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EDITOR'S NOTE

It has been always a pleasure for a teacher to realize that his or her students are motivated and willing to take action in a project that is not mandatory, not included in the syllabus and most important, will not give extra credits in their assessment. At least, this is what they believe.

It took only a minute to drop the idea of creating a teen magazine and each one of my students knew what they wanted to write about. They were free to choose their topic and to express themselves, so that their writings will not lose the freshness and spontaneity of their age.

However, this eagerness can draw us to some conclusions. First and foremost, students have had enough with typical syllabuses, repeated activities, books deprived of careful planning. Advanced learners are bored, beginners cannot easily find their way to learning. A different lesson awakens them, in fact, working in our computer lab made them lose track of time, they truly believed that it was a fun time and not a real lesson!

Secondly, our children want to cry out, to articulate, to leave their sign in any way, on a paper, - on a desk maybe-on the internet. So, after so many hours of learning English, here we are, eloquent and grammatically correct to show you what we like, be it a Ferrari model or a rap song, we can communicate at last!

Finally, in response to the voices that have something to say against our educational system, or the teachers, or the students, I could repeat one of Anna Freud's quotes: "Creative minds have always been known to survive any kind of bad learning."

P.S. To Alex, Eleni, Jim, Elena, Venia, George, Danae and John
CONGRATULATIONS AND KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!

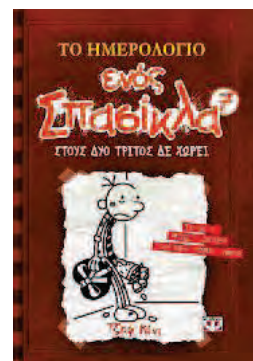
Your English teacher
Eleni Christonasi

A BOOK REVIEW by VENIA MALLIAROU

Romance, hearts, stars, what does all this mean to Greg Helfi? A school dance on St Valentine's Day has brought chaos in his life. Greg is afraid of being alone at this party and tries to find a girl to go together. But not even Raouli, his best friend can find a date, but this is not a relief for Greg.

Suddenly Greg found a beautiful girl to go to the school dance and Raouli is alone. But anything can happen in one evening and in the end you don't know who falls in love with whom and who doesn't!!!

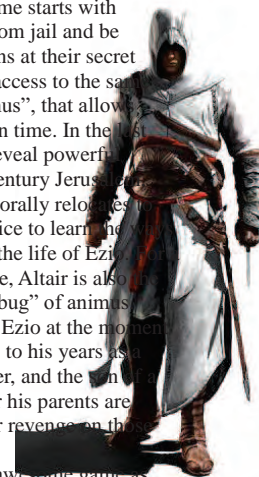
This is the new book entitled "the diary of a nerd" and I recommend reading it. I have and I think it's fantastic!!



ASSASIN'S CREED 2 COMPUTER GAME REVIEW BY JIM MALLIAROS

Assassin's Creed II is a fascinating game. The player plays as Ezio Auditore de Firenze. Assassin's Creed II has evolved from an ill-defined action game into an open world experience. Also the fact that you can buy armor, new outfits and weapons as well as the new monetary system makes it much better than the first one. The game starts with Desmond breaking out from jail and he is introduced to the Assassins at their secret hideout. Here they have access to the same technology, called "Animus", that allowed Desmond to travel back in time. In the game, his brain used to reveal powerful artifacts hidden in 12th century Jerusalem. This time Desmond temporarily relocates to 15th century Italy by choice to learn the ways of the Assassins through the life of Ezio. A very small amount of time, Altair is also the main character due to a "bug" of animus. Players are introduced to Ezio at the moment of his birth. It then jumps to his years as a womanizer, a street fighter, and the son of a wealthy banker. However his parents are executed and he seeks for revenge on those who are to blame.

Assassin's Creed II is an awesome game as you can do whatever you want. You can either move freely in the streets and rooftops, executing assassinations and winning races or you can follow the story and punish the murderers of your family. I can suggest you all play this game and I can ensure that you will have a wonderful time!

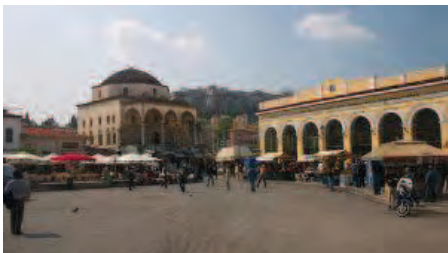


SCHOOL TRIP TO ATHENS

Next month we are planning a trip to Athens. First we will go to the Acropolis museum. The Acropolis museum is an archaeological museum focused on the findings of the archaeological site of the Acropolis of Athens.



