

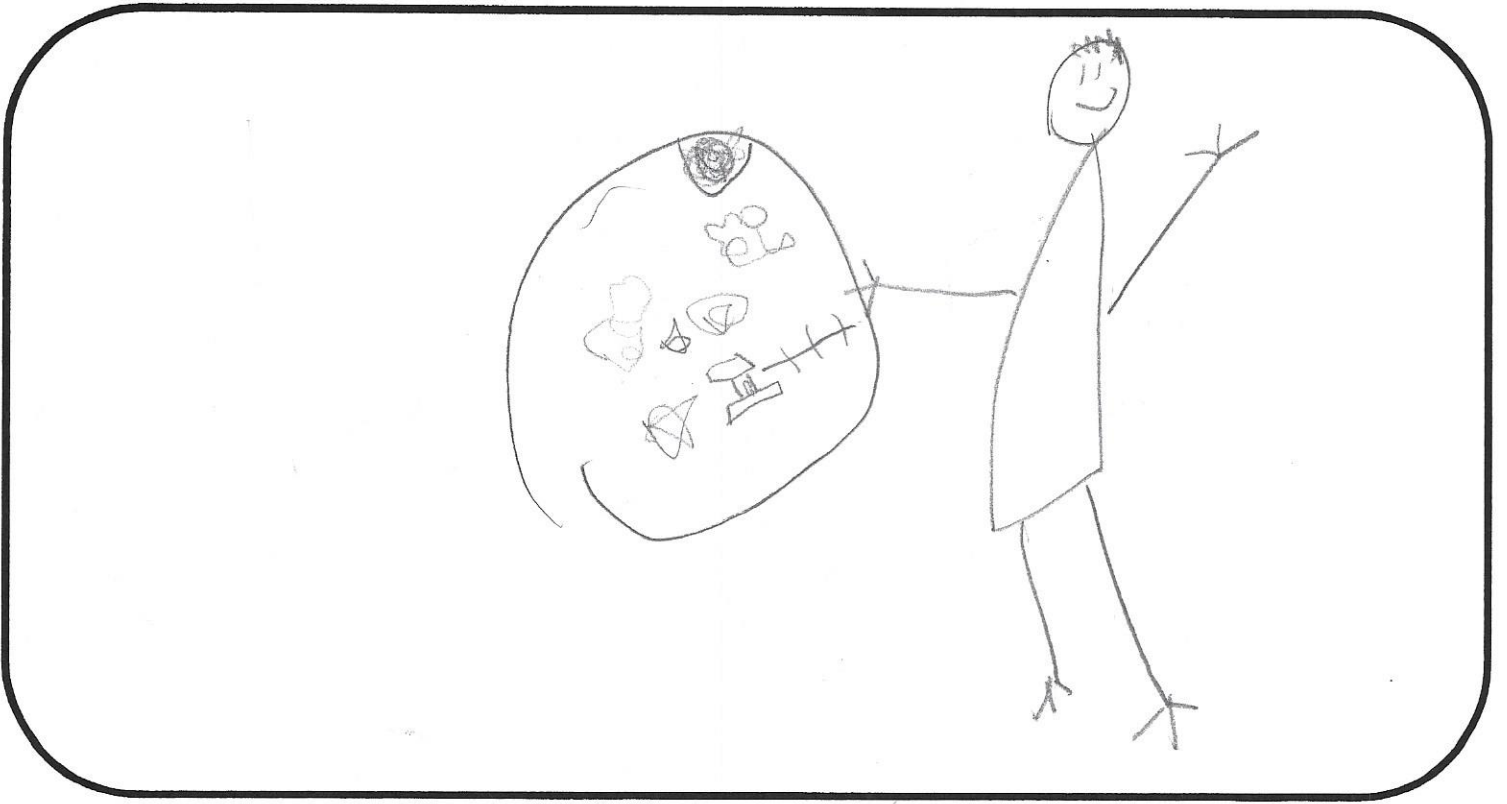
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December 1880, 2025

Dear MIZARA,

Thank you



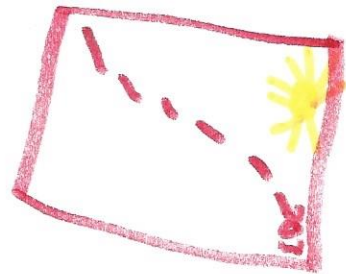
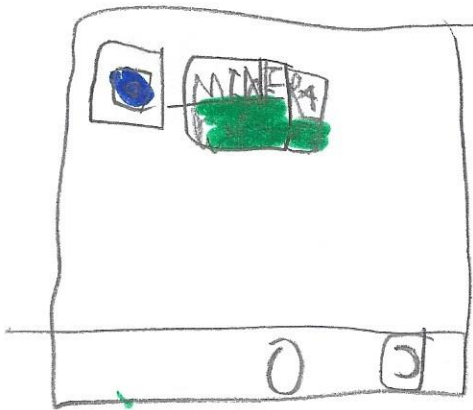
From,

MIZARA

December 17, 2025

Dear MVAF,

Thank you



From,

Colton

December 17, 2025

Dear MVARA,

Thank you.



From,

Aiden

December 18, 2025

Dear MARA,

Thank you.



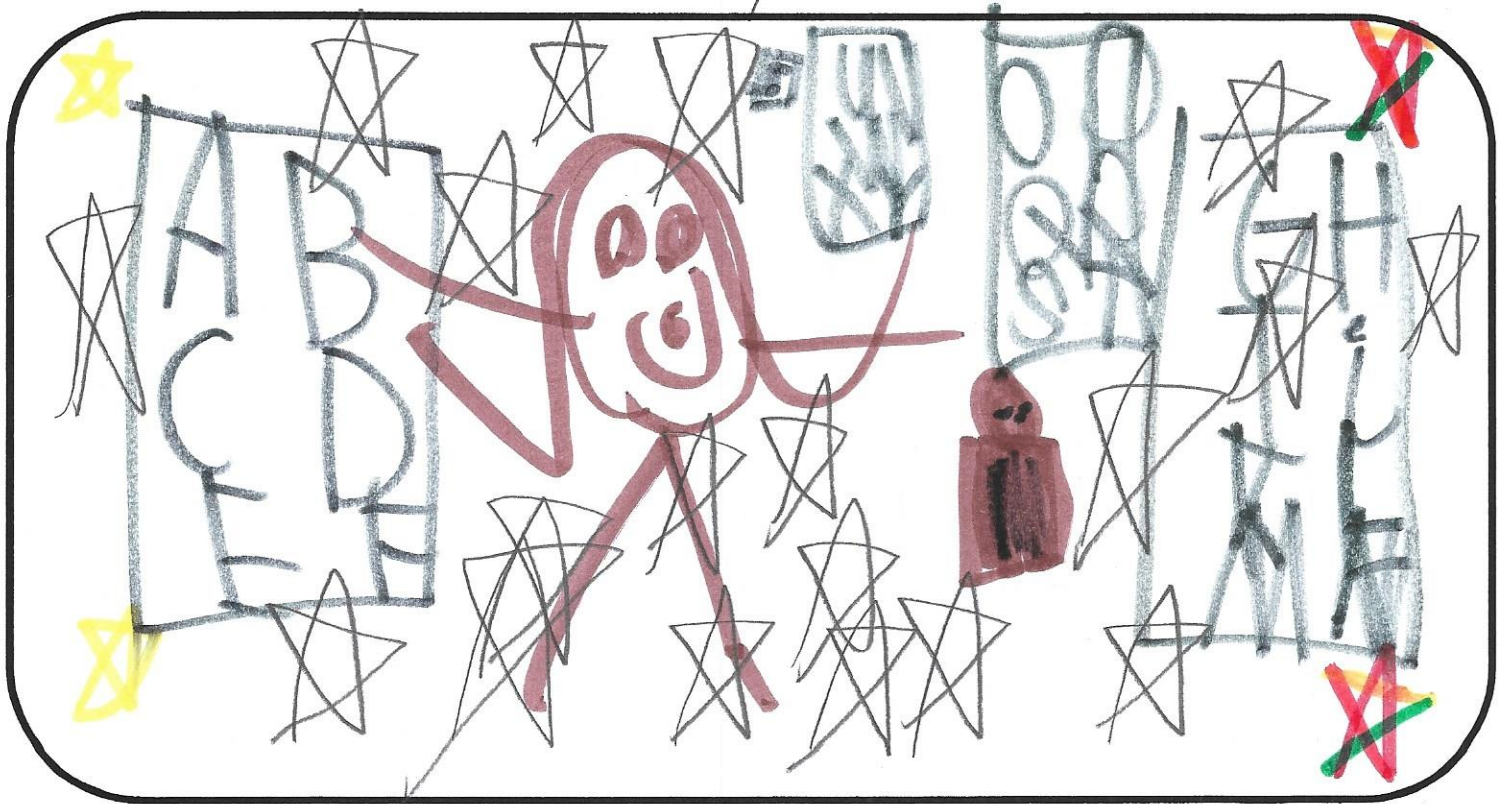
From,

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December 18, 2025

Dear M V A R A,

Thank you.



From,

Sloane

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Dear MVARA,

I thank you.



