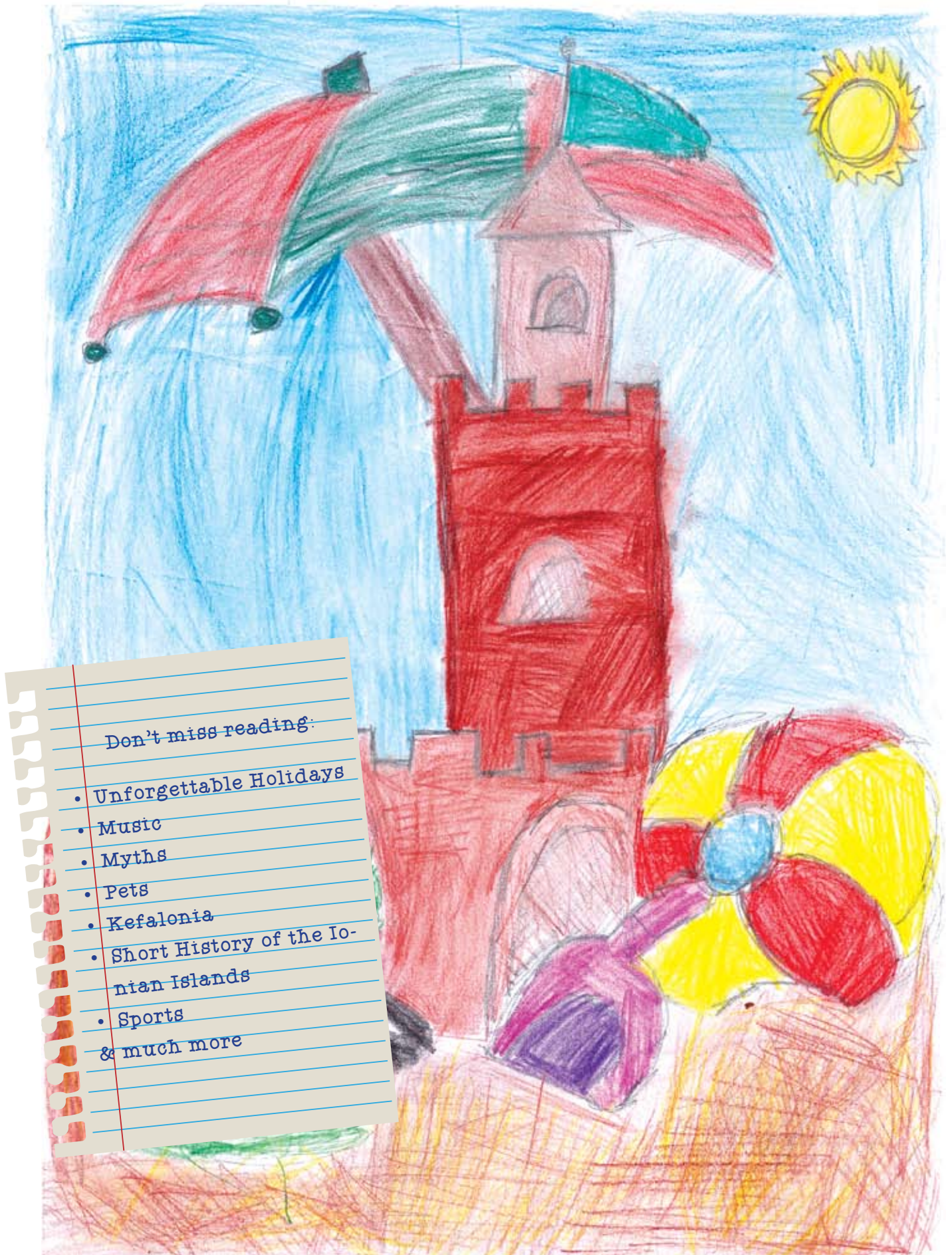


our summer paper

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KEFALONIA

Kefalonia is the largest of the Ionian islands, famous for its natural beauty. You can find wonderful beaches, caves, forests and Mount Ainos, which is a National park for the protection of fauna and flora. The capital of the island is Argostoli. The island can offer whatever a visitor needs.



◀ This is the famous Lighthouse of Argostoli



SHORT HISTORY OF THE IONIAN ISLANDS

The Ionian Islands is a chain of Greek islands with a population of 200,000 citizens. The history of the Ionian Islands is very long. The islands were settled by the Greeks in 1000BC.

