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ASAP Session 3 is Starting Soon

From Sunday, January 22 to Wednesday, March 7, 2012

Letter from the Superintendent, Greg Hughes

Dear Parents,

I hope that everyone had a relaxing break. I have only just arrived back in Sudan yesterday and all I can say is that it is great to be back!

This year's recruitment season has been a very different experience - taking me from Johannesburg, to Sydney and to Bangkok. As always, it was a pleasure to meet many teachers and administrators that help make up our international community.

I am pleased to report that we have hired some outstanding teachers for the 2012/2013 school year and we have been able to get a good mix of experienced colleagues to join our team along with some young, energetic teachers who bring with them a youthful energy that will no doubt be felt throughout our school.

Khartoum is not necessarily a simple city to recruit teachers to come to due in part to the climate, location and the bad press that Sudan has received over the years. This being said, once people find out more about the school and the city of Khartoum, they become more interested in considering KAS as a potential employment option. The major selling points for our school has continued to be our friendly community, our willingness to embrace change and, of course, our caring, student centered philosophy.

Now that we have a full contingent of teachers for next year I am looking forward to the second part of this school year which I am sure you will agree, has a great deal of excitement in store for all of us.

Once more, it's great to be back! Have a wonderful weekend.

Letter from the Elementary School Principal Ben Voborsky

Dear Parents,

Welcome to 2012 and the second semester! I hope that you and your family had a wonderful break and enjoyed time together. It is great to have everyone back at KAS and ready for school. In elementary, our team will continue to focus on curriculum, community, and Moodle.

Elementary morning assemblies kick off this Sunday with Jump Jam. Please join us whenever you can, especially on Wednesday and Thursday mornings when our students share. If you are interested in being a guest reader on a Tuesday, please contact Ms. Shannon in Grade 4 (sshannon@krtams.org).

The KAS After School Activities Program will start on January 22nd and sign up sheets have already gone home. There are some amazing activities, including many outdoor activities so we can take advantage of the amazing weather. If you are interested in offering an activity during the fourth ASAP session please let me know. The activity can be anything you are interested in and would like to share with a small group of interested students! We will be moving the fourth session indoors as the temperature climbs and need more volunteers! We need as many activities as possible to keep group numbers small and offer the opportunity for all elementary KAS students to participate. Please contact me if you are interested (bvoborsky@krtams.org).

Have a great 2012 and keep a look out on Moodle for what is happening around the elementary classrooms in KAS.

