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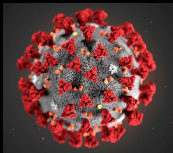
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NEWS FOR KIDS BY KIDS

NEWSPAPER BY
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JAM-PACKED
with interesting news
just for you

Latest COVID-19
reports



**GAMES AND
QUIZZES**



Katy Perry Delivers
'Smile' Album Delay
News With a Pie in
Her Face

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**FULL OF FUN
FEATURES!**



TOP 6: SONGS

Results [are out!](#)

Get to know our staff!

Lela Star
Chief Author



HI! My name is Felicia, but you can call me Lela Star. I am the chief author and co-founder of the CookyLela Newspaper! Don't be afraid to just keep on readin'!

Fatima
Chief Designer



Emi
Chief Editor

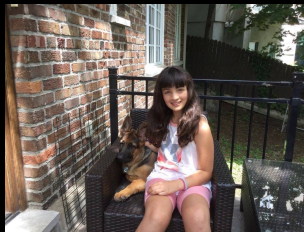


Léa
Chief Photographer



Hello! I am Lea. You can also call me lélé. I am the Chief Photographer because I am good at photography. And the team and I are very happy to have you here and we all set up an amazing news paper all for you.

Elena
Chief Artist



Hello I am Elena. People also call me Ellie! I love swimming. It's my favorite sport and I do it competitively. I am very artistic and I am very happy to be part of the CookyLela newspaper!

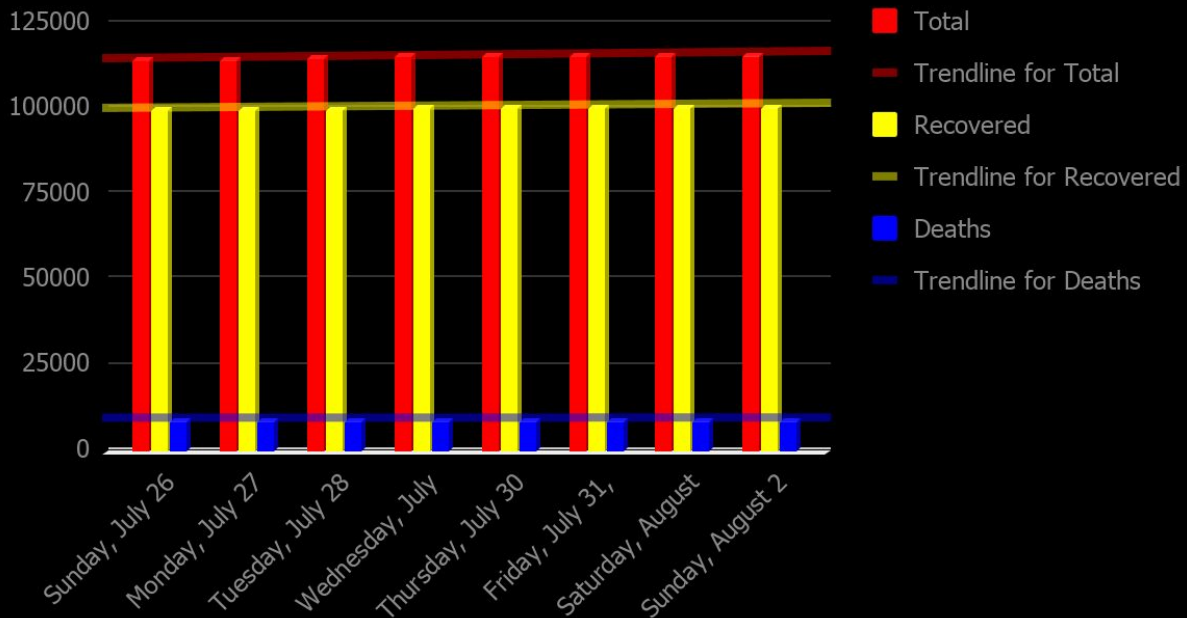
Alex
Assistant Artist



NEWS SECTION

COVID-19 REPORT - AUGUST 2, 2020

COVID-19 Canada Cases



COVID-19 MYTHBUSTERS

FACT: People should NOT wear masks while exercising

People should NOT wear masks when exercising, as masks may reduce the ability to breathe comfortably. Sweat can make the mask become wet more quickly which makes it difficult to breathe and promotes the growth of microorganisms. The important preventive measure during exercise is to maintain physical distance of at least one meter from others

FACT: The likelihood of shoes spreading COVID-19 is very low

The likelihood of COVID-19 being spread on shoes and infecting individuals is very low. As a precautionary measure, particularly in homes where infants and small children crawl or play on floors, consider leaving your shoes at the entrance of your home. This will help prevent contact with dirt or any waste that could be carried on the soles of shoes.

