries are red  
People have lips and lips are red  
and a fire alarm and so many things

### rzk

-Rehan Haque

r looks like a hook, a very big hook  
r looks like a gun when you turn it

z looks like a huge tornado  
and it looks like a zig zag line

k is like a child kicking a ball  
and a person dancing  
when I see k I think of karate

# A

-Archie Keating-Brown

The sun's points  
A mountain's peak  
An ice cream cone  
A tent and a V and a N  
and a fox ear  
Miguel's blade

# K

-Archie Keating-Brown

A K is like a headless zombie  
in a town  
making other zombies  
and breaking buildings  
Smash  
A K is like a kicking ninja  
A K is like a guy with a gun  
shooting the zombies

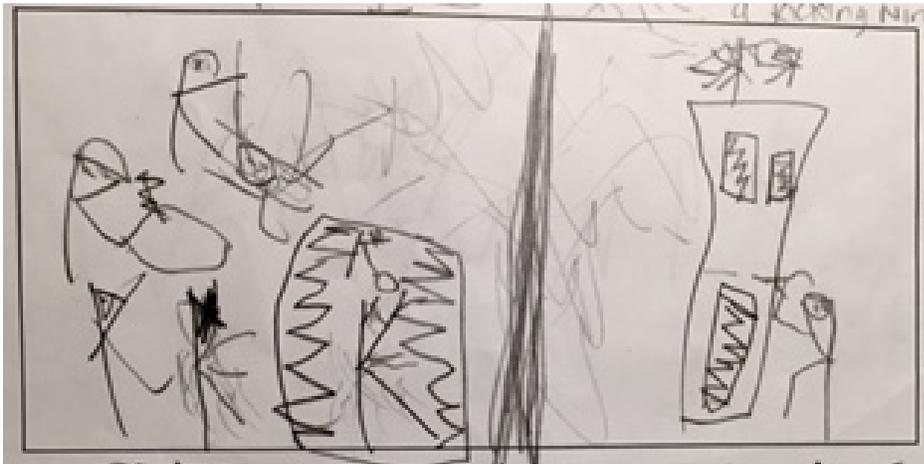
# I Am

-Archie Keating-Brown

I am a jaguar sneaking up on people  
I wonder who I am  
I hear birds waking me up  
I see sky scrapers  
I want to be rich  
I am a jaguar sneaking up on people

I pretend I am rich  
I feel so cool  
I touch cows at a farm  
I worry I will get kicked by a cow  
I am a jaguar sneaking up on people

I understand I have to go to school  
I say I don't want to  
I dream I am an animal  
I try to climb big trees  
I hope nothing will go wrong  
I am a jaguar sneaking up on people



## Cool Girls

-Tayyibah Chowdhury

### Number Girl

has a number world.  
She loves a lot of numbers.  
She hears numbers.  
She lives in a number land.  
She sees shapes.



### Shape Girl

she sees grass everywhere.  
She lives in the city. She hears  
the sun talking. She loves shapes,  
she loves diamonds. She has a shape world  
and a shape band.



### Fastest Girl

lives in Paris,  
zooming in the forest.  
She got her banana sword.  
She makes the sound zoom zoom with her  
speed  
She has magic shoes  
because it makes her zoom anywhere.  
She has a magic wand  
because it makes her strong.



### Smart Girl

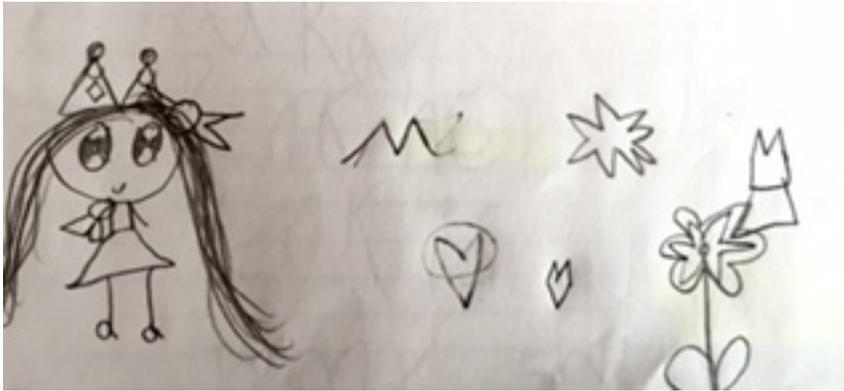
is smarter than anyone else.  
Her friend is a nice monster.  
She has a necklace and rings  
and a smart world  
and an earring, wears jewelry  
and a dress. Lives at home.  
Around her is diamonds,  
she hears a jingle.