From,

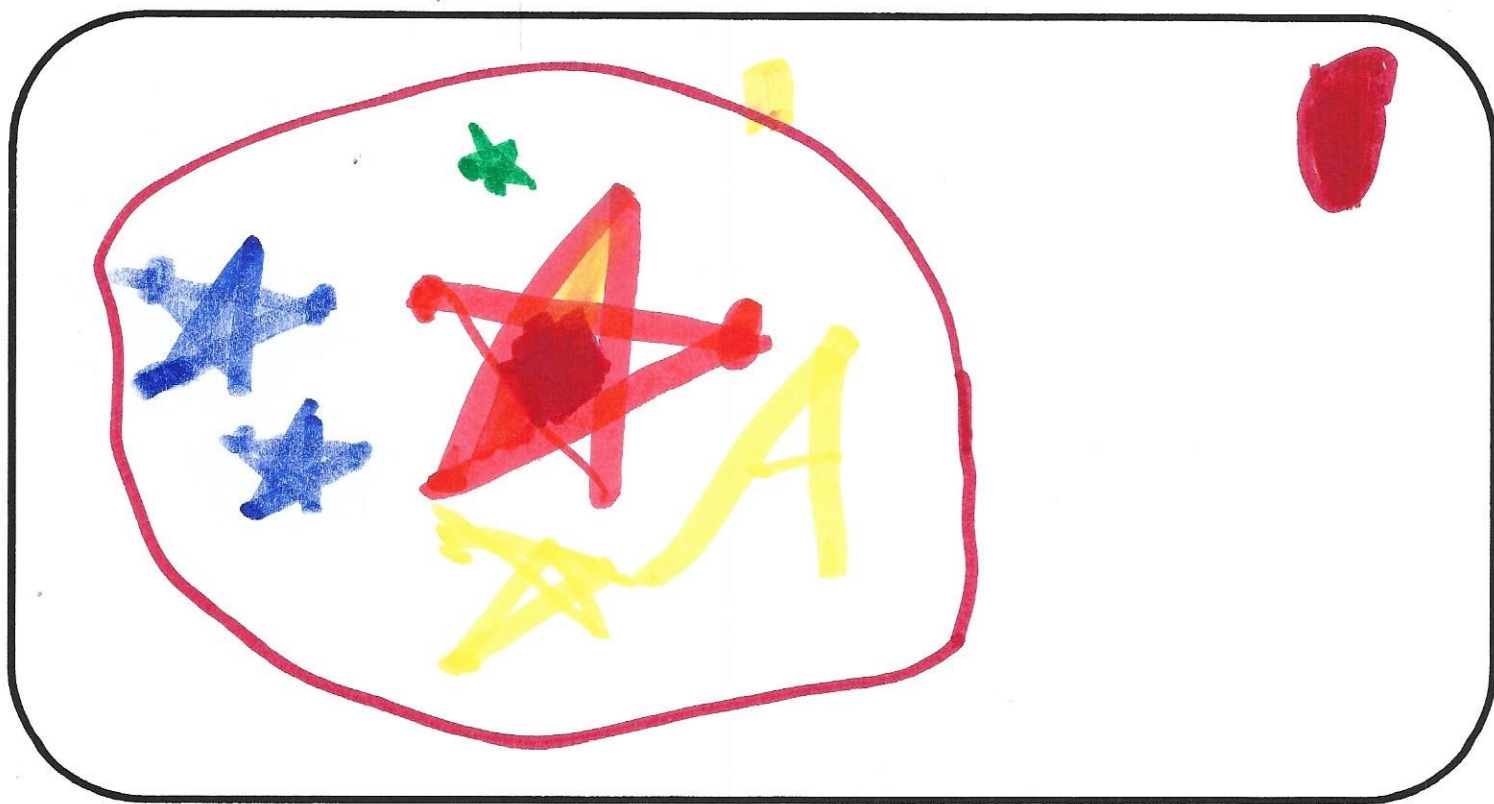
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December 18, 2025

Dear MBARA,

THANK YOU



From,



EGSTONS

December 18, 2025

Dear MVARA,

THANK YOU



From,

JO VIE

December 18, 2025

Dear MVARA,

Thank you.



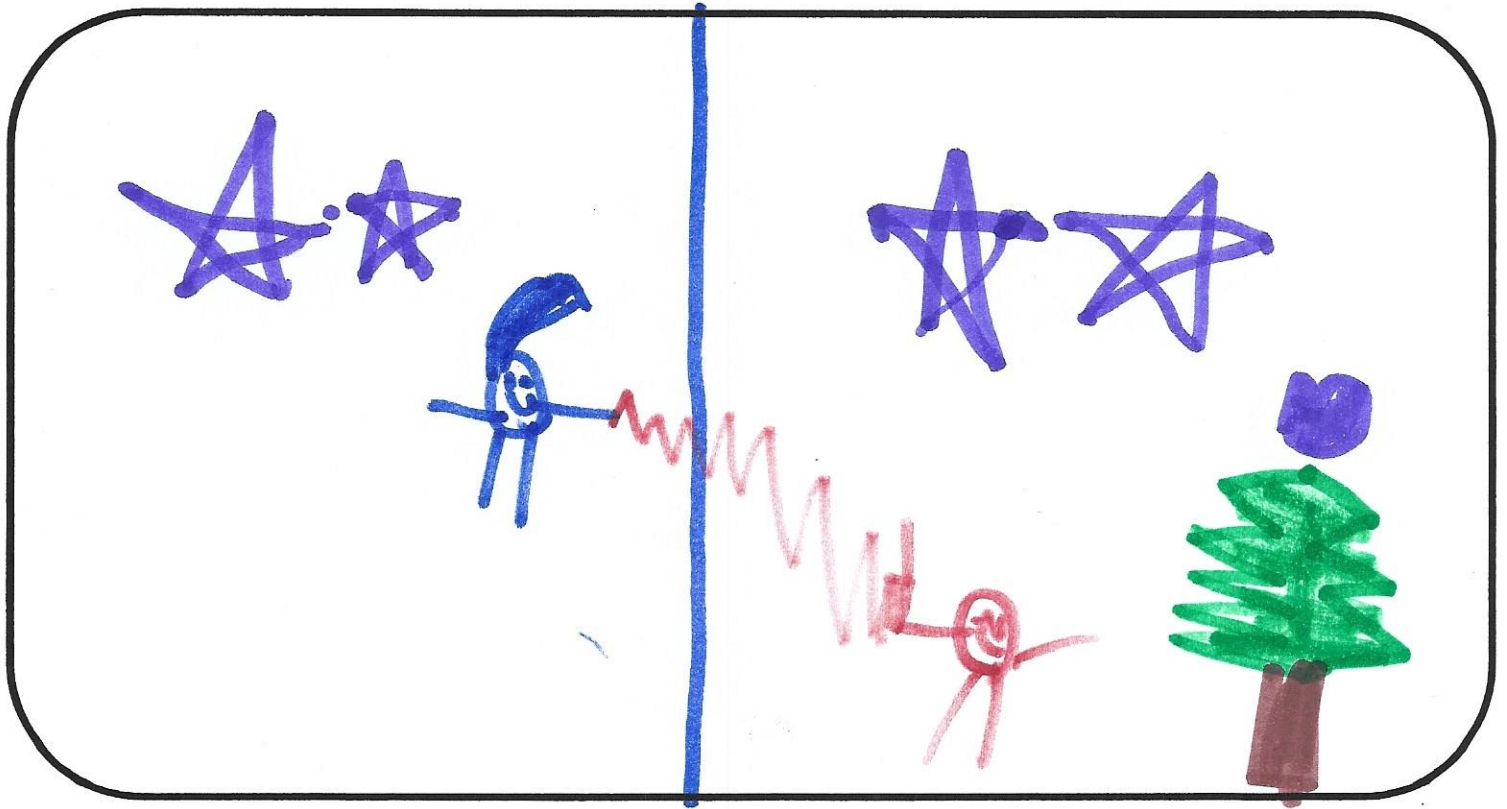
From,

Winter

December 18, 2025

Dear MVAR,

Thank you.