The Ionian Islands are located off the coast of western Greece. There are seven main islands and many smaller islands. The seven principle islands are Corfu or Kerkyra, Paxos, Lefkas, Ithaca, Kefalonia, Zante or Zakynthos and Cerigo or Kythira. All but Cerigo are located in the Ionian Sea. These islands are also called Heptanesus or Seven Islands. The Ionian Islands were always under foreign rule. At different points in time, the Macedonians, the Byzantines, the Venetians the French and the British controlled the Ionian islands.

In 1815 the islands became the "United States of the Ionian Islands" under British protection. The British gave the islands back to Greece in 1864.



▶ This is the flag of the "United states of the Ionian Islands"



UNFORGETTABLE HOLIDAYS

Last year I went to Riza camping. I was really happy there! I saw my friends Theodore and Ntinos but my friend Antonis forgot to come. We played lots of games: 'Stars', 'The game of the forest', 'Eggs', 'Post office', 'Seven stations', 'Riza voice', 'Riza night game' and 'The game of the water'.

We said our prayers in our church in the evening and in the morning. We went to confession every week. In the morning, we did our chores. We picked up the leaves from the football pitch, the basketball, volleyball and tennis courts. We cleaned up the WC and tidied our dining room. In the afternoon, we went swimming in the sea. And we ate delicious food from our cooks. I had an unforgettable time in this camp!!!

by Panagiotis Goudanis

2016 SUMMER FASHION TRENDS

Fashionable jeans for teens: They are the main cloth for a teen girl. Clothing trends in 2016 cannot exist without them. Teenage girls prefer torn jeans as well as tops decorated with letters, numbers and laces. Also Polka dots on jeans are one of the new 2016 fashion trends.

by Karampela Konstantina & Pagania Eriketi

Last year my family and I went to a fantastic hotel in Ancient Olympia. In the morning, everyone was in the swimming pool and we relaxed, we ate ice cream and went diving. Then we went to a lot of museums. In addition we ate in a restaurant. On the second day we woke up, we ate breakfast and we went to the swimming pool. After that we went to a waterfall the water of which was really cold. Later, we had dinner. On the third day we packed our things and we left.

We had a really great time!

by Theodore Liatsos

A long time ago I went to Canada. When I arrived there I saw my uncle and my grandpa. We were close to our house. After that I saw my grandma out of the house with lots of balloons. When we went inside more balloons were waiting and too many surprises. I was playing with my cousins and friends till night. Some days we were swimming in the swimming pools. It was one of the best holidays of my life.

by Chris Tsamis

MY IMAGINARY HOLIDAYS

I always wanted to go to Disneyland in Paris but we haven't got the money to do that. But sometime I know that we will do this, but they aren't my fantastic holidays. My fantastic holiday is to go to a country of my imagination like a country where we'll always have fun, we'll never sleep... I don't know if that country exists, but in my dreams, all the summer is like I am there.

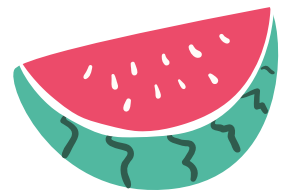
by Iliana Alexopoulou

HOW WE USUALLY SPEND SUMMER

School always closes in the summer. We usually go to our village. A lot of times we meet our friends and we play with them. We sometimes go to an island, we go swimming and eat ice-creams. We have a great time with our family. We usually go for a week to another island. We try new things. Last summer we learned how to cook and it was excited. Also we read new books and we enjoy the day out. There we visit museums, theatres and we learn new things. Then we come back and relax. We always have fun. In the end we prepare for school and in the autumn we go to school.

A month ago I went on holidays with my parents. We stayed in a huge hotel with 120 rooms. It was like Buckingham Palace! When I got in the hotel I wasn't able to find my room. I was in number 47. In room 48 would stay my best friend Iliana. So, you understand that we were playing and having fun together all the time. Outside the hotel there was a big park full of trees and horses. Iliana rode them and had fun. But the biggest surprise was when my friends suddenly came and stayed in the hotel with us. I felt it was a dream and it is called this way because all the dreams could come true. So, this is my dream and I would like it to become true one day.

by Konstantina Zafiratu



DO'S & DON'T'S ON THE BEACH

ALWAYS:

- Take your suntan oil with you.
- Wear a hat.
- Take a towel with you.
- Wear sunglasses.
- Stay under the sun umbrella.
- Put your rubbish in the bins.
- Take your racket and mask with you.