### Purple Girl

She lives in Purple land.  
She sees a rainbow. She has  
a friend named Sunny. She  
hears her friend. She  
loves purple so much.





# M

-Grace Kansfield

M is a crown  
sparkling on a princess  
a bird is an M  
also an M can be a star  
also a flower  
I love M so much  
M looks like the top of a heart  
and the top of a ship

## Ceiling

-Grace Kansfield

the ceiling is clouds  
and the lights are the sun  
the vents are the homes in trees  
smoke detectors are like a cherry  
on a cake  
the lines on the ceiling  
are snakes

## Pink!

-Grace Kansfield

Pink is the sunsets  
shimmering on the beach  
Pink is the wind  
Pink goes woosh-woosh-woosh  
Pink is a field of roses  
You see pink dolphins  
in the air Boom Boom!  
You see people  
with pink hair  
Pink is the sound  
of my ears  
loo-loo-loo

## Ghosts

-Chad Williams

ghosts  
are spooky  
and scary  
and do that  
scary stuff

## Gold

-Chad Williams

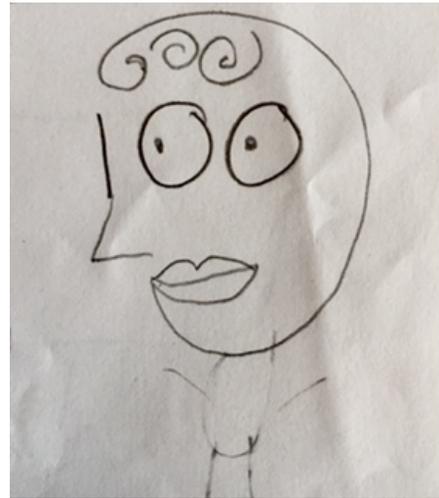
Where could we find gold?  
In the mines.  
Where could we see gold?  
Everywhere!  
We could hear gold shining  
We could feel gold  
forever and ever



## Martian Manhunter

-Chad Williams

Save the world  
forever and ever  
and ever  
Let's do this!  
and Martian Manhunter  
saved the world  
forever



## 100

-Ajari Gumbs

100 looks like eyes  
and a nose  
100 looks like wheels on a car  
100 is made of O's  
100 looks like a shoelace

## What am I?

-Ajari Gumbs

I am big  
I live in lava land  
a long time ago I turned into bones  
people put me together like a puzzle  
no one knows what I really look like  
some fly



## 2 Swords

-Elias Massa Valdeon

A lava sword  
is a good sword  
The lava is so hot  
The lava sword  
is so cool  
Cool as fire  
is the sword

An iron sword  
is a good sword  
The iron sword  
is good  
is so cool  
is like the  
Gold sword

## 3

-Elias Massa Valdeon

The 3 is like an E  
and E like a B and it is  
like an H, and is like either  
and like each other  
is like doubleyou  
is like BE, is like glasses

## 3 Girls Surrounded by Trees

-Allie Samayoa

Turtle Girl  
has a turtle  
the house has a drawer  
and the drawer has a moon  
she is surrounded by the trees

Fox Girl  
has a house  
full of pillows  
and food to eat  
she is surrounded by trees

Bubble Girl  
has a big cape  
has a shield  
pink shoes and little toes  
and the side of the house bubbles  
she is surrounded by trees



**It Has a Fin**

-Allie Samayoa

it has pink hair  
 it has a purple fin  
 it has red flowers on  
 she lives in a shell house  
 she has a pretty door

**He is Wearing Bubbles**

-Jonah Madison

he makes the sound BAM  
 he lives in the city  
 he once exploded on a run  
 his home is bubbles  
 he is wearing diamonds  
 he lives in dust  
 he once fell in love

**Zero**

-Jonah Madison

A kid blowing bubbles  
 Blow Blow  
 Making all these zeros  
 Little kid  
 Round Round  
 Little kid

Zero is a bubble  
 Zero is a pear  
 Zero is a sun  
 Zero is a football  
 Zero is a letter O  
 Zero is a ball  
 Zero is a pool  
 Zero is a bomb



## Candy Girls

-Anabella Feliciano

Why are you so sugary?  
Why is your hair pink?  
Why do you wear candy dresses?  
Why is your house candies?  
Why do you only eat candy?  
I wish I was a candy girl!

