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**“A FLYING CLOUD”**  
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## THE WINNERS!

### KINDERGARTEN

- 1st Place: "Ballet" by Claire**  
Brookfield Elementary School
- 2nd Place: "Bolt's Adventure" by Drew**  
Our Lady of the Snows
- 3rd Place: "Harriet Tubman" by Emery**  
Poulakidas Elementary School

### FIRST GRADE

- 1st Place: "Ruby Bridge" by Mackinley**  
Spanish Springs Elementary School
- 2nd Place: "Are You Ready to go Investigate Italy?" by Sophia**  
Minden Elementary School
- 3rd Place: "Ocean Animals are Very Cool" by Elliot**  
Smithridge STEM Academy

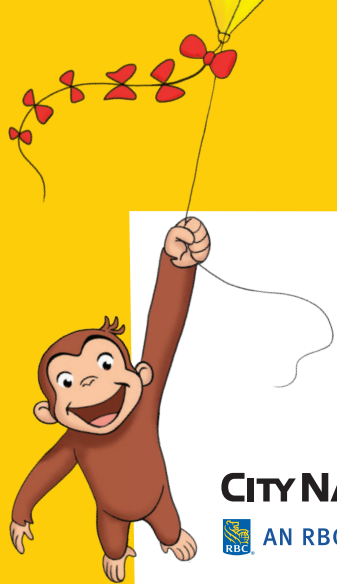
### SECOND GRADE

- 1st Place: "Lunar Living" by Claire**  
Doral Academy
- 2nd Place: "Harriet Tubman" by Olivia**  
Bohach Elementary School
- 3rd Place: "A Flying Cloud" by Faith**  
Coral Academy of Science

### THIRD GRADE

- 1st Place: "Toucan Investigates Deforestation" by Arika**
- 2nd Place: "Silver State Endangered Species" by Molly**  
Westergard Elementary School
- 3rd Place: "Machu Picchu" by Addilynn**  
Spanish Springs Elementary School





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PBS member station, PBS Reno, serving northern Nevada and northeastern California, is proud to take present the PBS Reno Curiosity Classroom Writers Contest.

Few things can capture a child's imagination like a good book. PBS Reno Curiosity Classroom Writers Contest invites children, kindergarten through third grade, in communities across our area to use their boundless imaginations to create original stories and illustrations and then submit them to their local PBS station. This year, thousands of children from across northern Nevada and northeastern California participated in the PBS Reno Curiosity Classroom Writers Contest, building their creative voices, and developing critical reading and writing skills.

Visit our website at [pbsreno.org/writerscontest](https://pbsreno.org/writerscontest) to find out more about the contest, read the winning stories and watch the winners announce their stories.



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**SECOND GRADE: 3rd Place**

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# A Flying Cloud



Have you ever  
looked up in the sky?  
You will see me floating by.



Have you ever looked  
up in the sky? You  
will see me floating  
by.

**I see all types of people  
below me. I see where they go,  
as if I were below.**

**I glow in the night to show  
the way, but in the morning  
I show a fluffy white.**



I see all types of  
people below me. I see  
where they go, as if I  
were below. I glow in the  
night to show the way,  
but in the morning I  
show FLUFFY white.

I feel happiness in the air,  
as happy as me!  
I feel glee when I feel me.



I feel happiness in the  
air, as happy as me!  
I feel glee when I  
feel me.



I smell fresh rain drops but  
you smell gray because of me.  
In there it is blue.  
I smell the earth smells of dew.



I Smell fresh rain drops  
but you Smell Gray  
because of me. In  
the it is blue. I  
Smell the earth Smells  
of dew.

**I am a fast cloud  
floating in the air.  
Wave at me and  
I will say hi.**



I am a vast cloud  
floating in the air.  
Wave at me and I will  
say hi.