

KINDERGARTEN

1st Place: Aiden Situ
Cinquain

Tiger

Scary, big
Jumping, walking, chasing
Lives in the forest
Wild cat



2nd Place: Camilla Segura
Haiko



Bees

Flies around flowers
They fly in the woods and
forest
Live in colonies

3rd Place: Cadence Chen
Cinquain

Sister

Sweet, playful
Skipping, walking, running
She makes me happy
Sibling



1st GRADE

1st Place: Kayleigh Cam
Cinquain

Son

Goes down at night time
It shines brightly everyday
All the time it's hot



2nd Place: Ella McGeuna
Haiko



Bird

I fly in the sky
I circle around my prey
I eat worms and drink

3rd Place: Saida Samatova
Cinquain

Human

Smart, strong
Playing, living, eating
All over the world
Man



2nd GRADE

1st Place: Matthew Pinter
Cinquain



Grandma
Sweet, happy
Cooking, hugging, planning
Loving with her heart
Nanna

1st Place: Jonathan Fuentes
Cinquain

Dad
Clean, dirty
Runs, works, cooks
My dad makes money
Father

SOME
Super
Heroes
Don't have
CAPES...
They are
called **DAD**

2nd Place: Ryan Winslow
Haiku

River
Water quiet stream
Reflects light from the sun's
rays
Quiet and peaceful



3rd Place: Arin Barraza
Rhyming Couplet



Mouse
I saw a mouse
She had a house

She wasn't tall
She was very small

She hid around the corner
To go find her owner

3rd GRADE

1st Place: Heena Patel
Rhyming Couplet

Tiny Mouse

I saw a tiny brown mouse
It was strolling through the house

The mouse was spotted by the cat
But, the cat got stuck in the hat

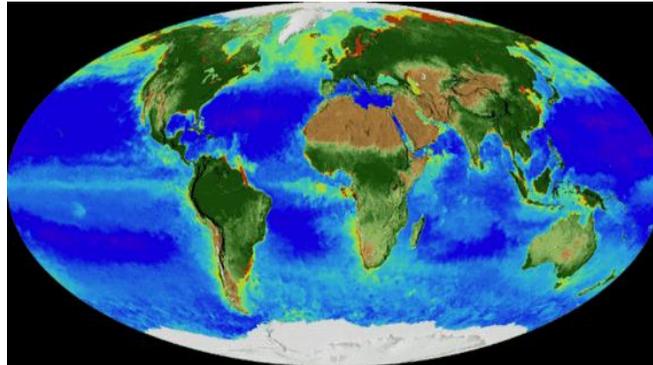
Then the mouse started to run
This didn't look like it was fun

The cat hit his head
Then he went to bed

Poor little mouse
He ran out of the house



2nd Place: Gabriel Gonzales
Haiku



Earth

People live on this
There are seven continents
It is home to life

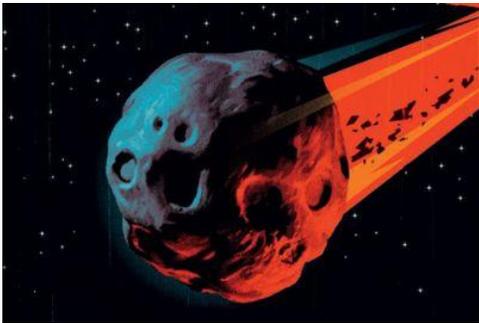
3rd Place: Kayla Muramatsu
Cinquain

Friends

Great, amazing
Working, playing, running
Stick with you forever
Amigos



1st Place: Temour Samatov
Quatrain



Asteroids to the Earth

Burning up in the mesosphere
Breaking away as chunks of rock
Nickel and iron trapped in a block
Destroyed in the atmosphere

Falling away from the asteroid belt
Coming to Earth is a large asteroid
Its presence can be felt
All over the incredible world

As the mesosphere burns it up
Chunks smash with a pop
And the city is constantly being trashed
Cars and huts are getting smashed

The rocky hail leaves quickly as it came
But the damage has been done
Now that they are looking at the sun
And the asteroid got its fame.

4th GRADE

2nd Place: Amber Koo
Limerick



A Cooking Sock

There was once a sock
He lived under a rock
He liked this one book
It taught him how to cook
But the other socks would always mock

Until there was a cooking show
All the socks wanted to go
All the socks thought they would win
Until the sock came running in
That sock would get the winning toe!

The sock first made a delicious soup
That made the judges say whoop-whoop!
The sock memorized that huge thing
That made him cook with one fast ping
The other socks wanted to group

But the sock turned all of them down
Hoping he would get the cooking crown
But the sock had done some math
He still went down that path
Let's just say that day that sock was not
the clown



3rd Place: Addison Hitchcock
Rhyming Couplet



Owls

Owls are awake at night
They have good hearing and eyesight

Rodents make the perfect prey
Snatching them at the speed of a ray

They do not like the light
It will affect their sight

Can you hear how silently they fly
As they dash through the night sky?