From,

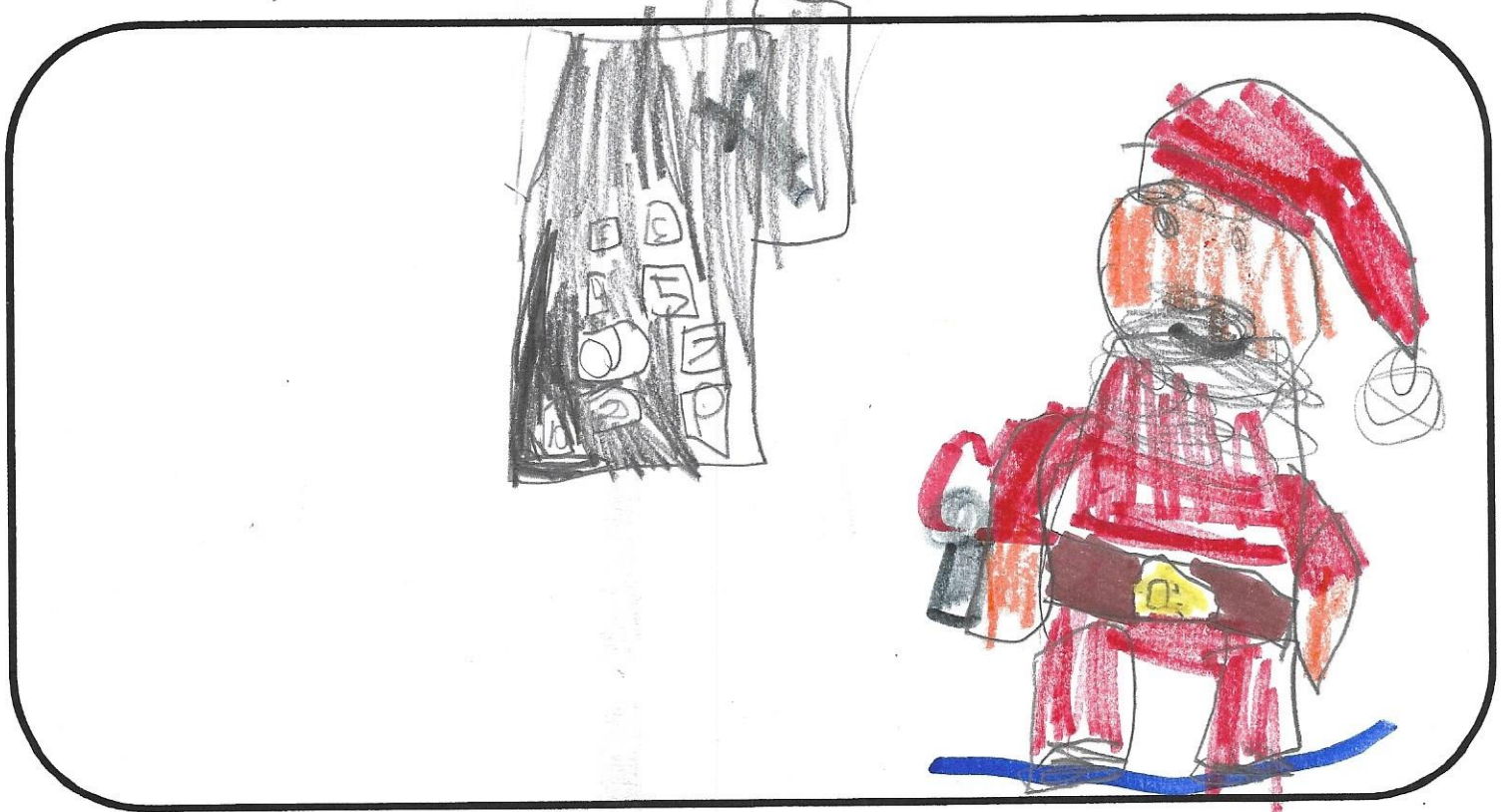
Knight A

December 18, 2025

Dear MARIA,



I love you



From,



Rosalie

December 18, 2025

Dear MVARA,

Thank you.



From,

Audrina

December 18, 2025

Dear MvARA,

Thank you.



From,

Sofia

Thank you MVARA!!!!

Thank you for coming and
teaching us about radio and
communication.

All the stuff you taught us was
So Cool!!!!

I really liked the morse code
station!!!!

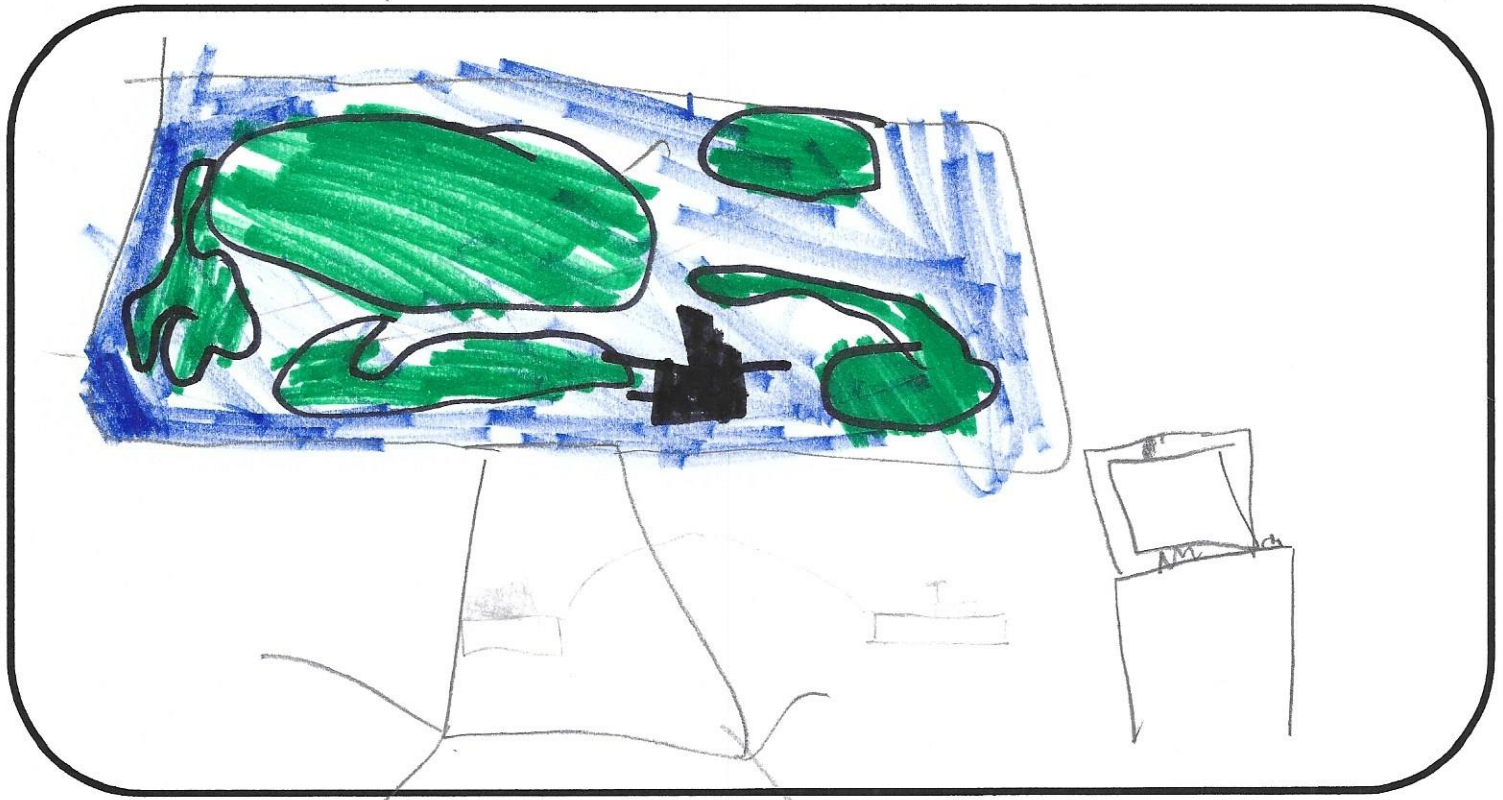


FROM OLIVIA

December 18, 2025

Dear MVARA,

Thank you



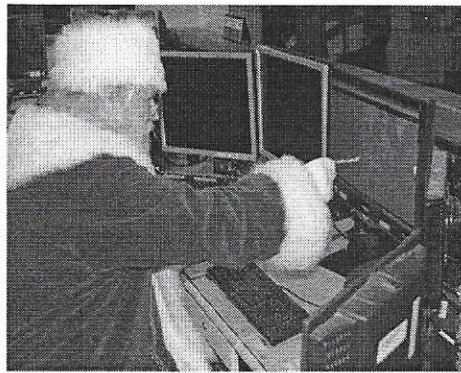
From,

Jackson

Dear MVARA,

Hi my name is Logan D. You may remember me from when you taught at my school. I just want to thank you for teaching me about HAM radios and how much fun it was.

From Logan D. P.S. Merry



Christmas!

Dear, M.V.A.R.A

Thank you for helping us learn all about morse code, letting us play guess the animal, and more. I appreciate you all taking the time to teach us while you could be at home doing other things.

Sincerely, Mil from hilltop elementary school

December 16, 2025

Dear M. V. A. R. R. A.,

Thank you for
visiting our school Hilltop Elementary School.



From,

M i t. Alexander

December 16, 2025

Dear M.V.A.R.A.,

Thank you for visiting our school Hilltop Elementary School



From,

Harper Pittman ♥

Dear MVARA,

Thank you for coming to show us how amateur radio works. It was really cool! You are so nice for taking off time for your important stuff and showing us how these radios work.