### Cotton Candy Girl

lives in a house  
with her bow  
hanging on a hanger,  
she looks like blue and pink  
cotton candy.

One time she got eaten  
by a tiny person  
because she was a delicious  
tiny fluff of cotton candy.  
After that, she grew back in one second  
and she was the same tiny size  
and her bow was still there.

## My Heart

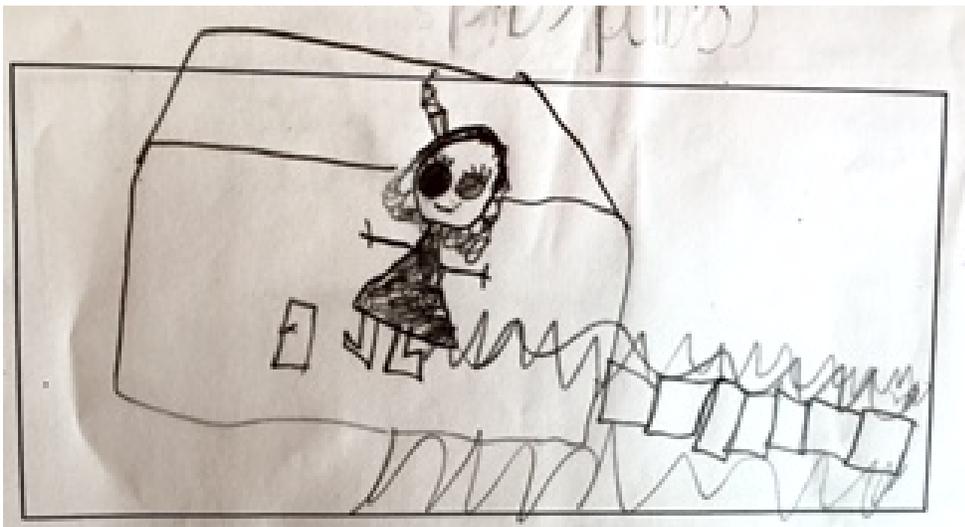
-Anabella Feliciano

my heart is a rainbow  
with all the colors of the rainbow  
my heart is a volcano exploding  
my heart is crashing  
like a piece of lightening

## Aqua

-Anabella Feliciano

aqua is wet like the ocean  
you can find aqua in the ocean  
You can see it in nail polish  
you can hear lit like you feel happy  
I feel happy when I see aqua  
how do you feel when you see aqua?  
it makes me think about everything  
I love aqua  
do you too?  
I'd love to hear your ideas





### **Sweet Ice Girl with a Lollipop**

-Isabella Feliciano

Sweet Ice Girl was skating  
and she saw another Sweet Ice Girl  
with a lollipop  
but she wasn't ice skating  
she was sitting down  
but the other one came and asked  
to be her friend  
and she said okay  
and they walked home  
but then they found a sweet ice baby  
and they loved her  
and they started dancing to the beats

### **Cotton Candy**

-Isabella Feliciano

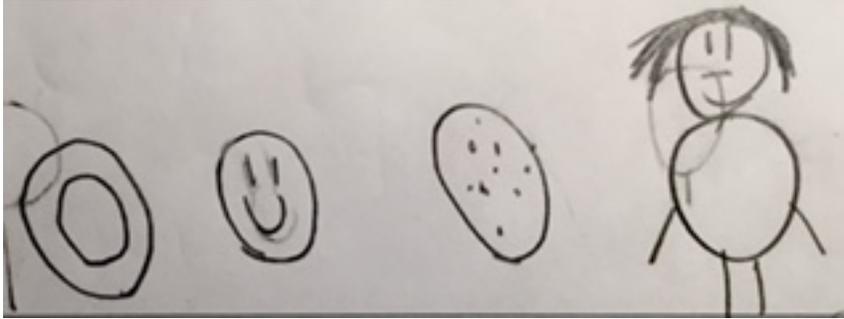
cotton candy ice cream with three scoops  
cotton candy is beautiful  
you see cotton candy at Dunkin' Donuts  
you hear cotton candy thundering in the  
cotton candy machine  
you can feel cotton candy in your tummy

# r

-Isabella Feliciano

r is like the rainbow,  
if you take away the stick.  
r is like one. r is like an  
umbrella handle. r is like  
a hook from a pirate hand  
r is like a bone,  
if you take away the hoop.

