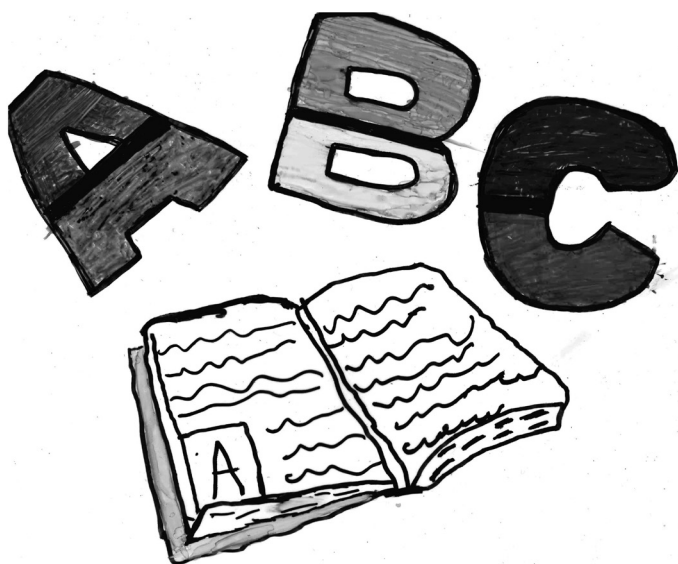


How To Be Me

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MS. FORZLEY'S CLASS

I Saw A Possum

Lewis Williams

I saw a possum
this morning
looking for food.

Then it ran
from my three dogs.

Then it played dead.

My dogs knew
it wasn't
dead they
were out-
smarting
it!

Then my
dogs went
to sleep.

If possums
could talk
this one would say,
"Hehehe, bye,
sleepy heads!"

I Have Grown Up

Nadia Smith

I used to have a lot of
pets. But now I have no pets.
I used to be a marshmallow. But now
I am a cake. I used to be younger.
But now I am older. I used to have
no school. But now I have school.
I used to be in a crib. But now I
have a bed. I used to have baby toys.
But now I have board games. I used
to eat everything. But now I don't.
I used to stick
with my mom. But now I stick
with Dad.

Turtle

Morgan Harris

I used to have a turtle but
I stepped on its shell
But now I hate turtles
I used to hate myself
But now I don't
I used to eat dumplings
But now I eat orange chicken
I used to like dolls
But now I take their heads off
I used to be alone
But now I'm not
I used to think I'm worthless
But now I don't

Gold

Caleb Brown

Gold is the color of
earrings and gold is the
color of necklaces and
rings, gold is the color
of clothes and shoes and
the man up in the sky.
And words are gold.
Gold is the love for my family and
the fun things I like to do and
what makes me feel like me.

Colorful Cyan

Roberto Martinez

Cyan is not very popular
But I think it looks nice
It gives me the strength to believe
I feel like a leader
When I see that color
I see my friends in the cyan
And figure that they are real friends
Although cyan, turquoise, and aqua look similar
Cyan is still the best.
Though cyan is not everywhere
I see it on everything
I love cyan
But it's not on donuts
It's not on cars
Even though I love this color
It's still colorful cyan.

MS. YU'S CLASS

The Granola Poem

Aiyendae Faulkner

I saw myself eating cereal
and watching Fortnite and getting ready
to go to school. I was eating granola it tasted
sweet and crunchy. It sounded like satisfying rocks
falling down. It looked like a beige rock, it smelled good,
it felt like a soft and hard rock.

Soggy Waffles

Myesha Johnson

I saw myself eating blueberry
waffles and watching
YouTube. I put the waffles
in the toaster and when
I got them out they were
soft and crunchy at the
same time. I put syrup
on my waffles. They were
soggy but I still ate
them because I didn't want
to waste them. They smelled
good and tasted great.
When I tasted them,
I liked them.

Cold Vs Ice

Mariah Lawson

I am cold as an ice block
 cold as the Atlantic
 warm as a desert
Cold as ice
Warm as iced tea
 Hair as long as Pocahontas.

Learning How To Do Stretches

Semaj Gibson

When I was three I knew how to
put my foot in my hand
and when I was five I kept doing it
and then when I was seven
I knew how to climb the walls.

How To Win In Chess

Mariah Crawford

1. Make a plan that will work
2. Play it
3. Checkmate