Sincerely,

Arjan



December 15, 2025

Dear MV ARA,

Thank you

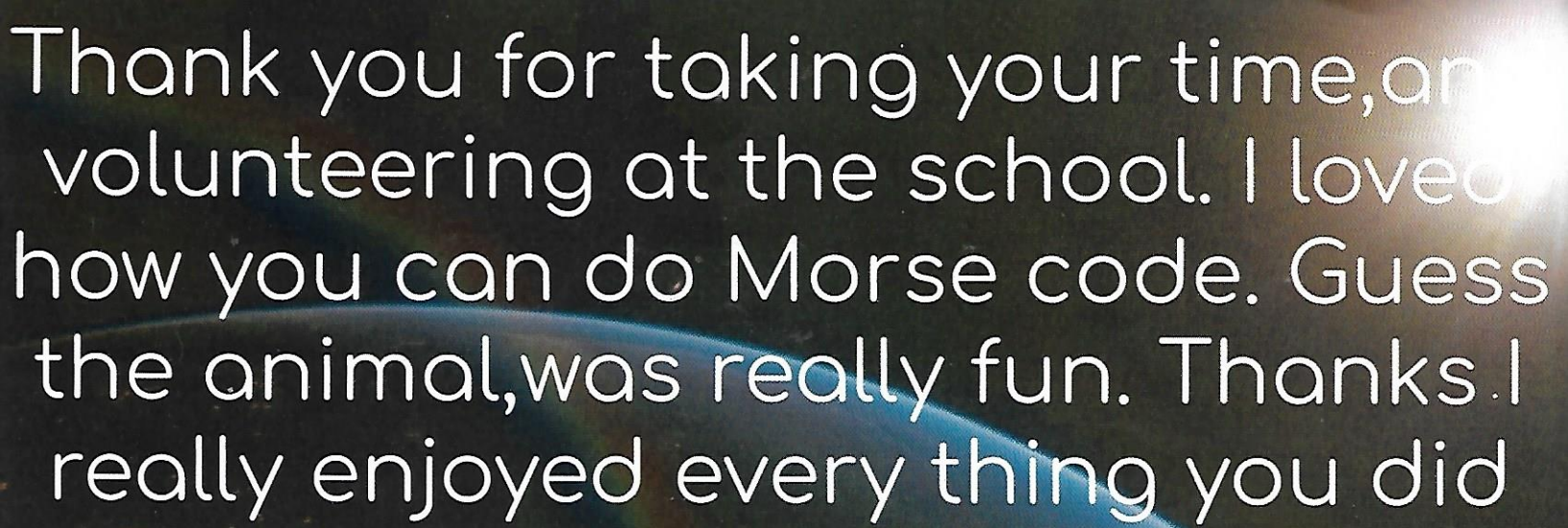


From,

Jordan

December 2025

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Thank you for taking your time, and
volunteering at the school. I loved
how you can do Morse code. Guess
the animal, was really fun. Thanks. I
really enjoyed every thing you did

THANK YOU!!!

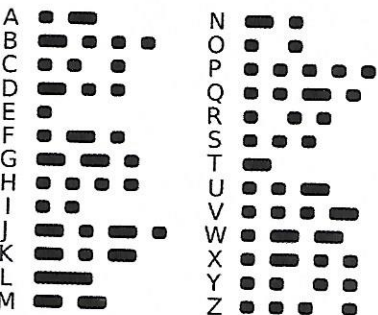
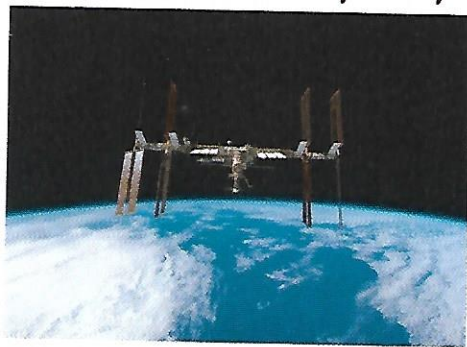
Sincerely, Luccia

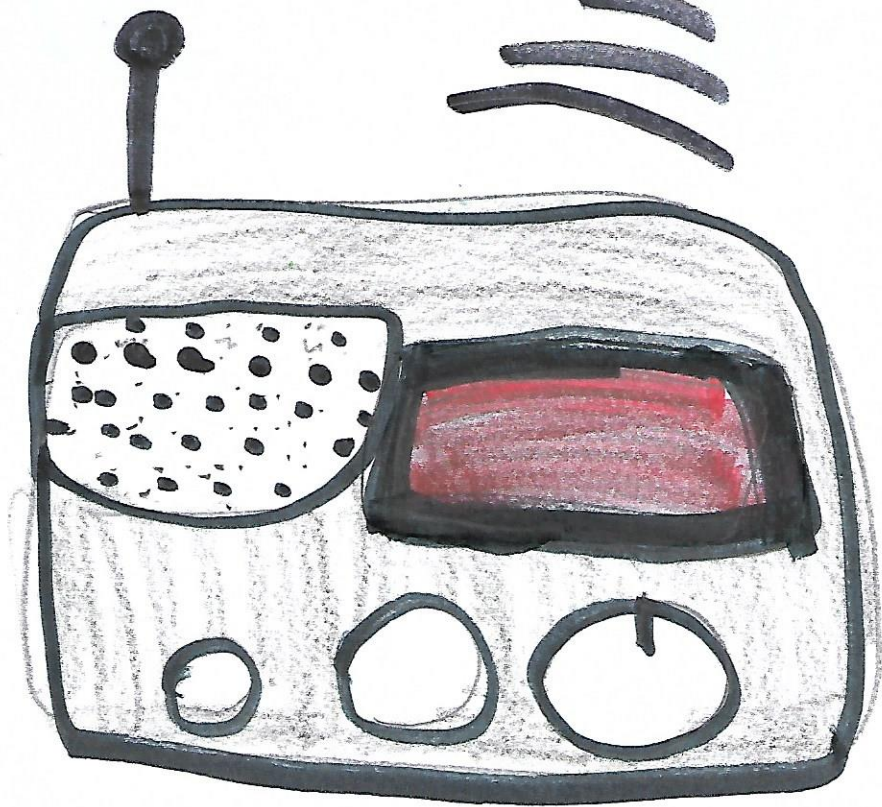
Thank you!

Thank you so much for all the time you put into your day to come to our school and teach us about ham radio. I loved doing the walkie talkie and getting to see how the pictures turned out. I thought that guessing the animal was fun too and all the things you did for us to get to learn something new and exciting. All the people who helped us learn how to do the things were so nice and I loved learning my name in morse code. I think you guys are amazing and hope you have a happy holiday!

From:Scarlett

To:MVARA









MVARA

Since 1919

TO: THE VOLUNTEERS, FROM: THOMAS
THANK YOU FOR COMING. I LIKED
GUESS THE ANIMAL THE BEST

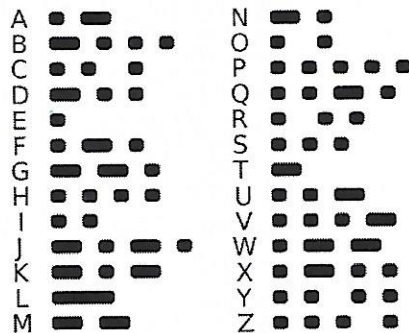
ssociation

Thank You!!!

Thank you for volunteering your time for us to learn. I am very thankful for you guys. I loved morse code, and the walkie talkie. I loved this program you guys set up. I really appreciate it. I thought everything was cool.

Happy Holidays!

Sincerely, Madison G.



Thank
You



MVARA

NASA

Rules

Thank you for teaching us
a lot of new things. Especially the
Morse code. It helped me a lot
learn it. We had a very good time




Keep the Earth a better place
From: Michael 4th grade
To: MVARA

Thank You

MVARA





NASA

Thank you so so much
for coming to my
school. Also thank you
for taking time out
of your day to come
to my school. I learned
a lot of new stuff.
That was a very
very fun stem
class.

Thank you!

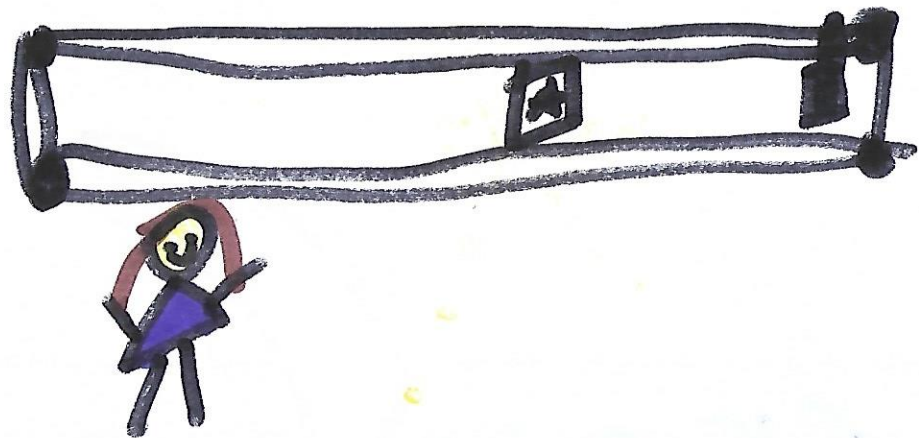
Thahk

You

MVARA



from: Avery



Thank You for
coming to
oure School
and spending
40 hours ~~at~~
it means alot
to me I Loved
Drolling the
pitcher and
tring to figurit
out!

Thank you
Mvava

Thank you for
coming to our
Stem Class!