Ms. Fransisque  
**Class 408**



# O

-Jaime Carballo

- O looks like a face
- O looks like a donut
- O looks like a pregnant woman
- O looks like a ball, a door knob, an eyeball, a wheel, pepperoni
- O looks like a burger
- A looks like a pizza slice

## The Snail and the Rope

-Jaime Carballo

In my picture I see  
a snail and a rope  
the shell and his teeth  
are metal.

Yay!!!

I finally know  
what the snail is doing  
it's trying to pull out  
his tooth.

## I am Water Dripping from the Sky

-Valentina Vincente

I am water dripping from the sky  
I wonder if I can fly in the sky like a bird  
I hear water dripping from the clouds  
I see a tail inside a pool  
I want a horse so I can ride the sky  
I am water dripping from the sky

I pretend I am a butterfly up in the sky  
I feel happy like a birthday  
I cry like water dripping from the sky  
I am water dripping from the sky

I understand how to do the laundry  
I say I am brave and strong  
I dream about a cupcake  
I try to fly right high in the sky  
I hope I am a butterfly  
I am water dripping from the sky



## Rose Feet

-Michelle Criollo

Rose Feet lives in a garden  
her toes are roses  
there are roses everywhere  
there are trees that look like roses  
Rose Feet loves the smell of the rose  
her home is made of rose  
she loves to sing about Roses  
her TV looks like rose  
Rose Feet has a rose pencil  
and a rose paper  
she goes to Rose school  
all of her friends look like rose  
and she knows a rose  
Rose feet has a rose bed  
and her favorite part in the night  
is the rose stars  
they shine all over her roses  
and she loves dreaming  
about the rose stars



## The King

-Michelle Criollo

I see a king holding a dried feather  
it looks like he is sad  
and it looks like he doesn't want  
to let the dried feather go  
and it looks like he is stuck  
with the dried feather  
and it looks like he doesn't  
want to let it go home  
because it looks like he misses  
the dried feather  
and it looks like  
he is holding it tight  
I never saw a king  
holding a dried feather

## My Bear

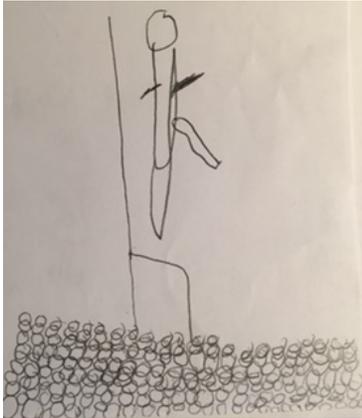
-Payton Jones

My bear is glowing with shine  
My bear looks like it has snow on it  
it looks like it is a tree  
My grandma has no stomach  
and she is going to hide it from me  
my grandma is evil and not to me!!!!

## The King is Rich

-Nasir Dickey

The king is rich  
all the time  
He has money  
and a lot of coins  
and a sword  
and purple fire  
and a chair too



## Princess Girl

-Christina Chen

Princess girl lives in a royal kingdom  
There are guards around her  
She uses her wand a lot  
She looks pretty and royal  
She travels by unicorn, touches diamonds  
acts like a princess  
and cries when she is sad



## Beach Bow

-Payton Jones

Beach Bow lives  
on the sandy beach  
She says sssssssssss and shhhhhhhhh  
The sand is sandy  
The sand feels warm  
and soft  
and ticklish



## 8

-Nasir Dickey

Two 3s look like and eight  
8 is a snowman  
it is two scoops of ice cream in a cone  
8 could be used as a slingshot  
8 is a basketball and its reflection  
8 is a cool fortress and it could be an igloo  
8 is a spider's body  
An 8 looks like Superman



### Charga Bug

-Raeshon Sanchez

In the law of diamonds  
 Charga Bug's Charga Bug  
 eats shiny stuff  
 he lives in space and  
 controls gravity, time and space  
 his brother is almost as strong as Charga Bug  
 Charga Bug has a power called phantasize  
 it's a psychic move  
 he can lift things  
 without having to lift  
 a finger up

