



HOT OFF THE PRESS

The Octopus

The octopus has 8 legs. It has two eyes and no bones. Octopi live in the ocean on coral reefs. Octopi eat fish and sharks. They move using their arms and legs. They squirt ink to save themselves.

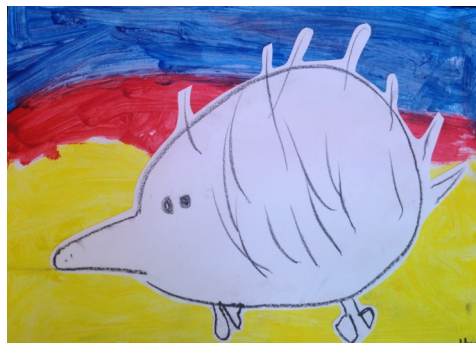
Jaylen Bell—Year 1



THE ECHIDNA AND THE SPEARS

The echidna shook and pulled the tree until it came out of the desert ground. He stomped away with the tree on his back. The animals saw that their shade was moving and then they saw the echidna was carrying it. This made them angry at the Echidna. Then they threw a boomerang at the echidna and it broke his feet. He kept walking until the animals threw spears at him. He lay on the ground and nearly died. A bird came and asked him "Where do you want to be buried?" He was buried in between the rocks with the spears poking out. The Echidna was happy in between the rocks.

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Wombat Stew

The famous and fancy Ringtail Possum came scattering down the leafy branch to greet Dingo.

"Hey there Dingo," shrieked Possum.

"What do you have in that billycan over there?"

"I'm cooking up a wombat stew," replied Dingo.

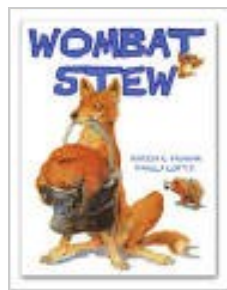
"Everybody knows that wombat stew needs crunchy, munchy bark. It will make the stew taste delicious and crunchy," described Possum.

"Righto in they go!" said Dingo.

Possum used his short and fluffy tail to scoop up the crunchy munchy bark off the tree and he flicked it into the stew.

Around and around and around the bubbling billy, Dingo danced and sang.....

**Wombat stew,
Wombat stew,
Gooley, Brewy,
Yummy, Chewy,
Wombat stew!**



Kasey Bethune Year 3

Antarctica

I can smell the open road to a frozen wasteland.

I see a frozen desert covered in snow; teeming with life.

I hear the shattering of ice crashing and smashing on the open water.

I can feel the biting wind bellowing on me like a freezing blizzard racing across the wasteland.

I can taste the frozen ice – my tongue becomes numb.

Louis Lievens Year 5