Thank

You

Thank you for coming to our Stem Class
Mvava
ISS

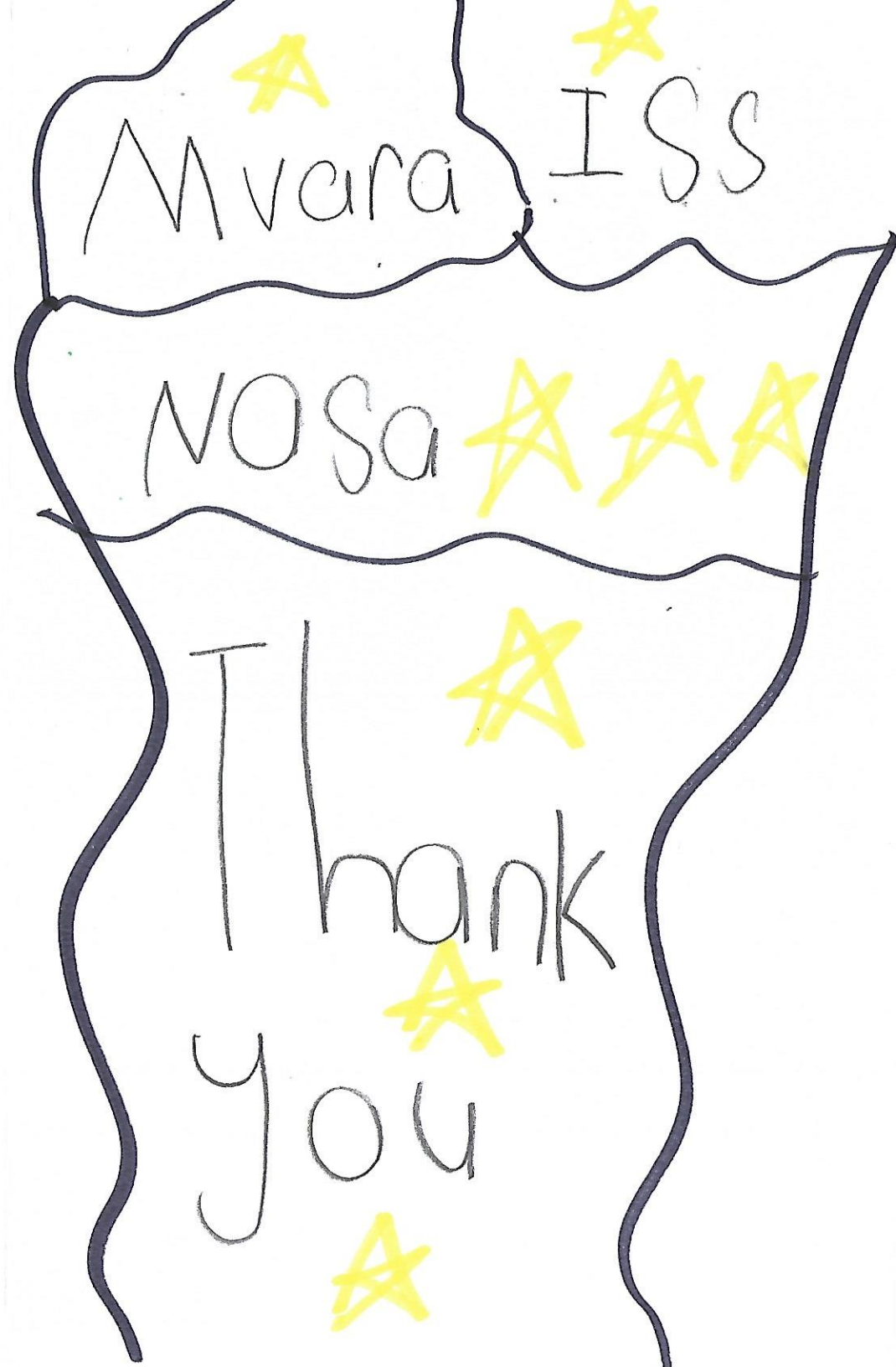
for

Coming

Nasa

Dear, Mvora Thank you for
coming to our stem class. to
teach us about moris code. I had
a good time Learning about moris
code.

It's a
space
station
!!

THANK

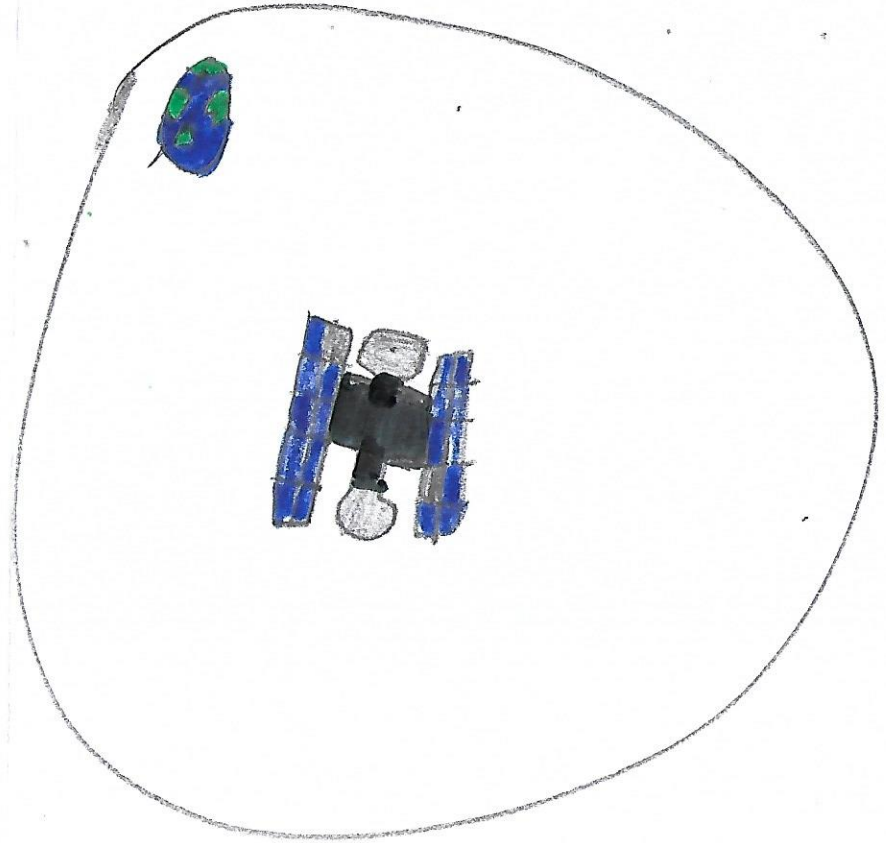
YOU!

Dear, MVARA.

Thank you for spending
time at this school.
I did learn more about
the ratio stuff!

from. Oliver Byer
4th grade

thank
you!



Thank you

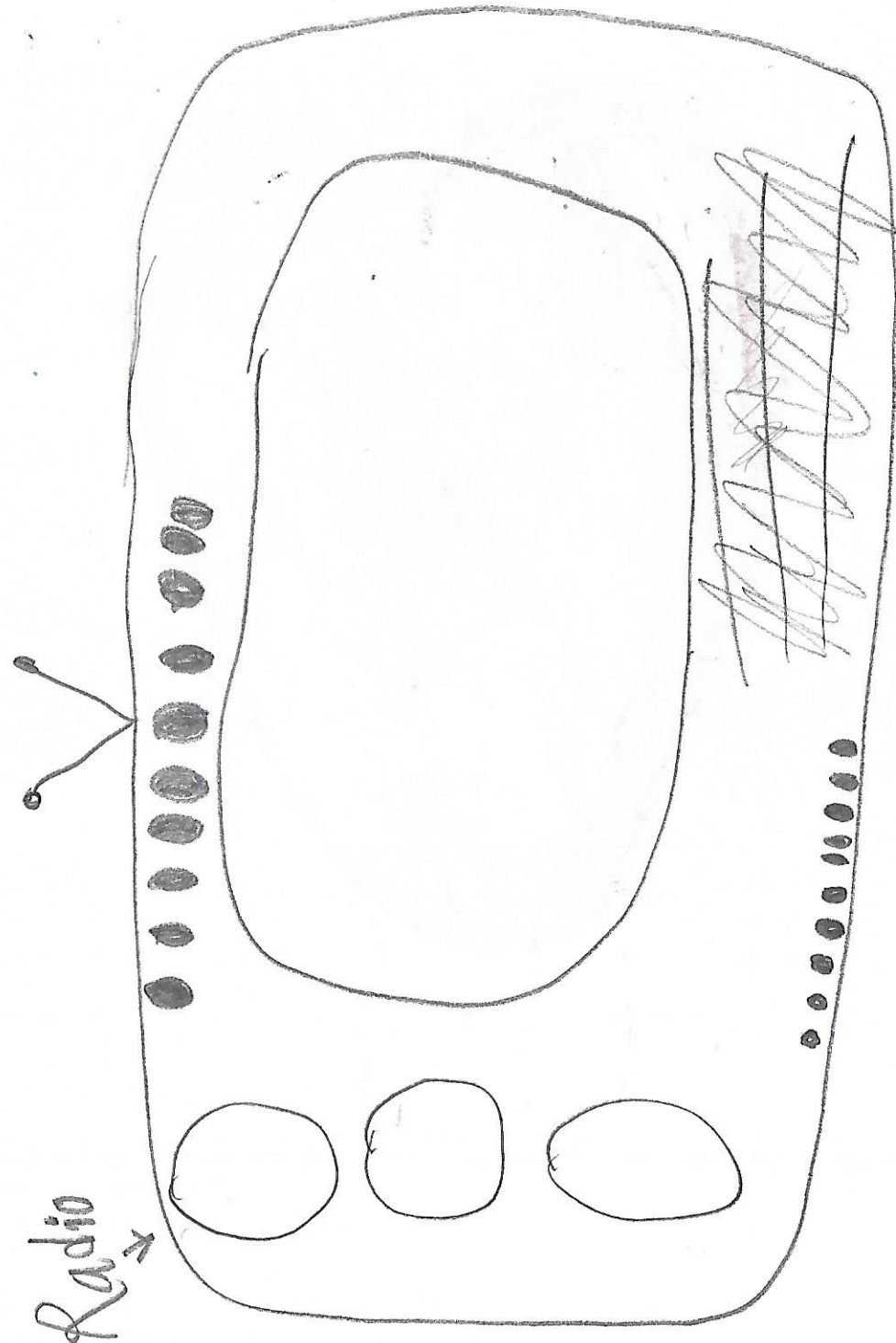
MVARA!