### Dragon Rage

-Raeshon Sanchez

Dragon rage is a fiery stage  
 Dragons don't sleep  
 until the challenger's defeat  
 They have their eggs  
 and breath searing fire  
 Their eyes are swords  
 They fight the lords  
 and they breathe fire balls  
 on the castle walls

They glide  
 with their wind speeding wings

The knights and horses fight the best,  
 the best dragons take care of the rest  
 The flaming ruins of lore  
 The dragons open the volcano doors  
 and all the dragons make  
 is a bunch of wars  
 The swords go blast  
 The fire goes boom  
 The knights meet their doom

### O

-Raeshon Sanchez

O is a grenade  
 O is a smiley face  
 that's about to be blown up  
 O can be a foot  
 O can be an angry eye  
 from a bull with horns  
 O can be fire  
 O can be the mouth  
 that came from a liar  
 O can roll  
 O can also be coal  
 All O

### **Four Splitted Head Zombie**

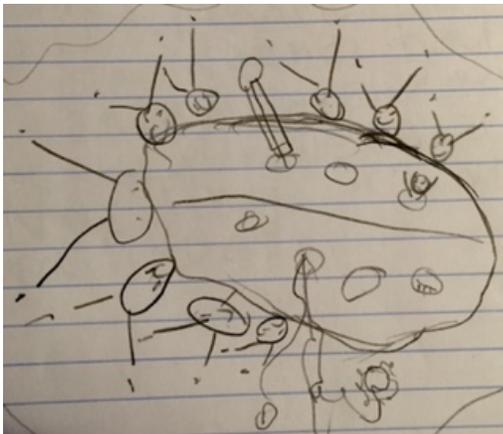
-Adrian Kuziv Matvienko

These are creepy,  
it's a four splitted head zombie,  
it lives in the creepy wild woods.  
He eats brains and bodies  
and human remains  
bones and oatmeal.  
He uses a baby zombie to travel  
by sitting on its back  
He is really scary  
The End

### **Once in a Little Village**

-Adrian Kuziv Matvienko

once in a little village  
it was strange  
there were umbrellas covering the village  
there were creepy woods  
with trees with no leaves  
there were ladybug like houses  
there were parades made out of dolls  
there were different skin colored people  
and the weight showed  
that the feather was heavy  
and the brick was not  
and monsters teleporting out of books



### **Makeup**

-Rowaida Alarge

Find me at a store and bring me home  
keep me near the mirror  
I will make you beautiful  
with my colors and my brushes

Makeup makes me happy  
makeup makes me dream of beautiful girls  
and she has beautiful makeup  
and she has beautiful colors  
and it smells so good

Sometimes the girl has glasses  
and the makeup is so beautiful  
and beautiful  
sometimes the girl has beautiful eyes  
makeup is my favorite  
because it makes me beautiful

### **Boy on the Flower**

-Rowaida Alarge

I see a boy on the flower  
I see the boy has a hat  
and I see a coat and jeans  
and I see yellow flower  
and on the mirror, I see a black color  
Do you know what color his hair is?  
His hair is white and yellow  
Do you know, his coat is yellow?  
He has a yellow coat and yellow hair  
and yellow flower and yellow sun  
but he has green jeans  
and he has a yellow hat  
and he has eyes and a mouth  
and nose and ears



### **Snow Girl**

-Jade Chavez

Snow Girl lives in the clouds  
She travels by floating in a water drop  
She has a pet puppy names Cupcake  
They play fetch with snow clouds  
She makes snow  
She looks for snow  
Snow Girl has a secret science room  
that's how she does it all

### **Red Tutu**

-Trinnity Terry

I love the red tutu  
because it is cute  
and red is my favorite color  
but I can't buy it  
because it is 100 dollars  
and I have 8 dollars  
and I guess I'll wear a different tutu  
Tutus are my favorite, every day  
I love you, Tutus!