DON'T:

- Eat before swimming.
- Swallow the sea water.
- Dive if you don't feel well.
- Swim in deep waters.
- Stay in the sun for too long.

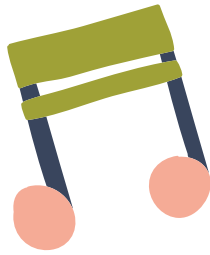
by Arnela Moulara & Alexia Malouki



MUSIC

Music is not just one thing. It's the instruments, the lyrics, the process, the dance. All of them is music. There are a lot of instruments, bass instruments, the percussion and the strings.

by Alexia Malouki



tambourine

bouzouki

xylophone

triangles

harmonica

saxophone

violin

mandolin

Our favourite songs are: "Ego",
"Get low", and the best of all
is "Take me to church".
These are our favourites because
they have beautiful music and
a nice videoclip. You can find
the songs on You-tube.
by Angelo Alexakis
and Chris Tsamir

Now, many kinds of music have been created like rap, rock, hip hop, techno, heavy metal, e.t.c. But I think music was better in the past. Many great musicians have been in the past. In my opinion, the kinds of music are "destroying" the evolution of music. I think that the best kind of music is classical because some of the best musicians composed and played classical music.

by Iliana Alexopoulou

clarinet

piano

trumpet



accordion

cymbals

guitar

oboe

trombone



I really love songs and some famous
singers like Ariana Grande, Shakira and
Beyonce. Some of my favourite songs are
"Problem, Focus, Wherever, Waka, Naughty Boy".
To be a famous singer you have to dance
well and to practice your voice every
day. These singers are the best because
they do this very well. I think music is the
best because when you're sad it makes
you happy.

by Arnela Moulara

CARNIVAL IN RIO DE JANEIRO

Carnival in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, is one of the biggest celebrations in the world! It usually takes place at the end of February and lasts for four days. The streets come alive with parties, singing and dancing. Carnival in Rio de Janeiro attracts thousands of people from around the world and gives them the chance to learn about the rich culture in Brasil. Carnival in Rio de Janeiro is a fantastic experience!

by Nikoleta

MEMORIES FROM SCHOOL

This year in school was amazing! New lessons, new teachers and also I met a new friend called Amela. Amela came to our school this year and she felt comfortable very fast. She became a very good friend of mine.

by Iliana Alexopoulou



$$A+B=C$$



May Day
May Day is a spring day that everything is filled with wonderful flowers.
Streets, parks, the countryside, everywhere you can see gorgeous flowers to bloom.
On May Day people usually go for a walk in the can buy flowers from the hundreds of stalls and give them as presents.
Alexia Malouki

WAR AND REFUGEES

Unfortunately in our world there are wars in different countries. War is the worst thing that happens in countries. People are forced to leave their places. They want to live in peace and they find other countries to live. These people are called refugees. In Greece we have a lot of refugees. Syrian people are coming here because they want to travel to Europe and find a peaceful life for themselves and their children. Greek people help the refugees with food and drugs. We hope war stops and all people live in peace.

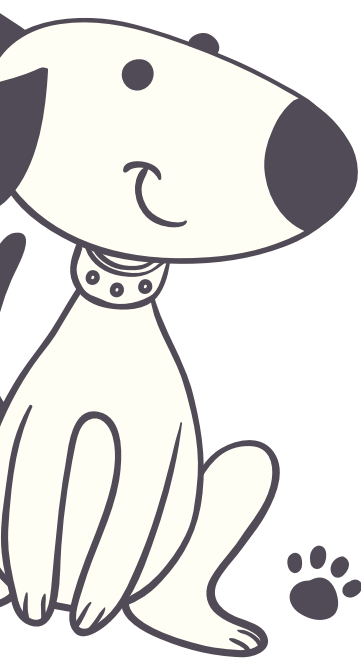
by Denia & Nikoleta



MY PET PUPPY

I have got a pet puppy called Lona. She is two months old. I got her on my tenth birthday. Lona has got soft black hair and beautiful big brown eyes. She is got floppy ears and a quite long tail. Lona is very clever and loyal. She can do a lot of things. She can do a "high five" and she can bring her ball back when I throw it! Lona can't swim very well yet and she can't jump very high because she is still a puppy. Lona likes playing football and she loves it when I rub her tummy! But she is sometimes quite naughty. She likes eating my slippers and she once ate my homework! Lona is a very energetic puppy so I take her for walks every day. At the weekends, we go to the dog park together. I can't wait to see Lona when I get back from school. I think Lona feels the same way, too! I really enjoy having Lona as my pet and as my friend!

by Eriketi Pagania



PETS

Many people today have pets and they love them but some people don't love them and they kill innocent animals. I'm really sad about that and happy for myself, because I have three cats in my house and the cat is my favourite pet.

