

*I know the article states that this is 'made by students, for students' but I wanted to take the opportunity to say both how good it is, and to thank them for their efforts. We live in a world where initiative is very important, and can lead to huge changes in society. If you doubt me, how many people predicted the success of the internet or of Wikipedia to name just two examples.*

*All my life I have enjoyed reading, so particularly like 'Bookchoice' where students can access great stories. Maybe that might be your next challenge to find out which stories students, parents and teachers really enjoy? Just an idea!*

*Good luck with the project, and thank you to everyone who has made it happen.*

*Mark Rosevear - Principal*



## - April 22 - International Mother Earth Day

From poisoning and injuring marine life to disrupting human hormones, from littering our beaches and landscapes to clogging our waste streams and landfills, the exponential growth of plastics is now threatening the survival of our planet.

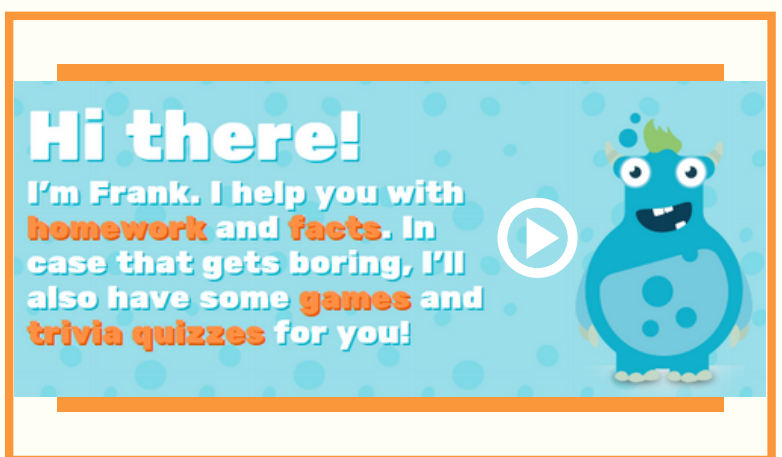
In response, Earth Day 2018 is dedicated to providing the information and inspiration needed to fundamentally change human attitude and behavior about plastics.

**Read more: Earth Day 2018**

## Fact Monster

Fact Monster is a free reference site for students, teachers, and parents. Get homework help and find facts on thousands of subjects, including sports, entertainment, geography, history, biography, education, and health (Also have some games and trivia quizzes!).

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## Awesome Skills for Awesome Kids

DIY is a safe online community for kids to discover new passions, level up their skills, and meet fearless geeks just like them.

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## Road to Russia... A singular Art

Over the past few years, we've seen many artists creatively pushing the boundaries of embroidery. While some adopt the traditional craft to render simple line work, others use thread to create expressive brushstroke textures and painterly blends of color. One artist to have perfected the hybrid craft of embroidery painting is Russian artist Vera Shimunia. Her painterly embroidery designs are pieces of landscape art, expertly stitched with colorful thread.

**Read more: My Modern Met**



## Now... Do it yourself

On this web page you will find thousands of inspiring free patterns to practice and develop your own project.

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## Who was Ada Lovelace?



**Watch the video**



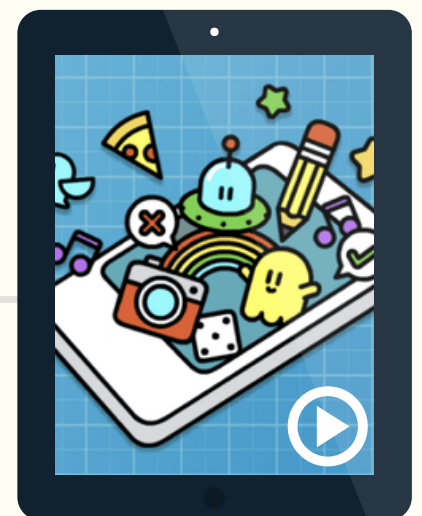
A gifted mathematician who is now recognized as the first computer programmer. Ada Lovelace's work was rediscovered in the mid-20th century, inspiring the Defense Department to name a programming language after her.

**Read more: NYTimes**

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**Read more: Code.org**

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