### **Unicorn Sleeping**

-Jade Chavez

I am a unicorn sleeping  
I wonder if I can be on time  
I hear rain falling from the sky  
I see golden shoes on me  
I want a pet dog  
I am a unicorn sleeping

I pretend I am a monkey  
I feel sad that it is school  
I touch a pizza with mushrooms  
I worry I might see the cops  
I cry because I want ice cream  
I am a unicorn sleeping

I understand my dad  
I say I am sorry  
I dream about me, I try new things  
I hope I get ice cream  
I am a unicorn sleeping



I

-Trinnity Terry

I looks like its running to school  
I looks like trees  
I looks like a fire pole in the firehouse  
I looks like a column, a marker,  
an umbrella closed, a stick,  
it looks like pencils, it looks like a kid

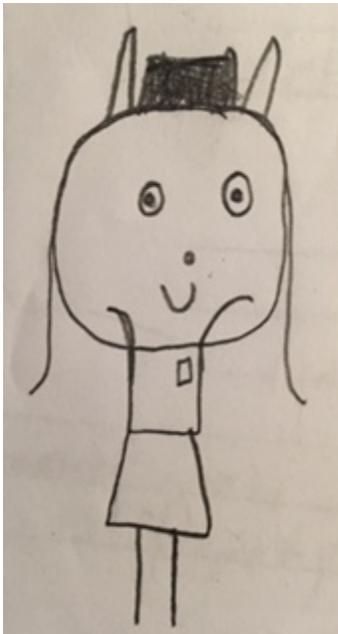
### The Cat Violin Singer

-Mia Sharustamov

The cat is happy  
She likes singing

She likes dancing and music class  
She loves to sing on a sunny day

and go outside to sing  
and she is a star



### Flower that is Pretty

-Mia Sharustamov

I am a flower that is pretty  
I wonder if I were the sun  
I hear wind in the air  
I see pink, purple, blue  
I want a pizza  
I am a flower that is pretty

I pretend I am a cloud  
I feel my stem  
I touch flowers  
I worry if everything will be gone  
I cry with my friend  
I am a flower that is pretty

I understand everything  
I say books are nice  
I dream about books  
I try to dance  
I hope I am doing my homework well  
I am a flower that is pretty

### Dollhouse

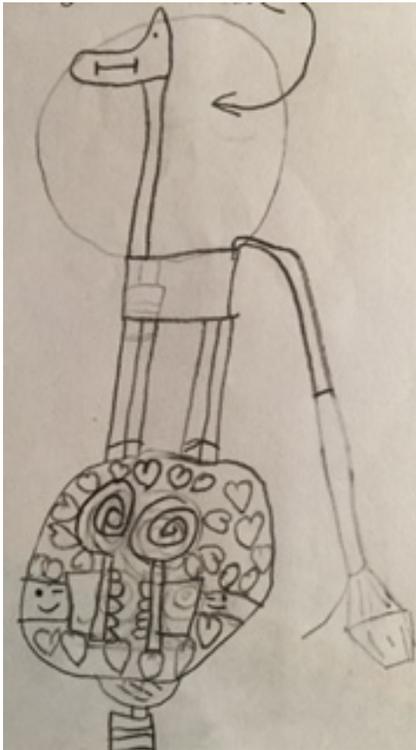
-Myown Rudolph G

Who lives in that thing?  
I know! A doll  
What is that?  
I know! A dollhouse  
When was it built?  
In the 1990's  
Where could it be at?  
D.C.  
Why do you need it?  
To survive  
How can a doll get in a house?  
I know! Open the door, then butt in

### **Giraffe on the Air Balloon**

-Myown Rudolph G

Giraffe on the air balloon  
lives in the sky  
she eats candy and McDonalds  
she likes to play Roblox  
and Hide and Seek in the sky  
she is big and likes to eat



### **Heart**

-Lejla Sejfic

I want to be in someone's heart  
when I get mad, I sometimes eat a heart  
the taste is amazing  
I love beauty  
my heart is firey  
If I were a heart,  
my heart would eat stuff

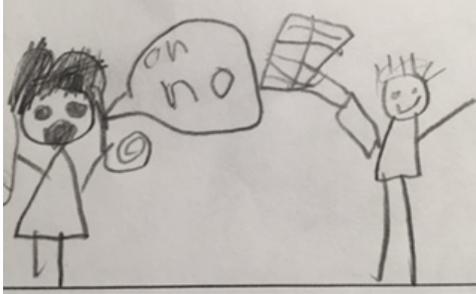
### **Boom Shakalaka**

-Lejla Sejfic

Boom Shakalaka somebody call the doctor  
I wonder if I could be a doctor  
I hear snakes rolling around  
I see bones helping around the ground  
I want to become a unicorn  
I am a human to move everywhere

