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Newsletter

Primary Star of the Week

Zeta is a proactive and hardworking girl. She participates actively in the classroom and she is willing to learn, put effort in and tries her best in whatever that she does. Furthermore, she always looks for ways to be helpful during lessons. It has been a pleasure to have Zeta's enthusiasm, positivity and maturity in the class!

Rafflesia International School, Kajang

STAR OF THE WEEK



Zeta Mikaela Yee, Year 4

Term 1, Week 4, September 26th 2020



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Secondary Star of the Week

Ka-Ying is a self-motivated student. She took the initiative to volunteer for being an emcee and performing in the Mid Autumn Festival event. She also has put effort into practising for the upcoming event. This effort is reflected across all her subjects as well, where she is known as a very professional, diligent and motivated student. Well done!

TRADITIONAL VALUES • GLOBAL VISION

STAR OF THE WEEK



Chan Ka-Ying, Year 10

Term 1, Week 4, September 26th 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians,

This week it was wonderful to celebrate our Mid-Autumn Festival with our students. In our celebration, students enjoyed a 'Mooncake pot-luck' and viewed an informative video about the Mooncake Festival in their Homeroom classrooms. This was followed by a short performance programme in the school Lecture Theatre. It was wonderful to be able to do this with our students rather than virtually - with social distancing procedures in place of course. Sadly, we were unable to invite parents to the event due to the restrictions placed on social gatherings. During the programme, we were entertained by some lively and highly engaging performances in the Lecture Theatre which was adorned with beautiful decorations.

Of course, the Mid-Autumn Festival is a time of family reunions and a time of family unity. Whatever our cultural background, we can identify with this will for harmony. In my speech during the celebration, I encouraged students to recognise the distinctive, special qualities of each of their family members. I encouraged them to understand that we carry our family with us; our family members and are always with us even when they are not physically present.

Wishing you a happy, safe time with your families.

Andrew Crompton,
Principal.

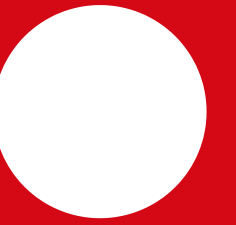
Mid-Autumn Festival Celebration 2020



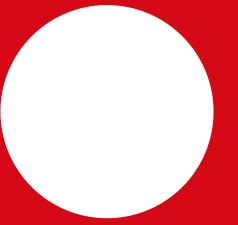
25TH SEPTEMBER
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Mid-Autumn Festival Celebration 2020



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RECEPTION IEYC

APPRECIATING OUR WORLD

We have been learning about the 5 senses in the *This is Me* unit and went on a tour around the school to test our senses. We smelled the leaves, listened to the sounds of vehicles passing by the school; we tried looking at the sun; we tasted our lunch and touched the playground's rubber flooring (we definitely cleaned our hand after our exciting tour!) This was followed by in-class activities.