FACT: Most people who get COVID-19 recover from it

Most people who get COVID-19 have mild or moderate symptoms and can recover thanks to supportive care. If you have a cough, fever and difficulty breathing seek medical care early - call your health facility by telephone first. If you have fever and live in an area with malaria or dengue seek medical care immediately.

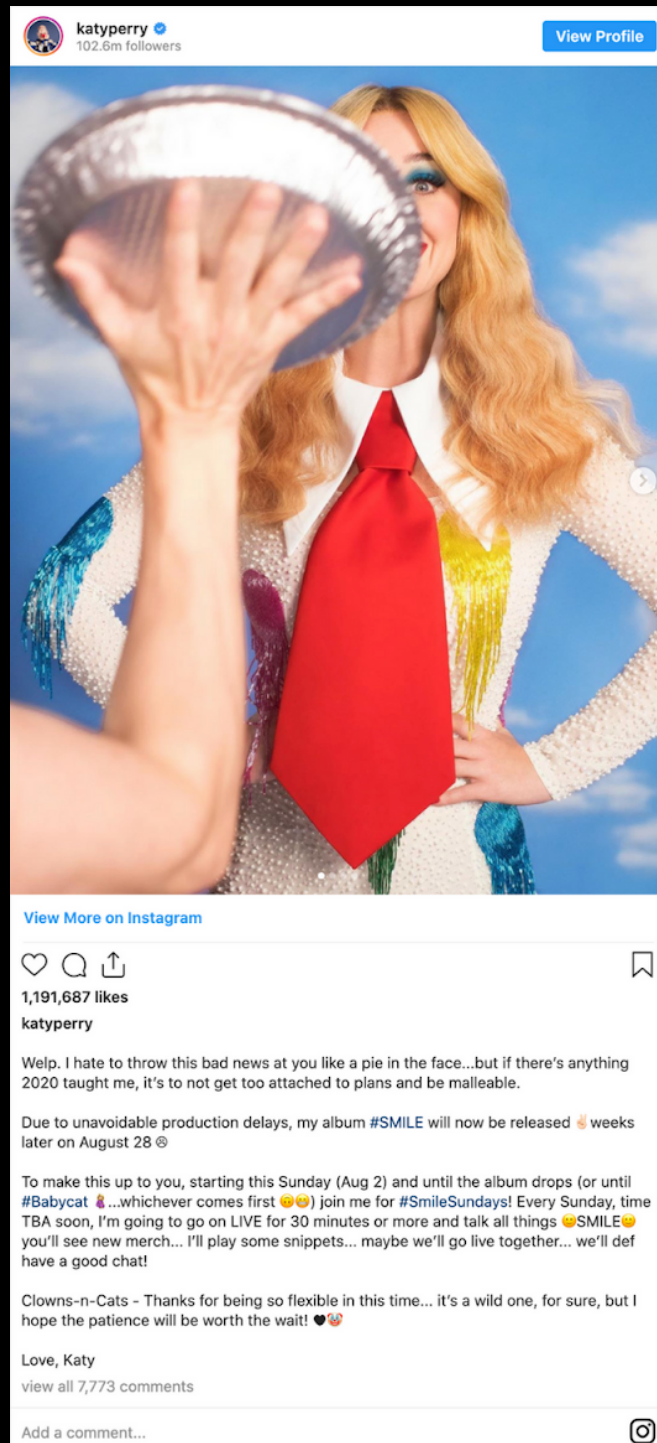
FACT: Adding pepper to your soup or other meals DOES NOT prevent or cure COVID-19

Hot peppers in your food, though very tasty, cannot prevent or cure COVID-19. The best way to protect yourself against the new coronavirus is to keep at least 1 metre away from others and to wash your hands frequently and thoroughly. It is also beneficial for your general health to maintain a balanced diet, stay well hydrated, exercise regularly and sleep well.

FACT: COVID-19 is NOT transmitted through houseflies

To date, there is no evidence or information to suggest that the COVID-19 virus transmitted through houseflies. The virus that causes COVID-19 spreads primarily through droplets generated when an infected person coughs, sneezes or speaks. You can also become infected by touching a contaminated surface and then touching your eyes, nose or mouth before washing your hands. To protect yourself, keep at least 1-metre distance from others and disinfect frequently-touched surfaces. Clean your hands thoroughly and often and avoid touching your eyes, mouth and nose.

Katy Perry Delivers 'Smile' Album Delay News With a Pie in Her Face



OPINION SECTION

Results: TOP 6 SONGS

1st Place: Smile by Katy Perry

2nd Place: Daisies by Katy Perry

3rd Place: Exhale by Mackenzie Ziegler

4th Place: What Time Is It (From "High School Musical 2")

5th Place: You Need To Calm Down by Taylor Swift

6th Place: The Other Side by Justin Timberlake

Winner: Smile by Katy Perry!!!