Cats are cute animals and if you are a person who hasn't got much time you can leave a cat alone, because it doesn't need so much time to take care of. If you have any financial problems it's ok because you don't need much money to feed it. Except that, cats have a nice personality and they are a very nice fellow. I love cats and I hope you too.

by Iliana Alexopoulou



My favourite pet is a cat. Its name is Merlaki. It has got blue eyes, a pink nose and black-grey fur. The small Merlaki is six months old and it is the happiest kitten in the world.

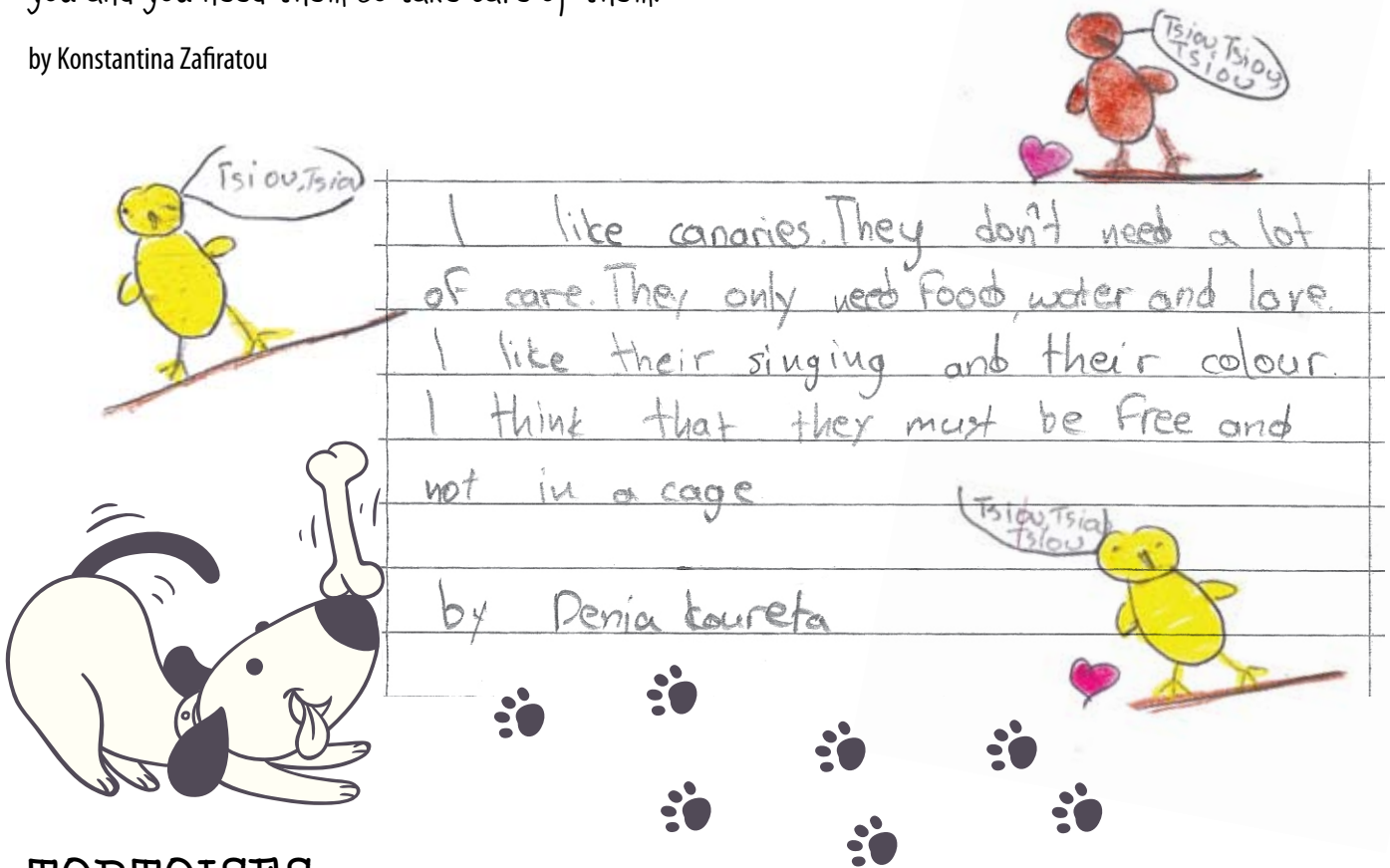
by Denise
Nikolopoulou



PUPPIES

Puppies are small dogs. They are very cute and many people have one, two or three. But some of them don't take care of them. So if you have a small puppy you have to feed it and take care of it. If you want to take one don't buy it. There are many stray dogs in the streets. They need you and you need them so take care of them.

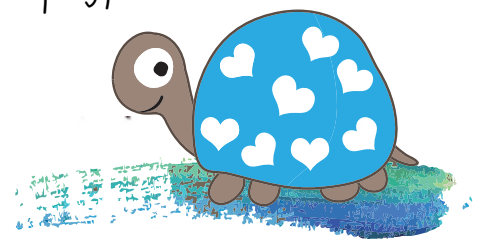
by Konstantina Zafiratu



TORTOISES

Tortoises are animals which live in the fields. There are small and big tortoises. Tortoises are reptiles and bear eggs. They have a green shell, four legs and a short tail. Tortoises are very quiet animals and funny. In winter they fall down hibernate and sleep until spring. In the end tortoises are very good animals sometimes but very beautiful and playful.

