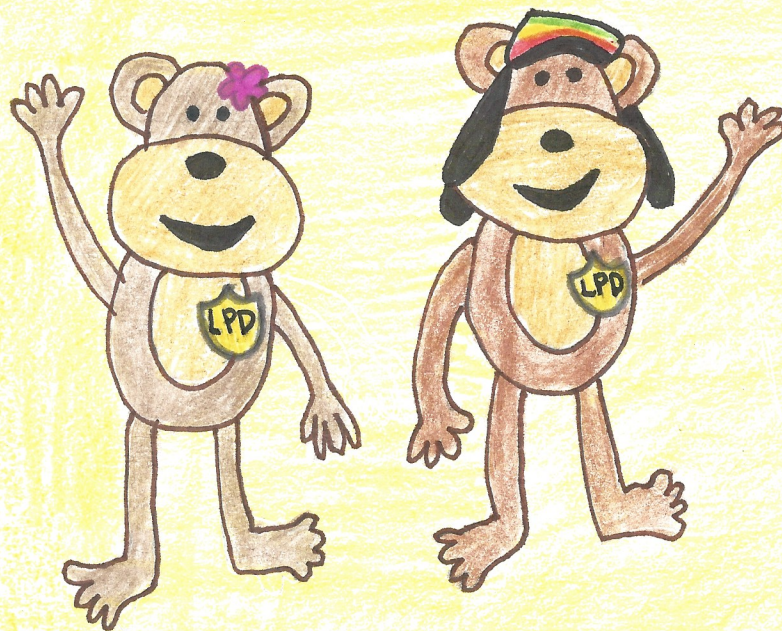
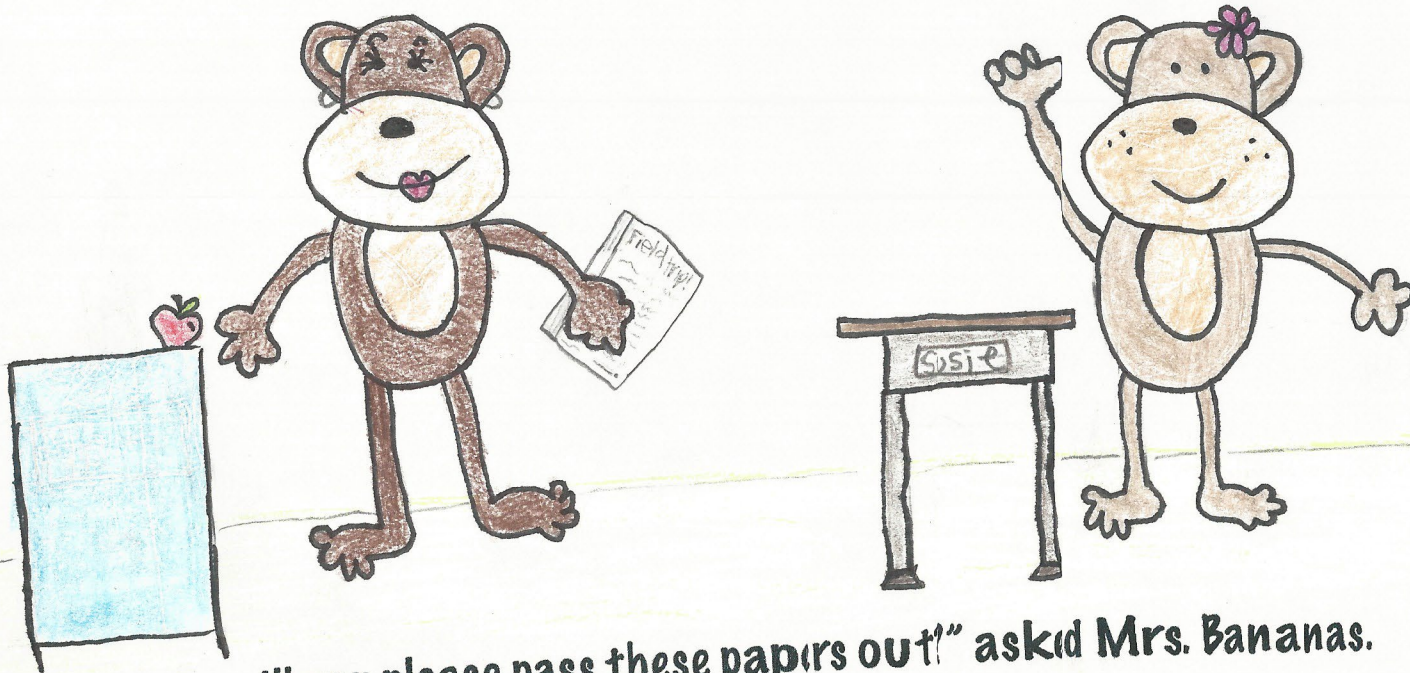


Mrs. Banana's Litter Police!