Dear MVARA,

Thank you for
spending your time
by teaching us new things.
My favorite one
was when you
had to tell people
what to draw.

From,
Haya. F





Thank
you!!!

Thank You

Thank you for giving your time to teach us I really appreciate you. My favorite rotation was the guess the animal and learning about more code. I wish you the happiest holidays!

Sincerely,
Aubrea

Dear MVARA

Hello My name is
Kendall I liked the
part with Frank and
Nancy. ~~So~~ but I liked
all but that one was
the beast.



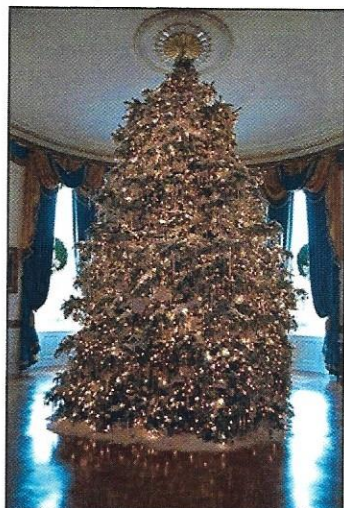
Love
Kendall



P.S. Merry
Christmas

Thank You!

Thank you soooooo much for spending time with us.
We had so much fun. If I could, I would do it again.
I loved when we spoke in the walkie talkie. I appreciate
you guys coming. I think you guys are awesome! Thank
you for spending time with us. Have a Merry
Christmas.



White House Photo by Tina Mager



A .-	J .---	S ...	1 .----
B -..	K ---	T -	2 .----
C ---	L ...	U --	3 .----
D -..	M --	V	4 .----
E .	N --	W .---	5 .----
F ...	O ---	X ---	6 .----
G ---	P	Y ---	7 -..
H	Q ---	Z ---	8 ---
I ..	R ...		9 ---
			0 ---

Sincerely ,

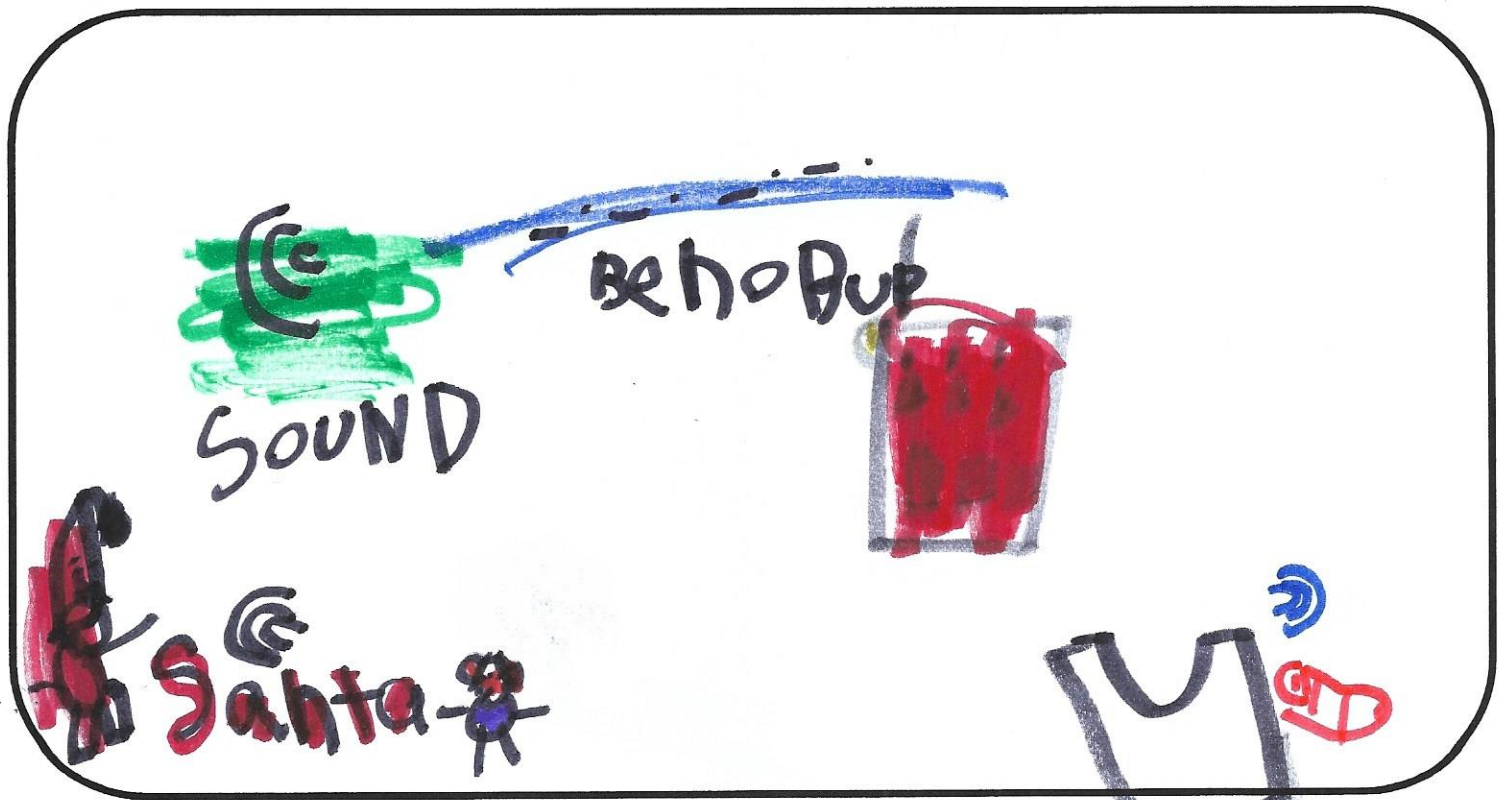
Carina.



December 115, 2025

Dear MVAR A,

I thank you



From,

Alice

December 15, 2025

Dear MVARA,

Thank you



From,

Ellie

December 15, 2025

Dear MARA,

Thank you.



From,

Dimitri

December 16, 2025

Dear MARIA,

hilltop Elementary School!

Thank you for visiting our school.