After that, we are going to Monastiraki, which is a neighborhood of Athens. It is around of the square and a large part of it is Plaka. The previous name was Monastery which comes from the old church of Athens. There are a lot of shops where you can buy cheap things. There are also a lot of cafes where you can relax and enjoy your drink.



At the end, we might go to the Mall of Athens. There we will buy a lot of clothes, shoes and hats. And then, we will leave Athens and we will go back home.

We will need:

- A guide tour
- Camera to take photos
- Money to buy things
- Mobile Phone
- Backpack to carry our things
- And a lot of energy

This school trip will be the best ever.



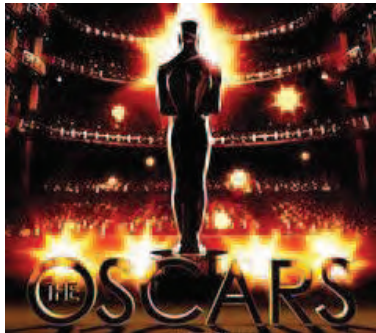
Timetable:

The bus leaves at 6 o'clock from Pteleos to Athens and we are going to arrive at 9 o'clock.

Helen Kaltsouni, Helen Alamanioti, Danae Xiromeriti, Venia Malliarou.

THE OSCARS 2013 by Elena Kaltsouni

The first awards were presented on May 16 1929, with an audience of about 260 people. Fifteen statues were awarded to actors, directors and other personalities of the filmmaking industry.



On the Oscars of 2013 the winners are:

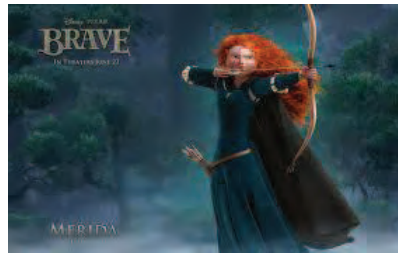
Best picture: "Argo"

Actor-in a leading role: Daniel Day-Lewis

Actress-in a leading role: Jennifer Lawrence

Actor-in a supporting role: Christoph Waltz

Actress-in a supporting role: Anne Hathaway
Animated feature film: "Brave" Brave is a cartoon made by the creators of "Finding Nemo", "Up" and "wall.e". You must watch it.....it is really amazing!...Enjoy!



Cinematography: "Life of Pi" I have to admit that I haven't seen this movie but from what I've heard it is a worth watching film!



Costume design: "Anna Karenina" Anna Karenina is about the passion that two people have and the relationship between the mother and her children.



Directing: "Life of Pi"

Documentary feature: "Searching for Sugar Man" Now, this film is about hope, inspiration and the power of music. It is something like a documentary about a singer's life, in my view I think that music lovers should watch it!

Documentary short: "Inocente" This

documentary talks about a 15 years old homeless immigrant. Inocente is determined to become an artist. I personally think that you guys should see this movie...



Film editing: "Argo"

Foreign language film: "Amour" <Amour> is a French word which means <Love>. This film is about an elderly couple, George and Anne. One day Anne has an attack. The couple's love is slowly being tested.....It's a really moving story that you must see with your "Lover"!!



Makeup and hairstyling: "Les Miserables"

Music-original score: "Life of Pi"

Music-original song: "Skyfall" I strongly believe that " Skyfall" deserved this award because a very talented singer, Adele ,was singing the soundtrack, and no doubt she is an amazing singer!



Production design: "Lincoln"
Short film-animated: "Paperman"



Short film-live action: "Curfew"



Sound editing: "Zero Dark Thirty" & "Skyfall"

Sound mixing: "Les Miserables"

Visual effects: "Life of Pi"

Writing-adapted screenplay: "Argo"

Writing-original screenplay: "Django Unchained"

Thanks for reading my article! I hope you liked it! ;)

Djean Whitney is a young American girl, who likes writing poems. I think she is very talented and her poem about friendship means something to me. She has dyslexia but that is not a problem in making beautiful poems, she has nice ideas and we could only correct her spelling mistakes.

By Helen Alamanioti

Friendship Is and Can Be

My friend is all of these!