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Year 3 Art



Year 3R Mid-Autumn Festival Lantern Art



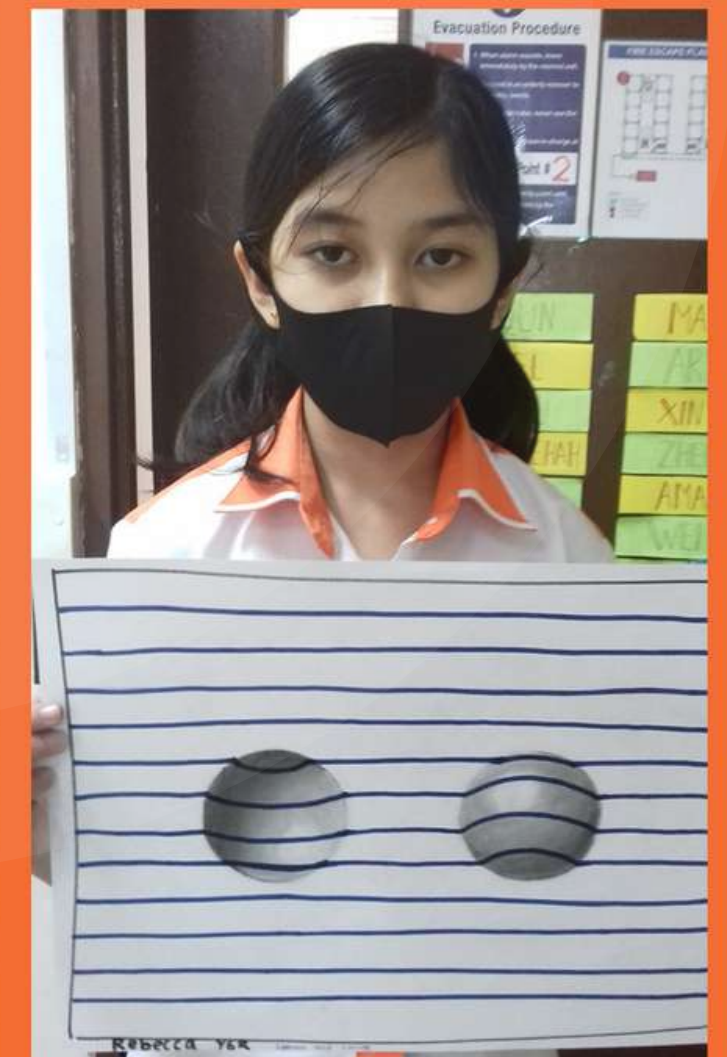
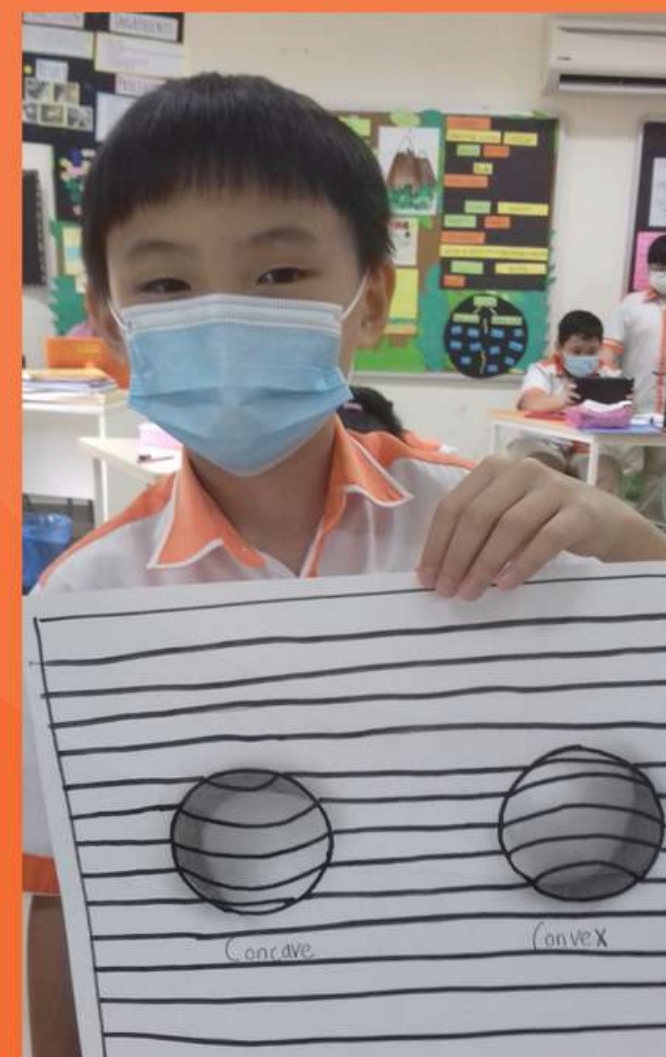
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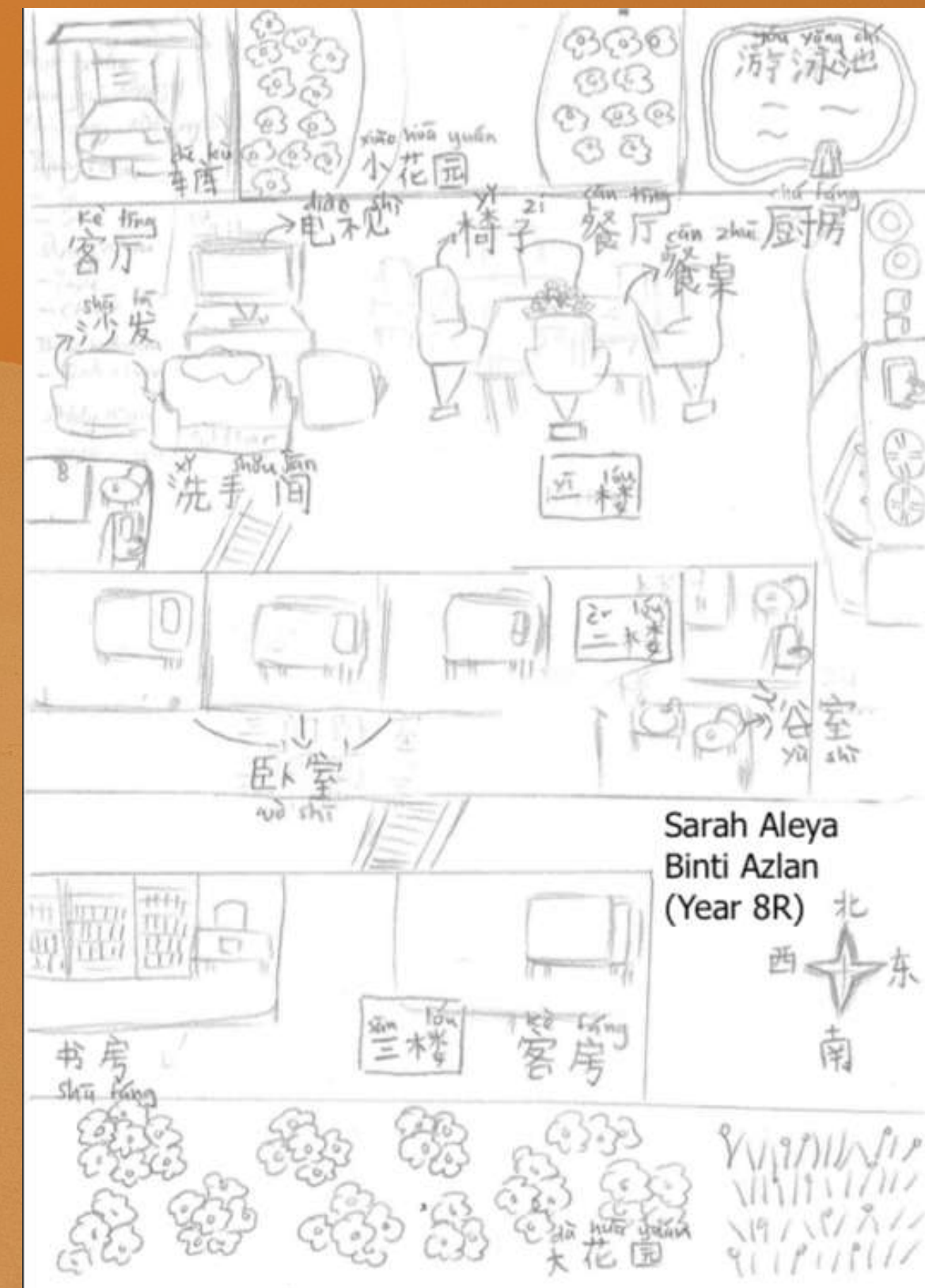