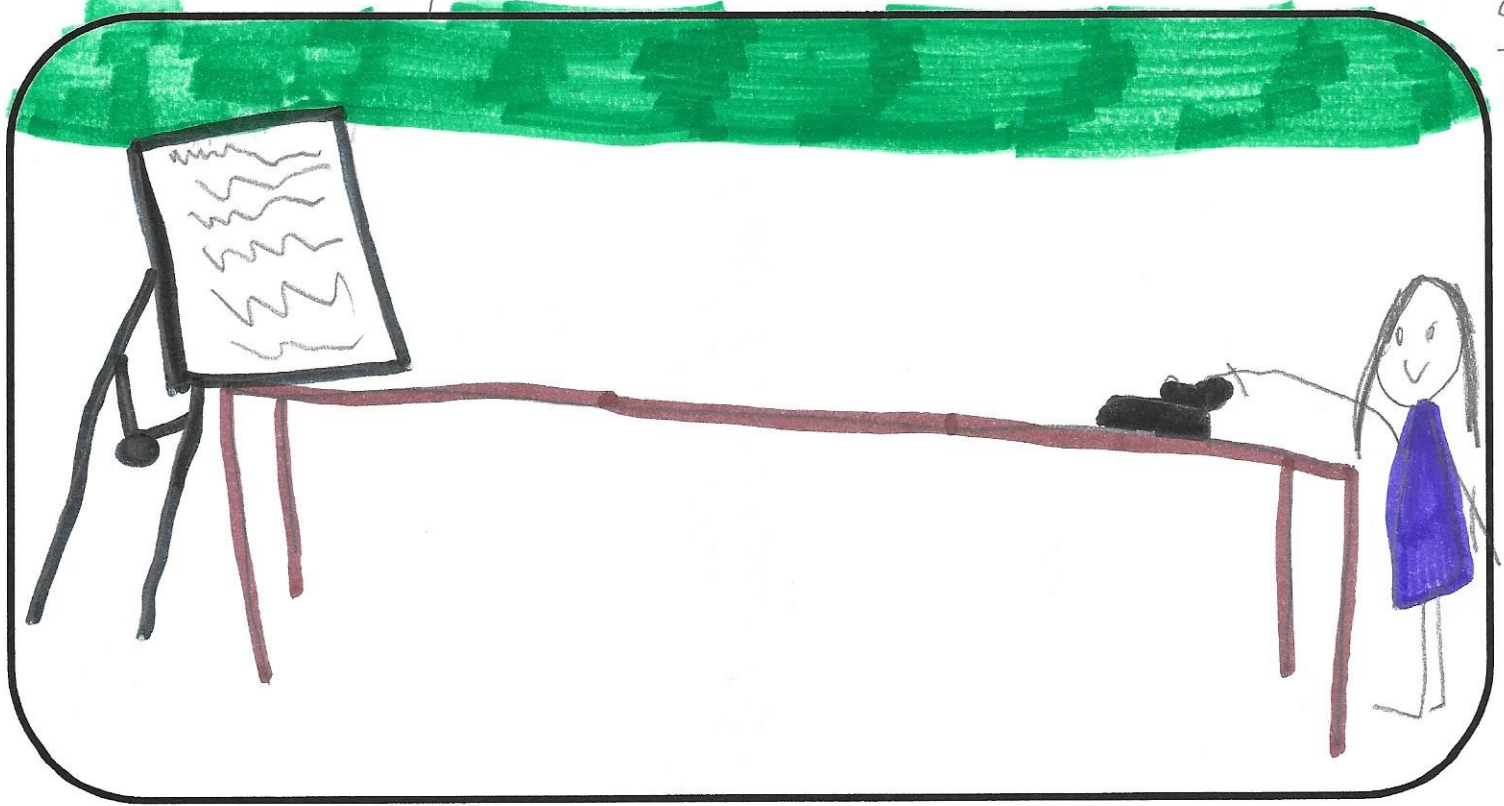
From,

Raya Jane Vergallito

December 16, 2025

Dear M.V.A.R.A,

Thank you for visiting our



From,

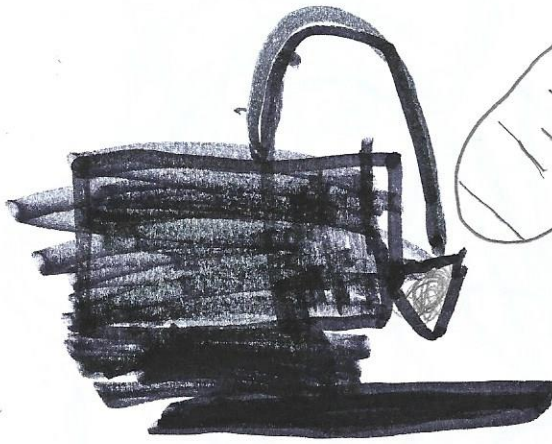
Penelope McIntyre

December 15, 2025

Dear M/ma,

Thank you.

D...
e...
r...
e...
K...



From,

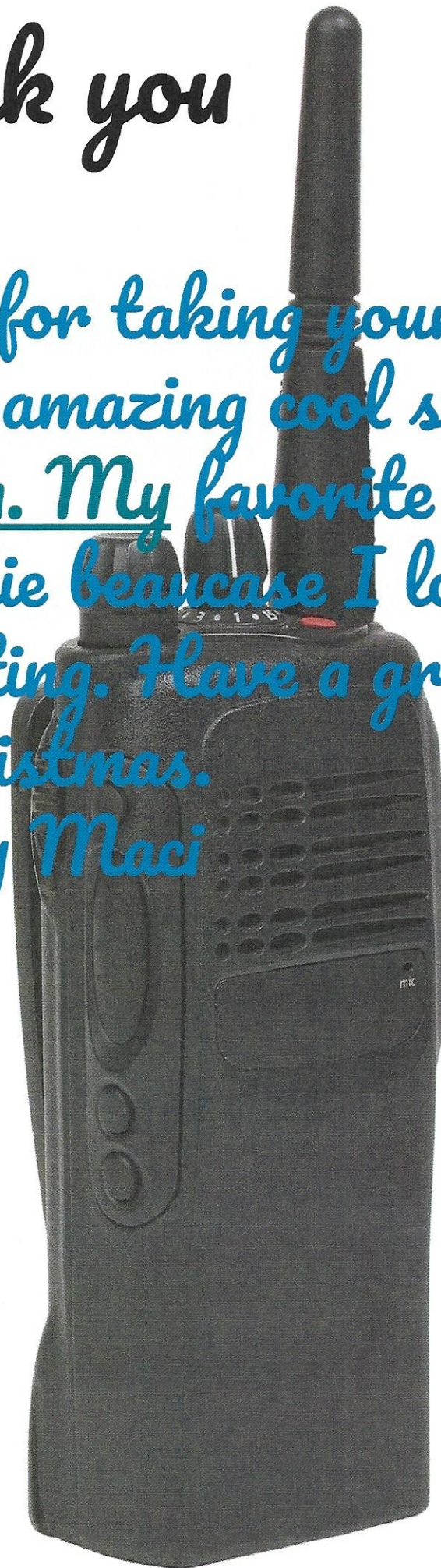
Peres

Thank you for coming thank you for showing us these cool things. I loved the code thing. Maybe we could come and see you one day. Thank you so much for your time spent with us . We appreciated it. My Favorite Things was the morse code I'm so good at that I want to be one of them one day I love the Morse code. I had so much fun. Thank you for coming to spend time with us.from Sophia.



Thank you

Thank you for taking your time and teaching us amazing cool stuff. I had so much fun. My favorite thing is walkie talkie beaucase I love communicating. Have a great day. Merry christmas.
Sincerely Maci



December 15, 2025

Dear MVARA,

Thank

you.



From,

LG CQSN

December 15, 2025

Dear MVARA,

Thank you!



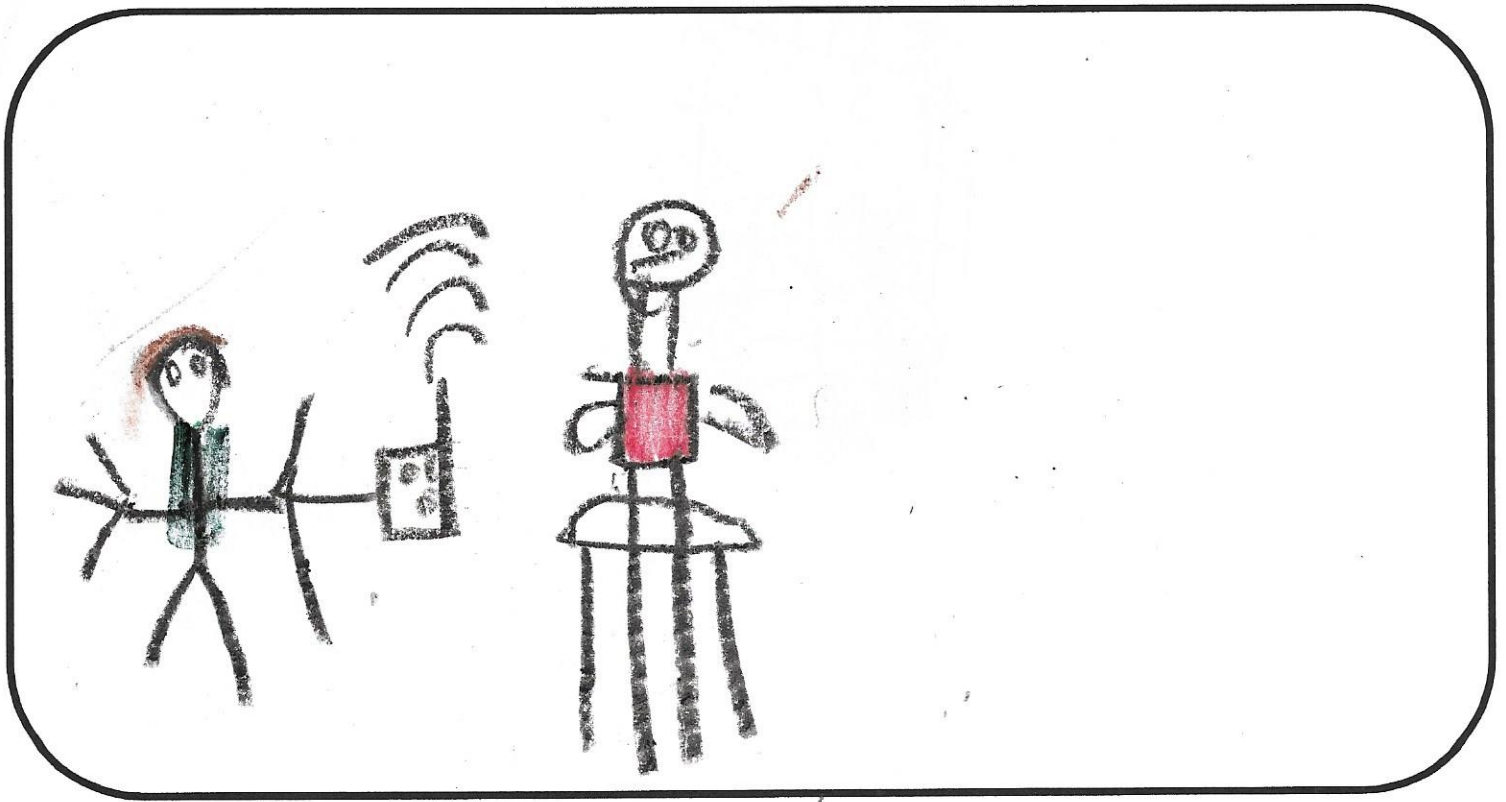
From,

Mia.

December 12, 2025

Dear MVARA,

Thank You.



From,



Levi

December 15, 2025

Dear M. Vard,

Thank you.

A. -

B. - . . .

C. - . . .

D. - . . .

E. .

F. . . - .

G. - - .

H.

I. . .

J. .

K. - . -

L. . - .

1. - - - -

2. . - - -

3. . . - -

From,

Evelyn

Thank you

For teaching us and teaching me new things and making
us learn new things and teaching me morsecode. And
making the entire school get a smile.

to: Frank

By: Dimarco

A . -	J . - - -	S ...	1 . - - - -
B - ...	K - . -	T -	2 . - - - -
C - . . .	L	U . . -	3 . . . - -
D - . .	M - -	V . . . -	4 -
E .	N - .	W . - -	5
F	O - - -	X - . . -	6 -
G - . .	P	Y - . - -	7 - - . . .
H	Q - - . -	Z - - . .	8 - - - . .
I . .	R . . .		9 - - - - .
			0 - - - - -

Thank you for teaching me morse code,
talking to people around the world, showing me
the satellite in space and where it was. My
favorite one was the walkie talkie. Because I
can talk to people if I need help.