Top Ten Snacks (so far!) Vote [here](#).

1st Place: Cupcakes/cake

2nd Place: Ferrero Rocher

3rd Place: Doritos or Cheetos

4th Place: Oreos

5th Place: Ruffles

6th Place: Lay's Chips

7th Place: Hershey's Chocolate

8th Place: Fruit/Veggies

9th Place: Cookies

10th Place: Roasted Peanuts

Winner: CUPCAKES / CAKE!

FOOD SECTION

Super Strawberry Smoothie

Thanks Lea for your recipe!



Ingredients:

1. 1 cup Strawberries
2. 1 cup ice
3. 2 spoons of brown sugar
4. $\frac{1}{2}$ cup water

Instructions:

1. Put all the ingredients in the blender
2. Mix everything
3. Blend it all up
4. Voila! Enjoy.

Sugar Cookie Recipe

<https://tealnotes.com/sugar-cookie-recipe/>

These sweet and fluffy sugar cookies are perfect for a sweet tooth treat!

Prep Time: 10 minutes | Cook Time: 8 minutes | Servings: 23 Cookies

Ingredients:

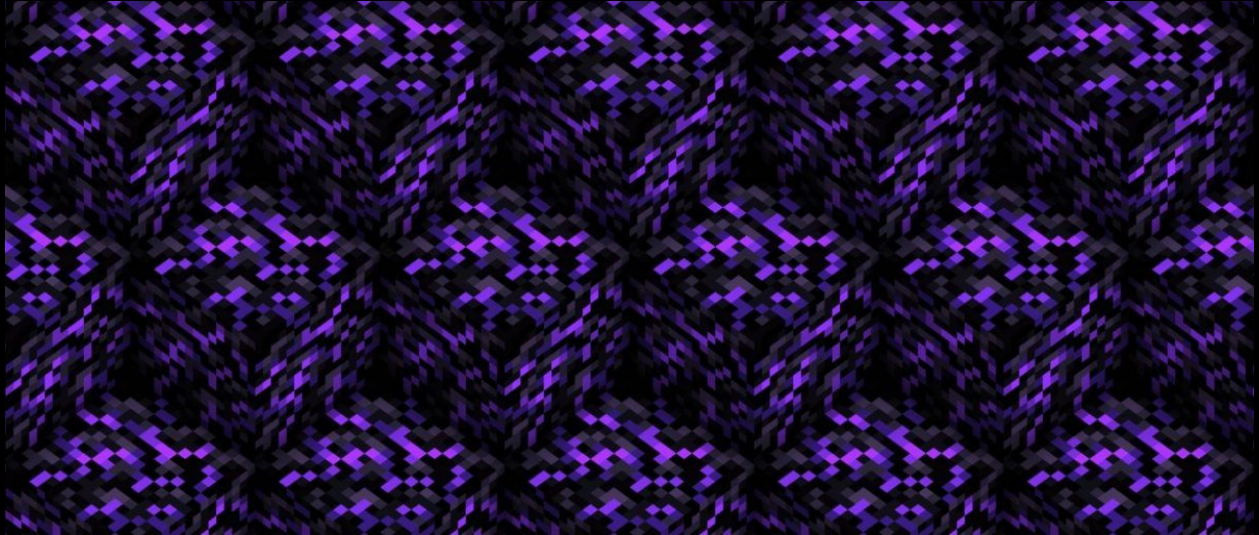
- 2 3/4 Cups All-purpose flour
- 1/2 Tsp. Baking powder
- 1 Tsp. Baking soda
- 1 Cup Room temperature butter, unsalted
- 1/2 Tsp. Salt
- 1 Cup Sugar
- 2 Tbsp. Vanilla extract
- 1 Large Egg

Instructions

- Preheat oven to 350°
- In a bowl, mix flour, baking soda, and baking powder along with salt and set aside
- Beat together sugar and butter until well mixed and fluffy
- Then add egg and mix before adding the vanilla extract
- Add dry ingredients in thirds until well mixed
- Your dough will be semi sticky and not too firm (that's okay)
- Using a tablespoon, dollop spoonfuls of the dough onto two cookie sheets
- With a spoon or pinching your fingers, sprinkle extra sugar on top of each cookie. You can add colorful sprinkles and different toppings here (optional)
- Set in oven and bake for 8-9 minutes or until edges are very slightly golden brown (don't over bake or cookies will not be soft)
- Take out and let cool for a few minutes, then enjoy!
- Store in an airtight container



F U N S E C T I O N



BLOCK OF THE WEEK: CRYING OBSIDIAN

Read it and weep

Dying in Minecraft is pretty bad, but dying in the Nether is so much worse. Not only do you have to trek all the way back from your home base in the Overworld, but you also run the risk of your inventory getting burnt up in fire or lava.