Understanding Curves

Year 6 Art



"During our Mandarin lesson, I learnt about presenting my understanding in another way by drawing what I understand from the text given. I enjoyed drawing it and also learning new words by presenting my drawing." - Sarah Aleya Binti Azlan
from Year 8R



Alumni Adventures

This week we hear from Shalini Jane DeCruz who graduated in 2019 with 8A/A grades and won a Cambridge International Outstanding Learners Achievement Award for achieving the highest score in Malaysia for IGCSE Global Perspectives.*

My journey after graduating from Rafflesia International School in 2019 has been nothing but an adventure. From exploring career options to making college applications to meeting new people, I certainly developed a passion for learning and exploring.

I am currently studying A Levels at HELP International School and will be graduating in July 2021. The subjects I chose to study are Biology, Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics. Science subjects have particularly intrigued me due to their highly experimental nature, even from the time when I was a student at Rafflesia International School. I have also picked up a short research project on epidemiology and genetics to complete by the end of this year. Apart from academics, I enjoy extra curricular activities like hiking, camping, dancing and working with a student-led organisation named Wasteless to carry out projects that aim to reduce plastic waste.

Alumni Adventures

After graduating from HELP International School, I plan to study Medicine. Although the application process is difficult and highly selective, I am determined to do everything I can to ensure that I receive offers to study the course of my dreams and pursue a career as a doctor.