Friendship is to trust
Friendship is having the kindness to help
Friendship is giving to others without thinking
Friendship is being there when someone need you
Friendship can be just a smile that brightens your day
Friendship is giving more than you expect to receive
Friendship is listening
Friendship is offering your opinion when you think you need to
Friendship can be many things
Friendship is different for everyone
Friendship could be holding a hand for support
Friendship is lending your shoulder to cry on
Friendship is mellow
Friendship is giving back
Friendship is only taking that what you need
Friendship can be that voice of reason you give
Friendship could also be a boost of encouragement when it's needed
Friendship stands the test of time
Friendship is show in many different ways
Friendship can be everlasting
Friendship is not always an easy thing
Friendship is hard to break apart
Friendship is strong
Friendship should never be taken for granted
Friendship is meant to be shared with all
Friendship is free and rewarding to share
Friendship can be unforgettable
Friendship is priceless to many
Friendship is a secret never to be told
Friendship is not having to say sorry but do
Friendship is not judging no matter what
Friendship is to share, the joy and the fear
Friendship is someone to run too when things are tough
Friendship is a hand to hold when things are so rough
Friendship is someone to laugh with not at you
Friendship is just knowing they are there
Friendship is very personal
Friendship is all of these things and many more
This is are how I see friendship
To have a true Friend is the best thing to achieve
We all have one but it may take a very long time to find them.

Djean Whitney

Cher Lloyd – Oath

Yo, my best friend, best friend til the very end

Cause best friends, best friends don't have to pretend

You need a hand, and i'm right there right beside you

You in the dark, i'll be the bright light to guide you

'Member the times, times, times sneaking of the house

All of the times, times, times that you had the doubts

And don't forget all the trouble we got into
We got something you can't undo, do

Laughing so damn hard
Crashed your dad's new car
All the scars we share
I Promise, I swear

Wherever you go, just always remember
That you got a home for now and forever
And if you get low, just call me whenever
This is my oath to you

Wherever you go, just always remember
You never alone, we're birds of a feather
And we'll never change, no matter the weather
This is my oath to you

I know I drive you crazy, mm, sometimes
I know I called you lazy, and that's most times

But you complete me, and that's no lie
You are my tuxedo, and i'm your bow tie
We in the car, sing, sing, singing our song
Rocking the building, tear it down, like we king kong

And in my eyes, you can't do, do no wrong

You got the best friends sing, sing along

Laughing so damn hard
Crashed your dad's new car
All the scars we share
I Promise, I swear

Wherever you go, just always remember
That you got a home for now and forever

And if you get low, just call me whenever
This is my oath to you

Wherever you go, just always remember
You never alone, we're birds of a feather
And we'll never change, no matter the weather
This is my oath to you

I'll never let you go
Woah, this is my oath to you
Just thought that you should know
Woah, this is my oath to you

Yeah...
Wherever you go, just always remember
That you got a home for now and forever
And if you get low, just call me whenever
This is my oath to you

Wherever you go, just always remember
You never alone, we're birds of a feather
And we'll never change, no matter the weather
This is my oath to you

You should know, you should know, you should know
Woah, this is my oath to you
You never alone, we're birds of a feather
Woah, this is my oath to you.



A DREAM OF EVERY MAN

The Gallardo SE is a limited edition of 250 units introduced in 2005. It is distinguished from the regular Gallardo externally by having a black-roof. All pipes and stitches on the ultra-quality leather have the same color as the bodywork of the car. The floor mats are black and red. It also has a rear-view camera, multimedia and navigation system, the sport suspension and an exclusive cover. The optional E-gear transmission, came with a new function, 'thrust' mode, this feature automatically revs the car to 5,000 rpm, drops the clutch engaging all four wheels in a controlled burnout, and ensures that the car performs maximum acceleration.



By John Kalatzis

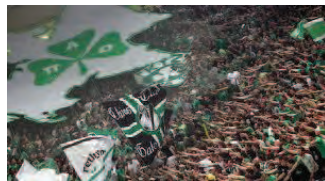
THE ETERNAL ENEMIES IN THE GREEK FOOTBALL

OLYMPIAKOS AND PANATHINAIKOS ARE TWO OF THE BEST TEAMS IN THE GREEK FOOTBALL. BOTH OF THEM HAVE A HUGE HISTORY WITH A LOT OF CUPS AND BIG WINS IN THE EUROPE LEAGUE AND THE CHAMPIONS LEAGUE. OLYMPIAKOS HAS MORE CUPS AND MORE CHAMPIONSHIPS THAN PANATHINAIKOS AND COUNTS MORE WINS.



