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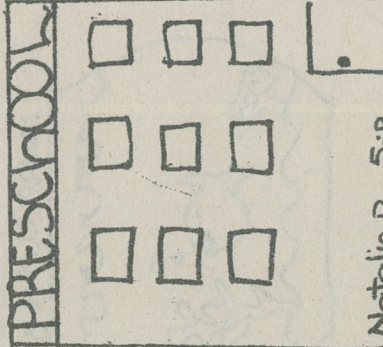
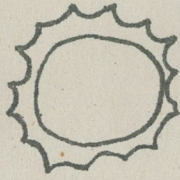
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NURSERY SCHOOL

There will be a nursery school at Marymount in 1.998. The girls that are going to attend this new nursery school are already selected by a special school committee. There are going to be 3 groups of 20 girls each. The classes are going to begin at 1:30 p.m. and finish at 5:00 p.m. The classes are going to be in the preschool classrooms. The girls selected are 3 years old. Their uniforms are the school sweatpants, white sneakers and the school T-shirt. New teachers are going to be required.

"WE THINK THIS IS A GREAT IDEA"

Laura Londoño 5A
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Natalia Rpo 5-B.

RECYCLING

It is the process through which industrial wastes are recuperated from businesses and other places to be transformed into new products and subproducts generating employment, better incomes and most of all avoiding the contamination of natural resources.

The residues should be separated in the same place where they are produced, for example at home, in the office, at the factory, at the store, at school etc. The most common recyclable materials are: glass, plastic, paper, cardboard, copper, bronze, bones.

What is the purpose of recycling?

1. It helps to retain the environment. If we recycle paper we can prevent cutting down trees.
2. It creates sources of employment.
3. Economical benefits.

Notes about recycling:

*The department of Antioquia is the one that recycles glass in Colombia.

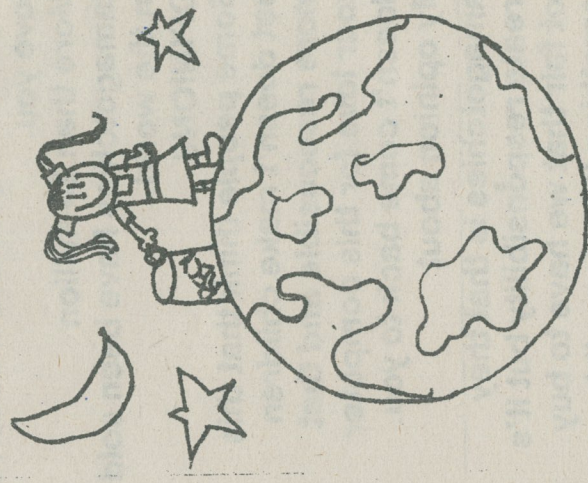
*By recycling a ton of newspaper we preserve 30.000 litres of water.

RECYCLING AT SCHOOL

At school there is a garbage can and a recycling bin in each classroom.

Every day one of the workers picks up all the papers and cardboard and takes them to the garage. When there is enough volume ACTUAR sends a truck to pick it up. They weight it, and depending on the weight they give the school some money. Then this money is given to a charity organisation for its own workers.

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OPINIONS

The Tamagotchies

A tamagotchi is a special pet.

It is like a computer. It is an animal that you have to feed, bath and love.

You have to give him a shot when he gets sick.

If you don't do these things correctly, your pet is going to die.

Tamagotchies only live 28 days.

On the internet, there is a special funeral service for them.

It's address is:

<<http://www.geocities.com/tokio/flats/63371>>

The person that invented tamagotchies believes that this pet makes children more responsible.

This special pet is not like a dog or a cat.

It can't lick you and it doesn't love you.

More than 20 million tamagotchies have been sold in the world.

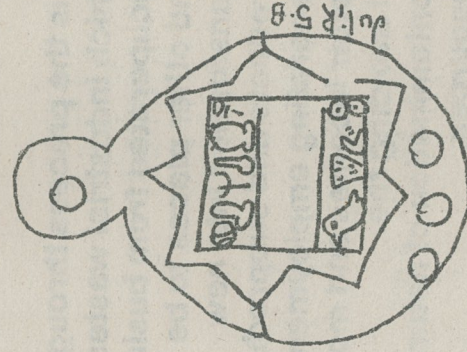
OPINIONS

Some people think that this pet doesn't make children more responsible and that your love for this computer doesn't come back to you. My opinion about

tamagotchies is that they create responsibility but it's not fair that we have to buy something that doesn't love you when you give it affection. It doesn't benefit the children. It's not fair to

buy a tamagotchi that costs a lot of money and it is not the same thing when you have a real pet.

Laura Puyo P. 5A



BIRDS:

Give them birdseed. Change their bath tub water. Clean the bird's cage every day. Sing to them and put a blanket on the cage every night so they do not get cold.

Interview with Laura Montoya

What do you think about pets?

I think they are good company and when we have pets we have a big responsibility to take care of them and give them love.

What would you tell people who have pets?

To respect them.

I do not like virtual pets (Tamagotchies) because they are not real pets.

Sarah Cristina Gaviria 5A

PETS

How to Take Care of Pets

DOG:

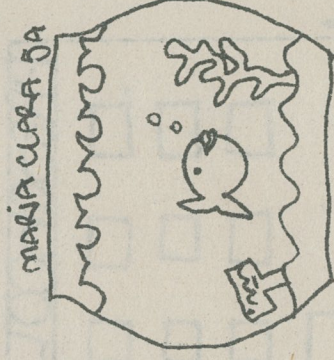
A dog needs a very good and nutritional diet. It needs to eat vegetables and starches besides meat. You need to take the dog outside where it can breath fresh air.

FISH:

You must give it food three times a day. Change its water every week and give it love.

TURTLE:

You give a turtle lots of vegetables like tomato and lettuce. Wash it every fifteen days, give it lots of water and have lots of patience with it.



EDITORIAL

Today is a very important day! With the culmination of much effort on behalf of the Elementary students our newspaper is born.

This publication makes our dream a reality. It is the way to show what the students have learned at school and to demonstrate the cooperative effort that is encouraged at this school. It is also an opportunity to illustrate that hard work is necessary to achieve the things that we want. In this way others also gain from our hard work, for a newspaper divulges information to increase our knowledge while bringing us together as a community.

Congratulations to all the teachers and students who made this newspaper a reality. I hope it has been a pleasant experience and a publication that we will continue to produce in the future.

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