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"Susie, will you please pass these papers out!" asked Mrs. Bananas.

"Yes, of course, teacher. What are they for?"

"These papers are very important. If you don't get them signed by your parent, you will not be able to go on the field trip next week."

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Susie raised her hand.

"Yes Susie?"

"What are we doing, Mrs. Bananas?"

"We are going to the park to pick up litter."

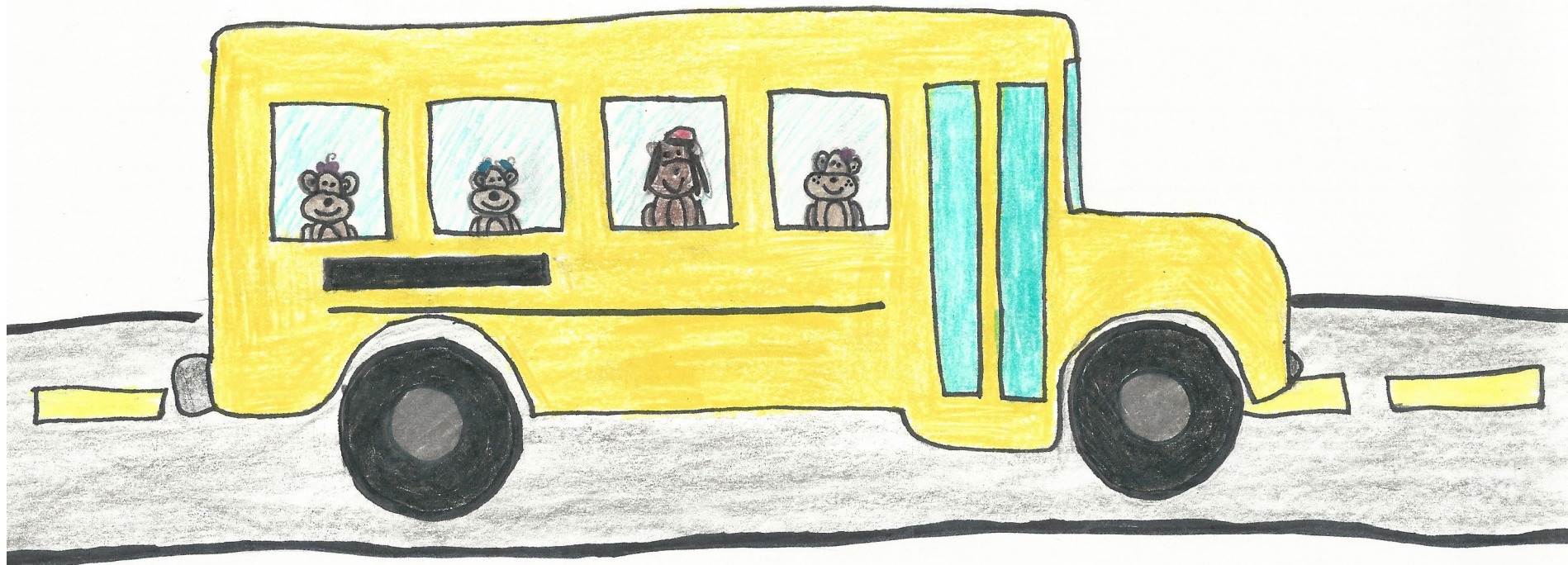
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Justin had been super excited all week, and now, it was the day of the class field trip!

"Class, today is our field trip," said Mrs. Bananas.

"Ya Mon! Let's go," Justin shouted.





"Before we get started, I would like to tell you why it is important not to litter. Litter kills critters and is very bad for the environment. Not only is litter dangerous, but it makes our world dirty."

"Can I please pass those bags out, Mrs. Bananas?"

"Yes, Justin. Thank you very much!"



"What does litter do to animals?" asked Zula.

"Some animals eat the litter and get sick."

"Where does the litter go, Mrs. Bananas?" asked Brook.

"Litter can end up anywhere. In this case, it's here, at the park," answered Mrs. Bananas.





"This is a lot more fun than I expected!" exclaimed Brook.

Then Justin shouted, "Helping the environment stay clean makes me feel good on the inside. I have already collected eight cans, I think."



"1 million birds and 100,000 animals die each year from becoming trapped in or eating litter," said Mrs. Bananas.



**"I will teach all my friends to stop littering," replied Justin.
"We can call ourselves the Litter Police!" exclaimed Susie.**



"That is a great idea, Susie! From now on Mrs. Bananas class will be known as the official Litter Police," said Mrs. Bananas.



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