I pretend to be a superhero  
I feel a puppy  
I touch my class  
I worry that my grandma dies  
I cry because my mom doesn't buy me ice cream  
I am excited because my dad is going to get KitKats

I understand that I am going to work  
I say I am beautiful  
I dream about unicorns  
I try my best to listen  
I hope I get a present for my birthday  
I am beautiful



### **Roblox**

-Lejla Sejfic

I love Roblox  
it is my favorite  
because there are lots of games  
it looks like it is in real life  
but Roblox is in Legos pieces  
but do you know that  
I have Legos at home  
in my basement  
but one thing I don't like  
is that the Roblox people die  
my cousin, she has Roblox

### **Spiky Tail**

-Thor Chung-Deas

This is Spiky Tail  
he lives in caves  
servants are around him  
he has a basher slithery tail  
he can also fly because of his wings  
he turns into a spiky ball and spins

### **I am a Lord on My Throne**

-Thor Chung-Deas

I am a lord on my throne  
I wonder if I have servants  
I hear that enemies are coming  
I see a throne and a flag  
I want an army  
I am a lord on my throne

I pretend to be a boss  
I feel dark magic  
I touch my armor to get it on  
I worry that I will lose the battle  
I cry that I will get hurt  
I am a lord on my throne

I understand that I have dark magic  
I say, "Go and fight for me, servants!"  
I dream that I have a dark Pegasus  
I try to win the battle  
I hope I will win  
I am a lord on my throne



## **The Clock Meets the Man**

-Evan Cuevas

The clock meets the man  
He said to the clock, "Bye, I'm going."

"Nooooooooooooo, I want ice!"  
The clock was in a cake house  
and the man was in a cake house  
but then there were zombies

"Ahhhhhhhh" said the man and he ran

"Ahhhhhh" said the clock  
"Zombie! I need my safety!"

"My safety is fine, I need some time  
to go to Clock's house,  
we need to get out."

"You're okay with the zombies?!"  
Wow, can you do that?" said the clock

"Yes, I can do it," said the man

## **Fire as Cool as Water**

-Evan Cuevas

I am fire as cool as water  
I wonder if the earth stopped spinning  
I hear water, I see a cup, I want a donut  
I am fire as cool as water

I pretend death, I feel a bear, I touch a tree  
I worry about a bear, I cry about a rock  
I am fire as cool as water

I understand my dad  
I say, "Mom, can I have a donut?"  
I dream about an apple  
I try to get in the pool  
I hope I am big  
I am fire as cool as water

## **Granting Wishes for All**

-Roger Larkin

I am a genie granting wishes for all  
I wonder what it is like to be real  
I hear magic  
I see happy people  
I want to be real  
I am a genie granting wishes for all

I pretend I am real  
I feel the power of granting wishes for all  
I touch the magic dust that I use  
I wonder how real life works  
I cry that I am not real  
I am a genie granting wishes for all

I understand the rules of life  
I say to myself, I am just a genie  
I dream to be real  
I try to be real  
I hope I can  
I am a genie granting wishes for all

# M

-Roger Larkin

Do you have game, M?  
Do you have to play Minecraft all the time?  
Can we just go to McDonalds?  
Take your mind off Minecraft!!!!!!

### **Marshmallow Man**

-Michael De La Cruz

Hi, I'm a marshmallow that's a man  
I know that's confusing  
I eat pizza  
and my favorite topping  
is marshmallows  
yummmmmmmmy  
Thinking of marshmallows  
is making me hungry



### **The Sun in Your Mind**

-Jace Paulino

The sun is hot, and I walked in it  
in my mind because  
I can't with my body.  
Everyone near the sun is hot  
but they are safe in my mind  
with how I think about them.  
Don't go too close to the sun  
it will burn you,  
but you can have it in your mind.



### **Clock Man**

-Michael De La Cruz

Hi, I'm clock man  
I tell when it's time for bed  
and when it's morning

### **Ninjas**

-Jace Paulino

Ninjas are fun because  
they can fight  
and I can fight.  
I don't fight anyone  
but in my family.  
My brothers and me  
are always fighting.  
We are not ninjas though,  
we just fight.



### **A Girl and Her House**

-Madison Lopez

This is a story about a girl  
who lived in her home.  
Once there was a storm,  
every storm after storm,  
until her house washed away.