Sincerely, your friend

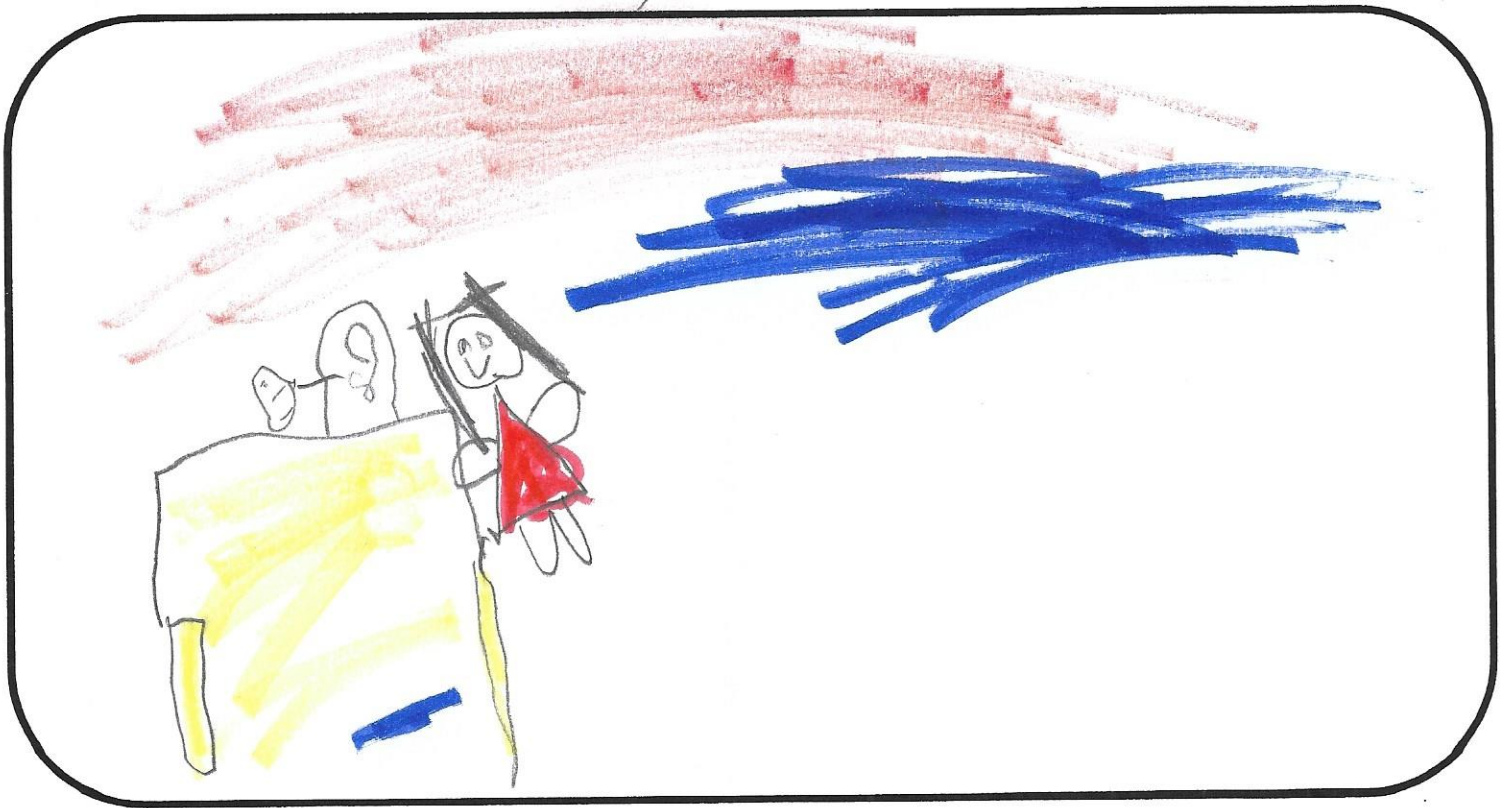
Garrison



December 18, 2025

Dear MVARA,

Thank you.



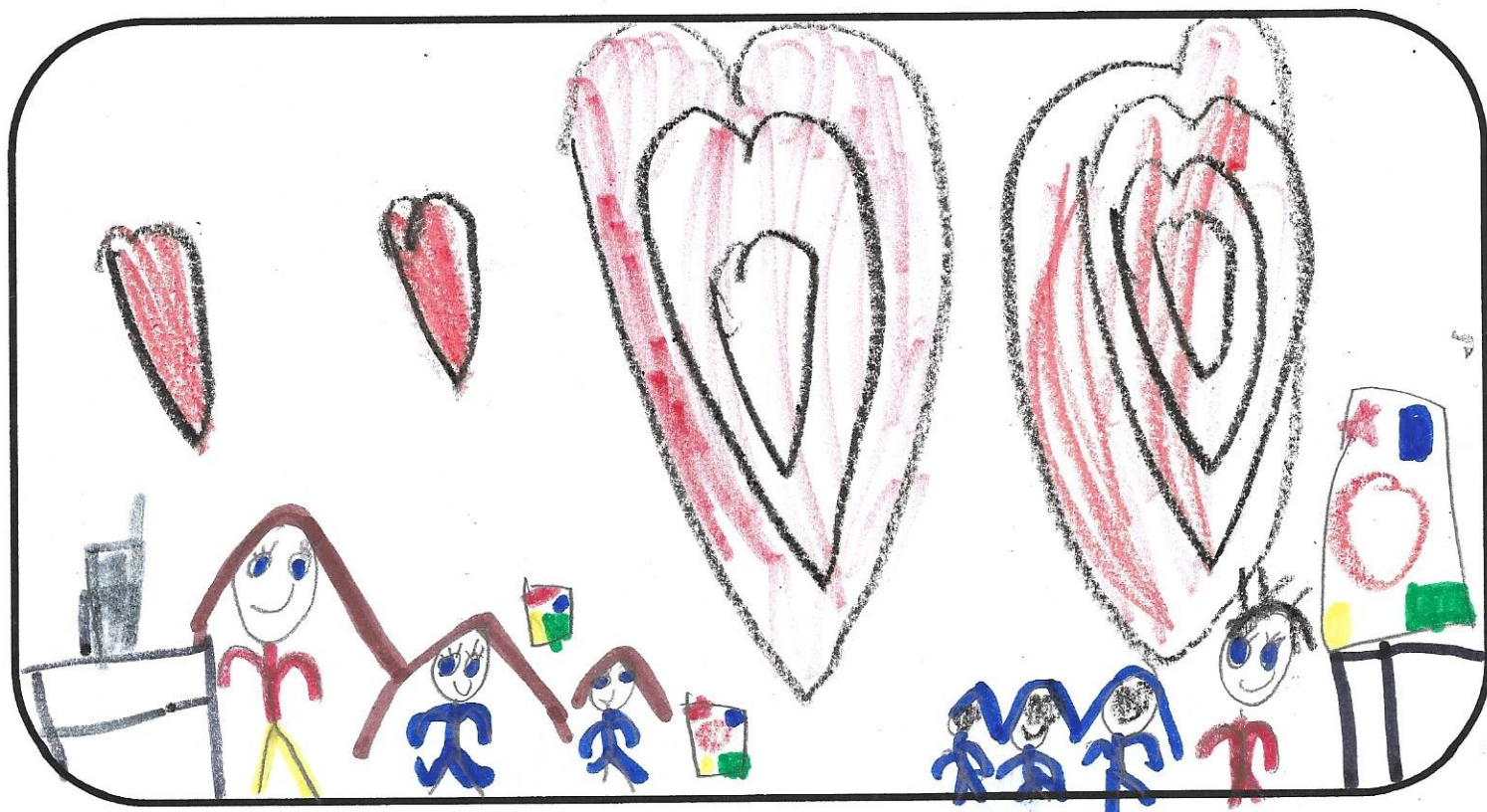
From,

Bella

December 18, 2025

Dear MARA,

Thank you

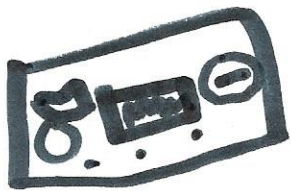


From,

Carmella#1

Dear MVARA

Hello My name is
Kendall I liked the
part with Frank and
Nancy. ~~So~~ but I liked
all but that one was
the best.



Love
Kendall



P.S. Merry
Christmas

December 15, 2025

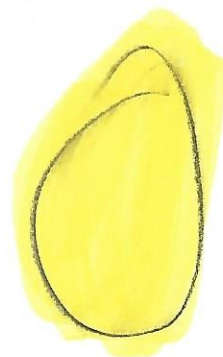
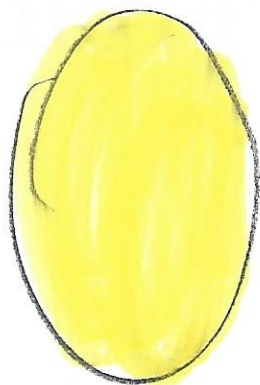
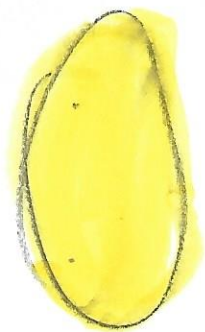
Dear MVARA,

Thank you.



From,

Reagan





Thank you MVARA

Thank you for coming in to teach the class I know I learned a lot about Amateur Radio. Morse Code is so interesting. I really appreciate you guys coming in.

Love,
Mia