by Nikoleta



RABBITS

My favourite pets are rabbits. The rabbits have got different colors like (white, black, brown or grey). The rabbits run very fast and can jump until 3m. The rabbits eat usually vegetables and fruits. Their favourite food is the carrots.

Alexia Madooni

A person I admire

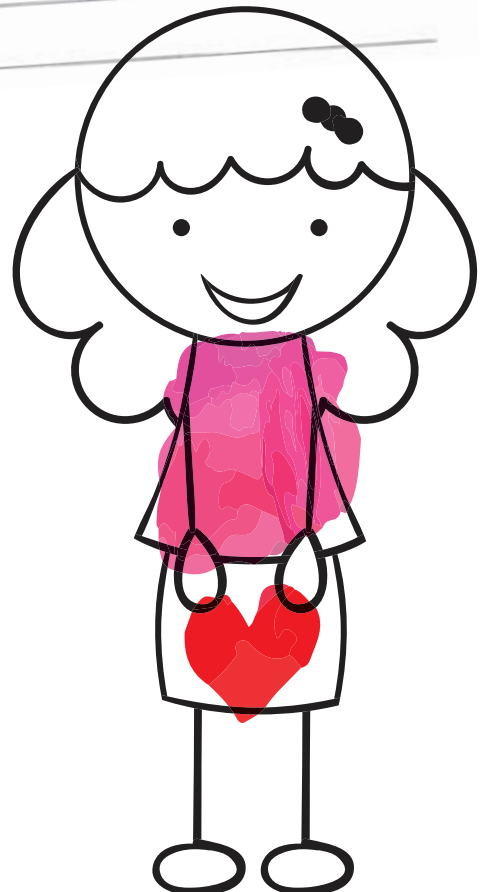
My favourite person in my family is my cousin Violeta. I like her very much because she is very pretty and I like her style. She is tall, slim with short blonde hair and big brown eyes. Also she is very kind with me and we always have a great time. When we are together she makes me laugh a lot with her jokes. I don't see her a lot because she works at Le Cap, but when I see her we go out for a walk with her family. When I grow up I want to be like my cousin Violeta.

by Arnela Moulara

A PERSON THAT I ADMIRE

A person that I admire is Iliana, my best friend. She is a genius girl. She knows everything you need. She is very good at English, France, Maths and all the other subjects. She is also very beautiful. She has short brown hair and big eyes. This is why she is my best friend.