SOME OF THE BIGGEST SCORES ARE:

**OLYMPIAKOS vs PANATHINAIKOS 2-8
PANATHINAIKOS vs OLYMPIAKOS 1-6**

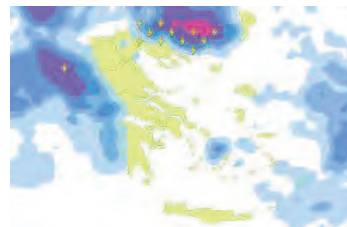


**PANATHINAIKOS WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1908
OLYMPIAKOS WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1925.**

BY GEORGE PAPARGIRIS

THE WEATHER THIS WEEK

The weather today will be sunny with a few clouds. Tomorrow it will be sunny all day. Wednesday is a rainy day but in the afternoon it will be cloudy. Thursday will be a hot day because the temperature is going to be 30. Friday will be a windy and sunny day.



By Alex Pardalos

FUN PAGE

FIND 10 PARTS OF THE HUMAN BODY:

W	R	L	E	G	C	S	H	H
F	O	O	T	A	A	D	A	E
E	A	R	G	H	T	M	N	A
A	E	Y	E	G	F	U	D	D
B	N	O	S	E	H	H	J	S
M	O	U	T	H	A	K	R	I
F	I	N	G	E	R	P	I	T
S	H	O	U	L	D	E	R	S

BY JOHN KALATZIS

ART
CAN YOU TELL THE
DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A
PRICELESS AND A
WORTHLESS PAINTING?
WHY DO WE LIKE ONE
AND WHY DO WE HATE
ANOTHER?
OUR TEAM CHOSE THEIR
FAVORITE ONES.
WHICH ONE IS YOUR
FAVORITE?

"The Kiss"

In 1967 Picasso painted a series of three pictures on the theme of "The Kiss" .Pablo Picasso was born in Mlaga, Spain on the 25th of October 1881.



By Helen Kaltsouni

THE FACE OF WAR

My favorite painting is called "The Face of War" and it is a work of Salvador Dali. It was painted between the end of the Spanish Civil War and the beginning of the Second World War. The view of war was an inspiration for Dali's work.

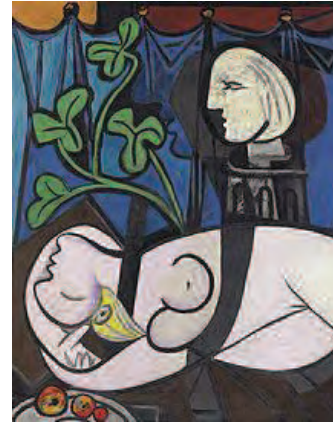
The painting depicts a face in the middle of the desert. In its mouth and eyes there are identical faces. In their eyes and mouths there are other identical faces and this is continued. Around the face there are snakes biting it. In the lower right corner there is a hand print that Dali insisted was left by his own hand. I like this painting because the way it is painted makes it look just like if it was real. Moreover it depicts the horror and terror of war as well as the effect it has on people life. Finally, the fact that Dali's own hand print exists on the painting makes it even more lively, impressive and interesting. In my opinion it is a very successful painting.



By JIM MALLIAROS

Nude, greenleavesandbust

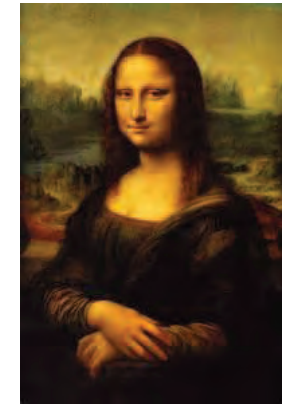
This painting is Pablo Picasso's. It was at his collection at Los Angeles. It was the second highest prize in the world that someone paid for a painting. The painting was sold at Christies in New York. I like this painting because it has a lot of colors.



Danai Xiromeriti

MONA LISA

THE MONA LISA IS ONE OF THE MOST FAMOUS PAINTINGS IN OUR WORLD. IT WAS A CREATION OF LEONARDO DA VINCI. FOR ME, THIS PAINTING MEANS A LOT BECAUSE A FEW YEARS AGO, MY GRANDMOTHER GAVE ME A SMALLER VERSION OF THAT PAINTING. ALSO IT'S KNOWN FOR THE DA VINCI CODE, WHO WAS BROKEN FROM SOME AMERICAN SCIENTISTS. WHEN THEY TOLD THE GOVERNMENT ABOUT THEIR ACHIEVEMENT, THE GOVERNMENT WENT CRAZY AND WANTED TO LEARN HOW THEY DID IT. NOWADAYS, THE MONA LISA IS AN EXHIBIT IN THE LOUVRE.