The Minecraft team has been trying to make dying in the Nether a little less frustrating by adding a way to set your spawn point in the Nether. And it requires our block of the week – crying obsidian.

Crying obsidian can be acquired from a ruined portal – an ancient structure, found in both the Nether and the Overworld, that once allowed transport between the two, but has succumbed to the ravages of time. The Minecraft team added these structures to give new players, who might not know about the Nether, a hint that there was somewhere else to visit.

As well as acquiring crying obsidian from portals, you can also barter with piglins and find it in chests in bastion remnants. But the developers played with other ideas too:

So next time you're milling about in the Overworld, keep an eye out for ancient portals – and if you find one then be sure to harvest its crying obsidian. Otherwise it won't be the obsidian that's crying the next time you die in the Nether. It'll be you. :}

DIY SECTION

How to make a DIY Colorful Clock



Step 1: by this clock in dollarama.
Step 2: color it with markers.
Step 3: add detail and voila enjoy your beauty.
Step 4: color the clock the colors you want.

Bookmark Tutorials

TUTORIAL 1: CORNER BOOKMARK

<https://youtu.be/BEwlofrqo18>

TUTORIAL 2: GALAXY BOOKMARK

<https://tealnotes.com/diy-galaxy-bookmarks/>

SUPPLIES:

- Sturdy cardstock
- String for the tassel (you can learn to make DIY tassels [here](#))
- Scissors
- Glue stick
- Hole puncher
- A template you can download [here](#)

DIRECTIONS

1. First cut out your templates and your star charm
2. Then glue both your templates together with your glue stick so your bookmark is double sided.
3. Then hole punch both your star charm and your bookmark
4. Then thread your DIY tassel (again you can find the tutorial on how to make one [here](#)) through the hole punch along with your star charm
5. And TADA! You've got yourself a pretty cool homemade bookmark that'll hopefully help you get more reading done



NATURE SECTION

MY SEEK FINDINGS

I like to bring my phone along whenever I go outside, and not because of social media or games. It's because I have a wonderful app called Seek, that I wrote an article about a few days ago.

Recently, when I walked outside, I saw some really interesting plants, animals and fungi. All are fascinating, some are endangered, some are poisonous, and some are actually edible! This article will be all about my interesting observations in my neighborhood.

1. Oleander (*Nerium oleander*)

I observed this on July 24. After doing a bit of research on Seek, I found so much about it. This species was brought to the area by humans, and doesn't naturally occur here. Oleander is very, very toxic in all its parts. It is the one and only species currently classified in the genus *Nerium*. It is so widely cultivated that no exact location of origin has been found as of now, though our best guess is that it originates from southwest Asia.



Taxonomy:

- Kingdom Plantae (Plants)
 - Phylum Tracheophyta (Vascular Plants)
 - Class Magnoliopsida (Dicots)
 - Order Gentianales (Gentians, Dogbanes, Madders and Allies)
 - Family Apocynaceae (Dogbane Family)
 - Genus *Nerium* (*Nerium*)
 - *Nerium oleander* (Oleander)

2. Trooping Crumble Cap (*Coprinellus disseminatus*)

I observed this on July 25. Trooping Crumble Cap is sometimes called fairy inkcap. Funnily enough, this mushroom is edible, but not very tasty, experts say.



Taxonomy:

- Kingdom Fungi (Fungi including Lichens)
 - Phylum Basidiomycota (Basidiomycete Fungi)
 - Class Agaricomycetes (Agaricomycetes)
 - Order Agaricales (Common Gilled Mushrooms and Allies)
 - Family Psathyrellaceae (Psathyrellaceae)
 - Genus *Coprinellus* (*Coprinellus*)
 - *Coprinellus disseminatus* (Trooping Crumble Cap)

3. Brown Rove Beetle (*Platydracus maculosus*)

I observed this on July 22. This species is native to Canada. Unfortunately, Seek didn't provide any information about the brown rove beetle, but Seek did provide the taxonomy. Here it is.

Taxonomy:

- Kingdom Animalia (Animals)
 - Phylum Arthropoda (Arthropods)
 - Class Insecta (Insects)
 - Order Coleoptera (Beetles)
 - Family Staphylinidae (Rove Beetles)
 - Genus *Platydracus* (*Platydracus*)
 - *Platydracus maculosus* (Brown rove beetle)



After scrolling further down, I discovered how rare this species is. Only 662 have been observed in both iNaturalist and Seek combined!