P.6A Zhang Hiu Ying, Shirley

Two Friends

One day, two friends were travelling in the woods. Suddenly, they heard some strange noise. A man said, "Dad you hear something?"

They heard a bear roaring and then a bear jumped out from the brushes. Although it was small, it was scary and fierce.

"Yikes!" they shouted loudly. They were frightened. They tried to escape. One of the men climbed up the tree. He did not help his friends. Another man could not climb the tree, so he pretended to be dead.

The man on the tree said to himself," He is only pretending to be dead. The bear will not hurt him." The bear came to the man, it sniffed and bumped at the man who was pretending to be dead. The bear walked away because it disliked eating dead bodies.

Luckily, the two men were safe. They smiled happily. "That was close." The man who pretended to be dead said. Another man was climbing down from the tree.

He said, "What did that bear say to you?" Another man answered," The bear told me never trust a friend who left you in danger."

The man said sorry to him but he did not forgive him because he left him in danger. Finally, they ran back home together and broke their friendship. The man who pretended to be dead was very angry. As the proverb says, "A friend in need is a friend indeed." Thus, we aught not to make friends with the person who betrayed us in danger.

Teacher's comment: Very nice piece of writing based on the old proverb. You fully understand the contextual use and the moral use of this as you show how it would make someone feel if it happened to them. Great work.

P.6A Kong Ka Yu, Andy

Two Friends

When the two friends were walking through a forest, they heard some strange noises. They felt very nervous and scared.

Suddenly, a big bear appeared in the bushes. The bear seemed very hungry. It roared fiercely at the two friends.

The two friends were frightened and they screamed loudly. One of them climbed up a tree quickly. The other one was not able to climb the tree. He should loudly for help.

Just then, he thought of an idea. He fell flat onto the ground. He held his breath and pretended to be dead. The bear came and sniffed around his body. The other man was

very worried about him.

Fortunately, the bear walked away because it did not like dead bodies. The bear thought he was dead. The man was safe and he took a deep breath. He was relieved.

Then, the man climbed down from the tree and asked, "What did the bear whisper to you?" "The bear said, never trust a friend who leaves you in danger!" replied the man angrily.

As the proverb says, "Pardon is the most glorious revenge." The man apologized to his friend sincerely and his friend forgave him. The man promised he would not betray him again. He felt quite ashamed of himself. From then on, they became forever friends and always helped each other anymore.

Teacher's comment: I like that you changed the story at the end Andy. You demonstrated that the man had a chance to learn a lesson and that people can forgive even when betrayed. Your expression and language use is top level and it really enhances the quality of your story. Keep it up!

P.6A Tam Wing In

Two friends

One upon a time, there were two travelers. They went to the forest and talked happily. Suddenly, they heard some strange and noises. They were very scared and nervous.

At that time, the bear appeared and roared loudly. It looked scary and fierce. Also, it was very hungry and wanted to eat something. Besides, the bear had two big ears and eyes. It had sharp teeth and claws too.

They were frightened and shouted for help loudly. The other man climbed up to the tall tree as fast as a shooting star. The other man was unable to climb the tree. He did not know how to do.

Then, the man laid on the ground. He pretended to be dead because the bear disliked the dead body and it would not eat him. The bear came up. It snuffed the man and leaned over him. The bear thought he was dead as it walked away.

When the bear walked away, the man was relieved. He thought he was the luckiest person in the world. He was smart and sensible. He did not get hurt.

The other man climbed down from the tree and asked, "What did that bear whispered to you?" The bear said, never trust a friend who leaves you in danger."

The man was angry with his friend because the other traveler did not see he was in danger. He betrayed the man. He was not a real friend. The other man felt sorry and ashamed. He begged the man to forgive him. Finally, the man forgave him. We ought to help our friends. As the Bible says, "Forgive others seventy times seven."

Teacher's comment: Great work! You know how to bring a story to life with excellent analogies e.g. 'as fast as a shooting star'. You also end your story with great closing captions. It's short, concise and very clear for the reader. Great work!