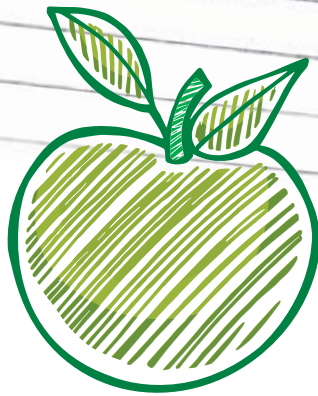
by Konstantina Zafiratu



The apple of Eris

It is one of the best myths. When Themida and Pileas were getting married the goddesses Jre, Athena and Afrodite wanted to be the most beautiful. They asked Paris to tell them who was the most beautiful of all. The most beautiful woman took the apple. It was Afrodite because she offered Paris to have beautiful Eleni as his wife.

By Denia Karetou



Halcyon days

In Greek mythology Halcyon was Aeolus's daughter and lived with her husband very happily near the sea. Their happiness was so big that compared themselves to Zeus and Hera. Zeus got angry and sank Halcyon's husband's ship. Halcyon who saw that, jumped into the sea to drown. Gods felt pity for them and transformed them into birds with the name Halcyons. Halcyons like birds live near the sea in the winter but sea destroys their eggs. Zeus decided in the winter there are some hot days so Halcyons can sit on their eggs.

By Pagonia Erikti



WATER POLO

Water Polo is a game which needs team work and it also needs to use your mind. You must listen to your coach to become better. Polo wants you to work hard to practice every day and it also wants you to watch water polo matches. That is because if you see a clever move that an older player than you does then you can use it in your game and maybe you score. In addition, polo keeps you fit and strong.

by Theodore Liatsos



TENNIS

My favourite sport is tennis. I like it because it is so fun and I train for the better. Tennis is played with two players, each player must have a racket and at the first period the ball is yellow but in the second and it is orange.

by Alexia

Football
 Football is my favourite sport because if you are in a team you get friends and fans. You may be popular you get strong, you may play a pro so you learn languages and you may get money and trophies
 by Antonis Triantafyllidis

VOLEYBALL

Volleyball is a very popular sport . There are two categories of volleyball

- a] Volleyball and
- b] Beach Volleyball

Beach volleyball is more difficult than volleyball because you are alone and you have to play on the hot sand .In volleyball you have just to be careful if the ball comes towards you because if the ball goes to another direction another player will hit it and get the points .

by Konstantina Zafiratu



OUR FAVOURITE COMPUTER GAME

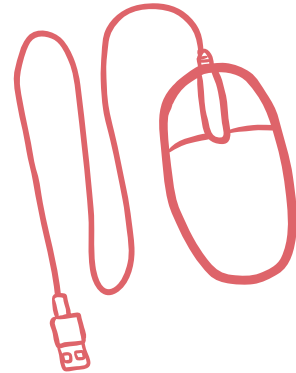
Our favourite computer game is "League of Legends" or LOL. In this game, you have to destroy the nexus and kill the enemies and monsters. The strongest monster is the Baron and after him is the Dragon.

The game is set in "The Twisted Treeline", "Howling Abyss", "The Summoner's Rift" and all this is set in "The Earth of Runes". Of course you have to buy war things and weapons, some of which are: bloodthirster, statistica, AP Statistica, Hydra, Zonias, the Ice fist and Infinitive.

Some of the characters of the game are: Yasuo, Zed, Dreiven, Nidali, Jax, Rengar, Khazix and also lots of other heroes. LOL is a very famous game, maybe it is the most famous computer game in the world! Some of the champions in this game are: Forgiven, Huni, Faker, Bjerssen, Doublefire and Xpeker. All these play in the best teams in this game which are SKT T1, Fanatic, G2, OG, Super Massive, RNG, TSM. Nowadays these teams play in the championship.

That is our favourite game.

by Panagiotis Goudanis & Kostas Sorras



My favourite camp is Rodea. Rodea is near Kababita and it is one hour from Patra. It is located between mountains. In Rodea you can do many things. First of all, you can do lots of sports. For example foot basketball, tennis, swimming, ping pong, hockey, volleyball, cycling, badminton and sky fox. Football, swimming and cycling are my favourite because all of those sports are very exciting and fantastic. We can also play board games like chess, dominoes e.t.c.

Every year, we play a super game which is called "white star". In the beginning all the teams go to the houses and wait. Then they look for stars and for the "white star". Usually then one who finds the "white star" is the winner! The best thing of all is that you do every thing without any supervision

Angelos Alexakis

Stephen
Alerasul Happy Holidays!



HAPPY
SUMMER



Yummy!

Konstantina
Zafeiratos