BY John Kalatzis

GUERNICA

This is one of the most famous paintings by Pablo Picasso, and it's regarded as a national treasure in Spain. The black, grey and white image describes a horrible event in the Spanish Civil War, the bombing of the Basque town of Guernica. Civilians suffered greatly during this bombing, and Picasso's painting shows terror and despair.

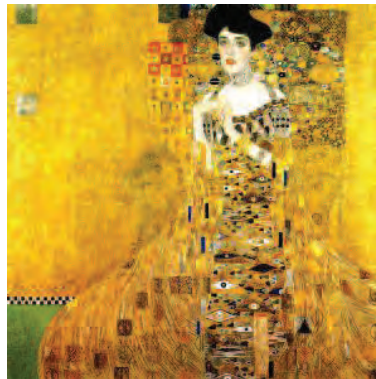


BY ALEX PARDALOS

Gustav Klimt

The title is *Adele Block-Bauer's Portrait*. The date that this portrait made was in 1907. It was made by oil and golden and silver foil on canvas. The dimensions are 140 x 140 cm. The paintings initially belonged to the Block-Bauer couple. It was confiscated by the Nazi, and bought by the Modern Galleries Vienna in 1941. In 2006, a court decision attributed the ownership of the painting to *Maria Altman*, the niece of the Block-Bauer's. She sold the painting for 135 million dollars to Ronald Lauer, who transferred it to the *Neue Gallery* in New York City.

I chose this portrait because for me it is one of a kind. The woman in this portrait shows some feelings like sadness and misery. Also, it is attractive because the picture has an impressive yellow colour and also combines different vivid colours.



By Helen Alamanioti

Café Terrace at Night, also known as *The Cafe Terrace on the Place du Forum*, is a coloured oil painting executed by the Dutch artist *Vincent van Gogh* made in 1888 in France. I chose that painting because it has a lot of different striking colours. It depicts a café in the middle of a square maybe in a village in France. There are also some people sitting and walking near it. Moreover it is night without clouds and someone can see the stars. The streets are made of stones. The whole scenery seems to be very romantic.



by George Papargiris!

DANSEUSE A LA BARRE IS THE TITLE OF THE PAINTING AND IT IS PAINTED BY FERNARNTO BOTERO. THE PAINTING WAS MADE IN 2001. THE PAINTING PICTURED A LITTLE FAT WOMAN WHO IS DOING BALLET!! BUT SOMETHING WHICH MADE AN IMPRESSION IS THAT SHE IS SO FAT BUT SHE CAN PUSH UP HER LEG VERY HIGH. ALSO HER POSITION IS VERY GOOD!!! .I THINK THE ARTIST WANTS TO SAY "EVERYONE CAN DANCE EVEN THOSE A LITTLE FATTER" IN ADDITION I SAW BOTERO ALWAYS PAINTS FAT PEOPLE BECAUSE ALL THE OTHER PEOPLE MAKE JOKES ABOUT THEM!!!! I WANT TO HAVE THIS PAINTING...



MALLIAROY VENIA.

MONTHLY HOROSCOPE



ARIES

Your everyday life is going to be so much better. You want to spend time with your friends and your family. But you are going to meet new people who are going to make you happy. Your ideas are very good, and you are going to make your life so much better.



TAURUS

This month you are going to have new opportunities which will change your life. Until the end of the month you are going to do whatever you want.

GEMINI

This month, you must think very well before you do something, especially at your job. Your relationship will go very well.



CANCER

From the first days of this month you will be nervous. Someone or something is putting you so much pleasure. Your social life will become so much better. Take care of your safety. Enjoy your friendship and your romance.



LEO

Your month is starting with a lot of opportunities and a lot of great things will happen on you. Your sociality will be so much better and have a lot of fun. You should do the changes you want to improve your life. You won't get bored at all.

VIRGO

This month a lot of disclosures will happen that will make you happy. Your everyday life is becoming better. But you must take care of yourself.



LIBRA

This month don't lose touch with reality. Be careful because you will be in trouble. You might go on a trip.

SAGITTARIUS



Your life is going to be better. You must deal with your job. You want to make relationships which will help you face your problems.

CAPRICORN



You will do a lot of changes which will help you with your family. Let yourself dream for a while. It is time to be a little bit crazy.



AQUARIUS

This month will be difficult for you. You must stay patient and you must make a timetable. Your economic status and your job will become better.



PISCES

This month you will have a lot of understanding in your relationship and that will be great. Your economics will take off!!!

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