Rafflesia International School has given me countless memories and experiences that I will never forget. I am eternally grateful for being given multiple opportunities to develop as a student. Participating in events and activities and holding leadership roles undoubtedly shaped my character and equipped me with the tools to build my future and pursue my dreams. Studying at Rafflesia International School was truly an experience unlike any other.



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WEEKLY MATHS CHALLENGE

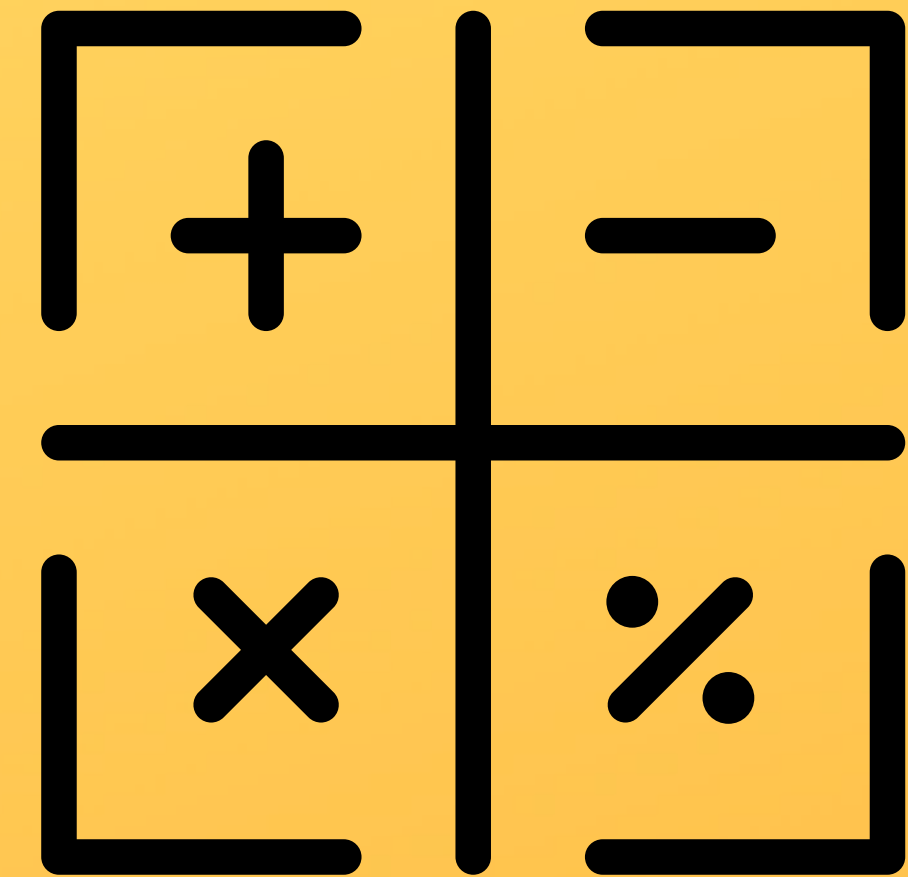
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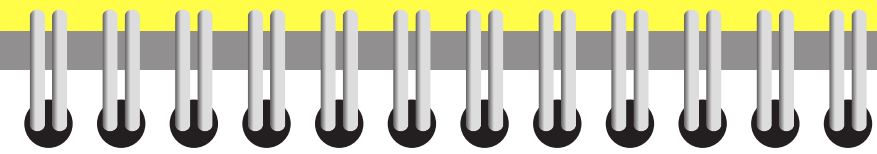
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[Answer for weekly challenge will be revealed next week]



**Answers will
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Answers to the last challenge








Well done to **Annabelle Lee Syin Yee**, Y6, who successfully answered the challenges again and earns academic merit points!

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



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Words of the Week

For Monday 28th september - Friday 2nd October



To improve our knowledge of vocabulary each week we will introduce words for students to try to use in their conversations and in their writing. This week we will introduce a word relating to **traditional values** for our Primary students and a word relevant to **cultural appreciation** for our Secondary students

Primary word of the week:

Fortitude

Meaning: courage in pain or challenging situations

Secondary word of the week:

Aesthetic

Meaning: concerned with beauty or the appreciation of beauty.

Friday 2nd October

- IGCSE Exam Season for Mandarin and Malay begins

Monday 5th-Friday 9th October

- Y10 Checkpoint Examination Week

Tuesday 6th October

- Primary Coffee Morning

Monday 12th October

- World Mental Health Day Talks