P.6A Tam Wing In

Jimmy and his mother

Last Sunday, it was a warm and sunny day. Jimmy and his mother wanted to go shopping. They went to APM Shopping Mall by minibus. It took ten minutes to get there.

When they were riding on the minibus, Jimmy's mum was talking on her mobile phone happily while Jimmy was reading comics quietly. When they arrived at the shopping mall, they got off the minibus. Jimmy's mother left her purse on the minibus carelessly. However, she did not know about it. Jimmy was very excited when he came to the supermarket. He saw many different kinds of delicious food. He would like to have some fresh fruit for dessert, as he bought a big watermelon. He liked sweet things very much. They wanted to buy some rice and vegetables too. They put them into the shopping cart.

Then, Jimmy and his mum pushed the shopping cart to the cashier. Jimmy's mother found her purse was missing when she wanted to pay for the food. Her purse was lost. She was nervous and embarrassed. She also worried about her purse because there were a lot of important things in it. She put her ID card and a good sum of money in her purse.

At that time, Jimmy's mum thought she was the unluckiest person in the world. She ran into her best friend, Mary, when she was very upset. Mary helped her and she paid the food for her. Jimmy's mother said thanks to Mary. After that, they went to the police station quickly. Luckily, someone found her purse and took it to the police station. The purse was found.

From this experience, Jimmy and her mum learnt that they should take care of their belongings carefully. Besides, they understood friends ought to help each other. As the proverb says, 'A friend in need is a friend indeed.'

This was a special day for Jimmy and his mum.

Teacher's comment: Wow, great work! This is a wonderfully told story which teaches the a well-known proverb. You have chosen a fantastic example of how people should help one another but not only that, you have also showed how it is important to take care of your belongings. Great application of vocabulary knowledge and you have great appreciation for the reader as your story really paints a clear and structured flow which is easy to follow and is very engaging.

P.6B Lau Yuk Ying, Cherry

Lantau Island

20th May, 2016

Sunny

Today was a memorable day in my life. I went to Lantau Island with my friend, May. The sky was blue and the sun shone brightly. We got there by ferry. Along the trip, we looked at the views of Victoria Harbour. The ferry was unsteady because the waves were big.

After about thirty minutes, we arrived at the destination. First, we went to the Big Buddha Statue. We needed to climb hundred of steps. I was exhausted. May told me to keep on going. 'Wow! It is really a huge statue. It seems that it can touch sky." I exclaimed. It was a solemn place. Then we tried the vegetarian food. At the beginning, I thought the taste would not be good but then I thought it was yummy. Nothing was better then it. Although it was plain, it was special.

Also, we went to Ngong Ping Village. There were many people. The buildings were antique. We bought a lot of souvenirs. We went to different places. They were attractive.

At last, we went to ride the cable car. It was one of the most popular places in Hong Kong. We were so excited. While we were talking happily on the cable car, the cable car was out of order. We were trapped in it. Therefore, I was very scared and couldn't think of anything we could do. May told me that we had to keep calm and the fireman would save us. Lastly, they helped us and I was very thankful to them.

In this experience, I have learnt I need to keep calm at anytime. It is really an unforgettable day for me.

Teacher's comment: Really strong story telling skills, accurate use of language and you can really portray the morals very well. You were creative in your presentation and allow the reader to be engaged in your story. Fantastic work!

P6D Lee Shun Kwan, Zoe

Spaghetti

Sauce Yummy, Please serve! I'm hungry! Asking for more, yum! Greatest food in the world! Have some more! Excellent! I love it, Tomorrow I will eat spaghetti again, To fill my empty stomach with churning and spinning spaghetti, Incredible spaghetti in my stomach.

By Zoe

Teacher's comment: Wow what a great acrostic poem Zoe! You explored the meaning of spaghetti well and included your own feelings at the same time. It's creative, bright and interesting to read. Well done!