They are night birds and not day birds
From my house, their hoot can be heard

Some of them have so-called "horns"
They look like soft, feathery thorns

Every time they catch a mouse
They bring it to a tree near my house

Every night I like to watch them fly
Under the gleaming moon and through the
night sky

1st Place: Christopher Stephens
Rhyming Couplet

My School

I go to a school called Oneonta Montessori
You'll learn all about it as you read this story

It is an elementary school from
preschool to sixth grade
A good place to go where beautiful artworks
have been made

Starting in third grade you'll be taught
fractions and their parts
And you will learn other subjects too,
like cultural arts

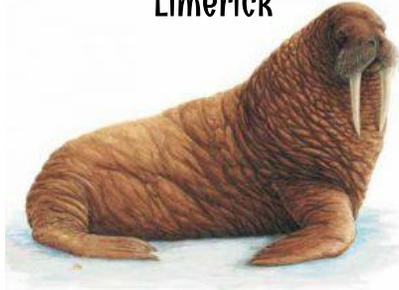
There is a daycare program and it's
absolutely great
So don't worry if your parents
most work late

We have many contests such
as the Spelling Bee
There is a Science Fair too,
and one for Poetry

You're really missing out if you
don't come here
On wonderful things that may happen all
throughout the year.



5th GRADE
2nd Place: Kira Moramatsu
Limerick



Chob Chob the Walrus

Chob chob lives in the snowy cold
He could lift a truck load
He is brown like a bear
And does not look like a snowshoe hare
And he is very very bold

One day Chob Chob went to a ship
And thought it would be good to lick
He saw the place it was a wreck
But he was brave and he went to check
And on his way he found a chip

Chob Chob went to the wheel
He tired to bend down, but he couldn't kneel
He tried to figure out how to fix this thing
But in the controls he found a ring
And he found a baby seal

He stared at the big rim
And in the ship he found a red gym
Next thing he knows he hit a rock
And on the rock he found a lock
Then he was bored and sang a hymn

He started the ship with his tosk
And on the wheel he found some rust
He said "I love you" to his icy home
And he snacked on a snow cone
He said "bye" and left his home in the dust



3rd Place: Aliyah Kirby
Quatrain

Neverland

This place is in the sky
If you want to get there you need to fly
I know this place is in fairy tales
It is so beautiful, it never even fails

Neverland is a nice place
Even better than a girl with the most
prettiest face
If I could go there
I would probably meet the friendliest
bear

I've heard stories about this place
So I put it on my phone case
I've also heard about Peter Pan
How he never turned into a man

Neverland has lots of cool things
Like one hundred diamond rings
You can see mermaids
Wearing long French braids

I've read a Neverland book
About Captain Hook
You need to get there with a key
I would want to go there but again
that's just me!



1st Place: Laura Cheang
Quatrain

Mom

She inspires me to do my best
Makes sure I get lots of rest
Tells me not to let words get me down
Always knows what to say when I frown

Shows me right from wrong
Has been in my life for so very long
She is always thinking about me
Helps me up if I've fallen or scraped a knee

Always spends time with me
Reminds me not everything is free
She'll take care of me if I get sick
If I'm feeling sad, she'll notice real quick

Having a family, job, home and making money
Most of the food she makes is yummy
Always telling me to clean my room
Making sure I use a broom

My Mom loves me a lot
Dropping me off in the school parking lot
The remaining time before I leave to college is
very few
I hope she knows I love her too

One
Fabulous
Mom

6th GRADE

2nd Place: Ray Stein
Rhyming Couplet



Dogs

Dogs come in many shapes and sizes
To find one right for you is what my advice is

Some dogs could be big, some dogs could be small
Some could be short and some could be tall

Dogs like to run, play and love to eat treats
They can be very kind, gentle and sweet

Dogs are a great companion
And are presumed as the best friend of man

Even if they choose squirrels and sometimes a cat
They are still very friendly as a matter of fact

Some can be scary but most are adorable
Harming a dog would be just horrible

It's great to go and walk your dog
Some are very smart and can even guide you
through fog

In closing remarks dogs are a great pet
If you got one you would love it I bet

3rd Place: Oralis Ward
Rhyming Couplet

Moth

Once there was a yommy moth
Who had some style like goth

She flew with her majestic wings
Flew past the three kings

The poor moth flies around
Then hits the hard ground

She got hurt and fell on the floor
With a bump and a big sore

She knew she was in danger
And might be picked up by a stranger

She has to get up
Before she gets eaten by a little pup

She knew her time was an end
But then she saw a boy who'd get tend

As she tries to get better
All she needs is a snuggle and a soft sweater