She wanted her home back  
she wasn't sad  
she stood up for herself

She went to the store and got  
wood and nails and blocks and markers,  
and she built a home  
and she kept on building.  
She finished her home!  
The end

### **Hammer Girl**

-Madison Lopez

Hammer Girl with her friends and her  
hammer  
When she hammers, everyone dances to  
the beat  
She has a secret, she can make things float



## Solar System

-Aiden Mghendi

The Sun is the center of the solar system  
 Mercury, Venus, Earth, Moon, Mars, asteroid belt  
 Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune, Pluto  
 Saturn has 8 rings around the planet  
 Uranus is sideways, Neptune is not small,  
 Pluto is the smallest

## Brain vs. Heart

-Aiden Mghendi

Ladies and gentlemen, boys and girls  
 welcome to body Super Powers, Brain vs.  
 Heart  
 The heart makes your body working  
 Brain, the brain makes you think more  
 Now let's start the fight!  
 "Reading mind"  
 "Brain destroy"  
 "OW!"  
 "How dare you, Brain!"

## A

-Aiden Mghendi

A, you start my name with a sharp point.  
 I can hear you  
 in the beginning of the word apple.  
 A, you look like a big tall mountain  
 pointing to the planet Saturn.  
 A is sometimes a curvy mountain.  
 A is a bitten apple, A is apple juice,  
 A is a cup, A is an ice cream cone,  
 A is the first letter of the alphabet.  
 I can hear you at the end of the word pizza  
 and in my friend's name Adrian.  
 I wish I were a bat, wait, I am a bat.  
 I wish I went to a real farm with my family.  
 I have lots of snacks  
 for WednesdAys, FridAys  
 and weekends and when school is over,  
 I'm done with my three wishes

## Superman

-Sivad Baillou

I am Superman flying  
I wonder if I could be anything, like a chair  
I hear a horn, I see an icy, I want a pet fish  
I am Superman flying

I pretend the ceiling is broken  
I feel like I'm flying, and I touch the sky  
I worry about duty calls  
I cry when I don't get to play  
I am Superman flying

I understand that Superman  
is peach, but I am not  
I say I am a superhero  
I dream that I can pick up everything  
I try to beat up the bad guys  
I hope that everyone is safe  
I am Superman

## I Like

-Sivad Baillou

I like sweaters  
when it is cool.  
I like myself.  
I like the rain.  
I like everybody  
having fun and  
playing games.

## Gold Emerald Lego Man

-C.J. Polanco

That knight right in front of you  
is protecting the castle from danger  
He stands in front of the door of the castle  
and if he sees something dangerous  
he thinks of something good to do

This person in front of you  
is the person who tries to destroy the  
knight  
but the knight destroys the enemy first  
and the enemy launches new products  
to destroy the village

## Roblox

-C.J. Polanco

I love Roblox because  
you can choose any server that you want  
even first, you have to log-in  
and sign up the right name  
And I will tell you the password  
only if you don't tell others!



### **I Pretend to Believe I'm a Unicorn**

-Michelle Villanueva

I am a unicorn blasting out magic  
I hear rain dropping out of the sky  
I see a dog barking  
I want birthday cookies  
I am a unicorn blasting out magic

I pretend to believe I'm a unicorn  
I feel so me magic around me  
I touch things to help my mom clean up  
I worry for my mom, I cry for my mom  
I am a unicorn blasting out magic

I understand my dad cannot stay  
I stay in my house because it rains  
I dream I am a unicorn, I try some ice cream  
I hope no one dies  
I am a unicorn blasting out magic

## **O**

-Michelle Villanueva

O can be a pizza pie before it is sliced  
O can be an orange, O can be a clock  
O can be a pool, O can be tennis balls  
O can be donuts in Munchkins  
O can be Earth  
O can be the circle of the sun



### **Robots and Owls**

-Jayson Perry

Robots are so fun  
to play with  
I love owls  
Owls are fun  
I see robots  
I can see owls

### **I Am Eyes**

-Jayson Perry

I am eyes, I wonder what I am  
I hear noise, I see toys,  
I want to go to the park  
I am eyes

I pretend to see all this and toys  
I feel something hard  
I touch a thing and it's a toy  
I worry I can see toys cars  
I cry all the time  
I am eyes

I understand now how I can see  
I say I see things  
I dream things that are not  
I hope to see big toys  
I am eyes