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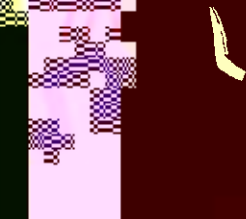
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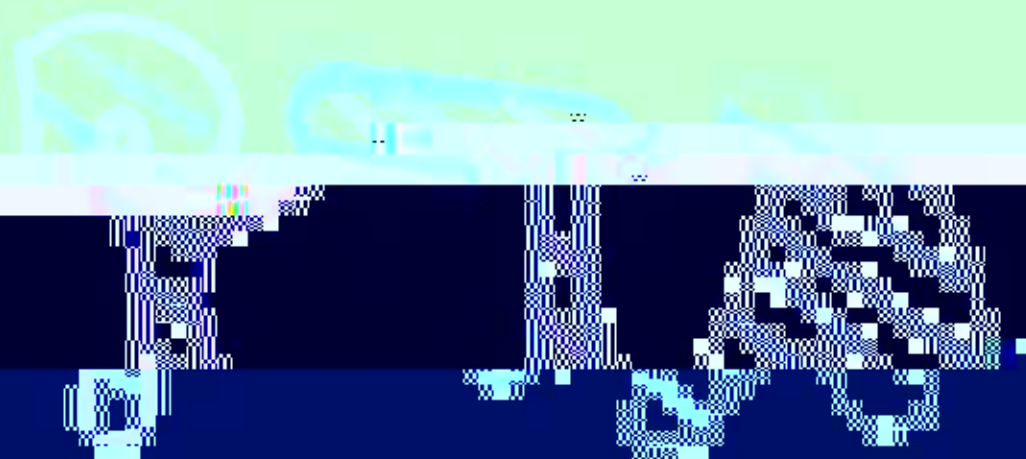
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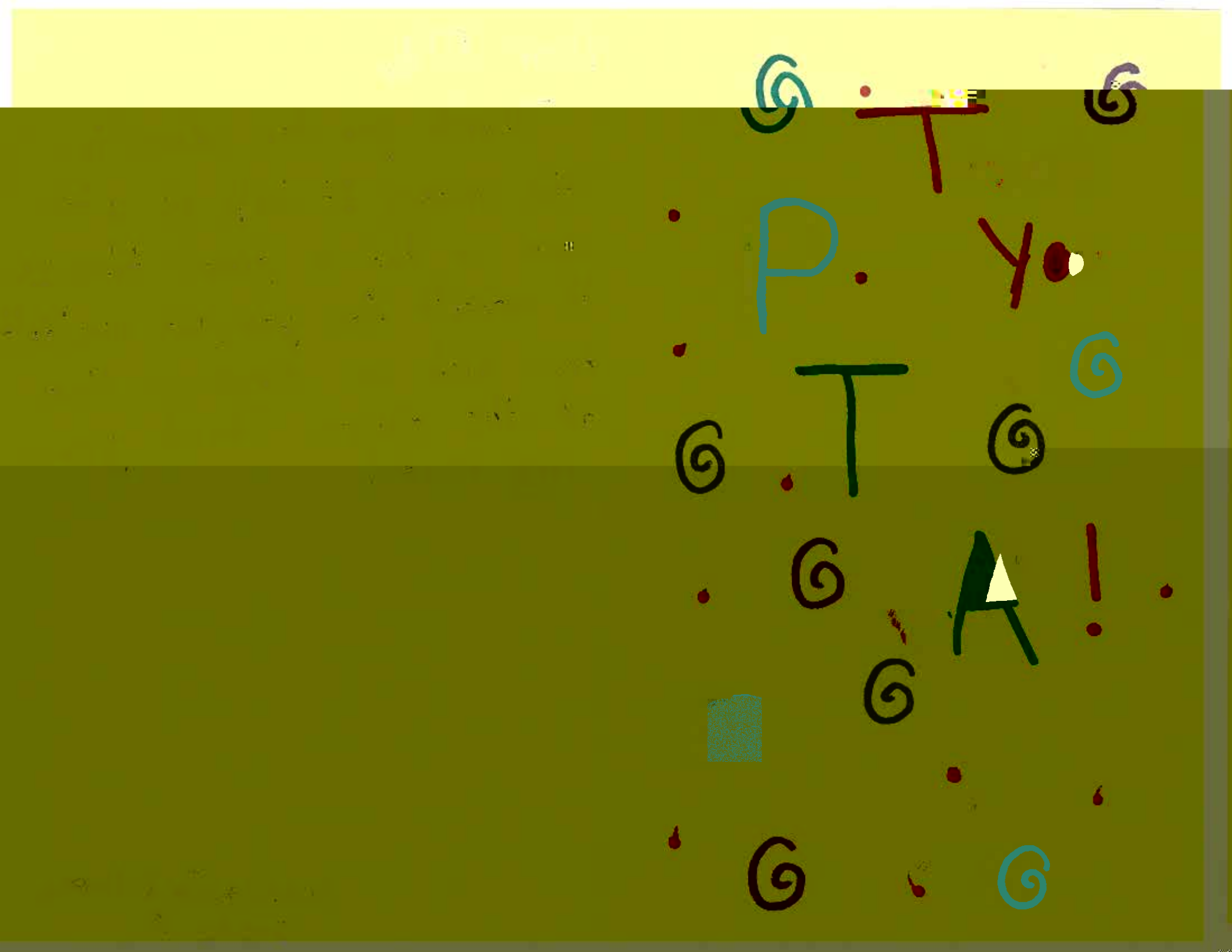
