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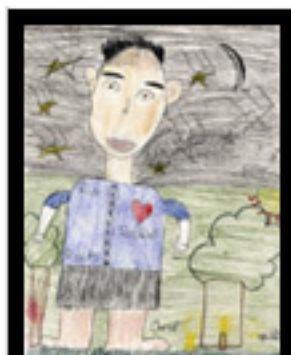
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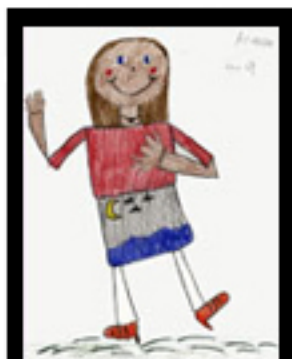
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MY BODY IS AWESOME

A Collaborative Poem by Mrs. Rafferty's Class

My body is awesome, my body is great, my body is loud.

My hair is as black as the night sky,
as shiny as gold,
as wild as a lion's mane.

My hair is as long as a scarf
and as smooth as a silk blanket.
My hair is as thick as grass and as bright as a marigold.

My eyes are like falling stars,
as blue as the ocean and shiny as a pearl.
My eyes are as sharp as a knife.

My ears are like snail shells,
like apples cut in half,
like half a heart.

My skin is the color of dark caramel
and cinnamon mixed into chocolate cake.
My skin is the color of beautiful.

My voice can be like a dragon's roar or as soft as a butterfly,
as funny as a clownfish or as serious as a salmon.

My smile is as happy as staying up late on the 4th of July—
My smile is as wide as a rainbow
and as bright as the sun.

My laugh can be like a rocket blasting or a trumpet playing,
but sometimes it is as quiet as ocean waves.

My heart beats fast like a hummingbird's wings,
loud like a basketball dribbling,
steady like a drumbeat of happiness.

My body is loud, my body is great.
My body is awesome!