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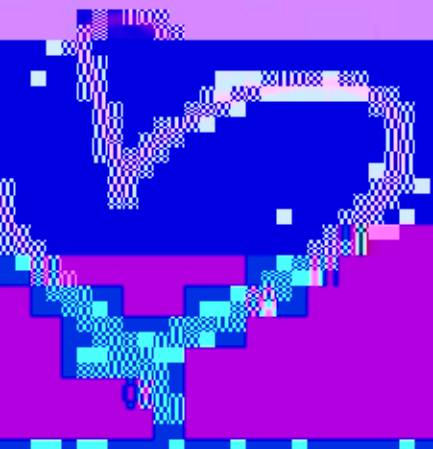
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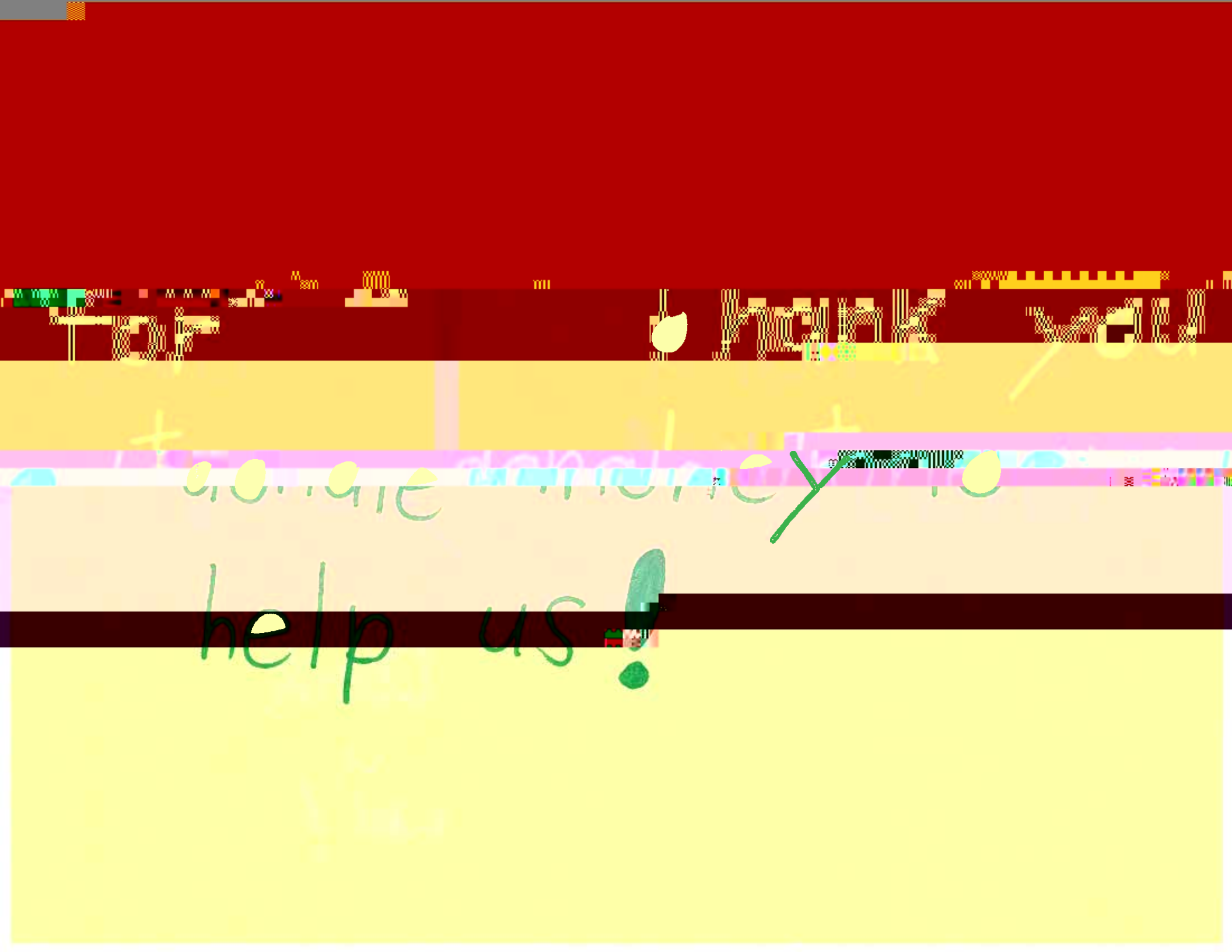
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