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# Welcome Letter

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**Hello, dear reader!**

**Our team of editors welcomes you!**

We are glad to present the first issue of our term school magazine – “student&teacher”. During whole third term we collected the most memorable and amazing moments of our school life: events, competitions and celebrations. All of those are showed with your own eyes as we interviewed many of you. Remember that? So then you’ll probably find yourself on the pages.

Are you excited as we are? Then, turn over the page!

# THE GREATEST



**Always in our hearts**

## MEMORABLE DATES ARE HONORED IN THE SCHOOL

We want you to remember some very important things have happened recently. There were couple of events in our school this term devoted to the historical memorable dates.

One of those is **February, 2**. This is the day of sore for all the nation. It defines **the day of the great victory in the battle of Stalingrad**. Many years have already passed , but the importance of the battle is still kept in the memory of every patriot.

Our school didn't stay aside. There were the Courage Classes, presentations and

### **INTERESTING FACT**

In the Battle of Stalingrad died **more than 2 000 000 people** of different nations.



*Some volunteers and representors of Yunarmiya took care of the memorial.*



local events dedicated to the 75th Jubilee of the Victory at the Stalingrad Battle. Then our volunteers and the representors of the Young Army Cadets National Movement (*red. Yunarmiya*) took care of the local memorial and brought everything around in order.

Another memorable day takes us back into 80s. It is very hard times for Soviet Union as the country was involved into **the War in Afghanistan**. The bright but sad day is **the 15th of February**. This day 29 years ago after 10 years of fighting the Soviet soldiers was carried back home where they were met as heroes – dead or alive.

15 000 soviet people were violently killed during the war, 6 of them had lived in our borough. Every year our school honor these brave young men. This year memorable school meeting was called “We exist as long as we remember” and invited not only our pupils but also guests. We welcomed researching group from pedagogical college named after S.M. Kirov, librarians and others.

There will be always place for such events in our school. It makes us stronger as we see how strong and brave our citizens were.



*We thank our guests for taking part in the event!*

# HIGH INTELLIGENCE



**The brightest students study next to you!**

## HAVE A LOOK AT THE “BRAIN FIGHT”

February was full of events. They were mostly devoted to the heroes, but we shouldn't forget that we have our own heroes at school. Of course, our pupils don't fight directly, but every day they force themselves to get knowledge. It's the most difficult fight for every teenager!

Each year there's a “battle” of the best students which is called “**The Student of the Year**” and again and again school authority faces the great challenge to pick only one of us to represent the school. This year such student is **Alina Larina** (10th form). Alina

*Alina and her support team*



proudly represented our school among the others. She turned out to be very smart, talented and fearless. Alina became the awardee of the contest and was met in the school as the winner. Our congratulations!

## *"THANK YOU" NOTE*

*We thank each student and teacher who supported Alina. We share the achievement with all of you!  
Thanks!*



Another event where our students were brainstorming is "City of Masters".

The meeting was held on the 13th of February, 2018, in our school among pupils from 5 to 11th grades. In the hall of the school there were many platforms, such as, "Tractor driver" profession led by Verendyakin P. V. and Lyamkin V. N., "Agronomist" led by Ivliev A.V., "Vet" profession - Averkina O. E., "Nurse" - Balandina T. N. and "Instructor of movement therapies" led by Gunina L. I. In a small classroom of the 5th grade there was "Beauty Salon" with

"Designer" profession. Leader was Sidorova O. A. from Ichalkovskii pedagogical college. This

meeting was very interesting with showing of master class on all professions. In the end, the results were evaluated and the winners got the certificates. Uchevatkin S. A., principal of our school, handed

"thank-letters" to all teachers-guests on all professions.



# HEALTHY NATION



**Having fun while doing sports? Easy!**

## WHAT BRINGS STUDENTS AND TEACHERS ALONG TOGETHER?

We have written about important and quite serious events. You might have thought that our school is boring. Not at all! Let's go deep down into the world of fun built around us.

Our school has earned the status of the place where you can rely on people. So, that is why this year we hosted very valuable winter event. Can you guess? We are sure, you can.



Our teachers welcomed Minister of Sports of the Republic of Mordovia

winter event. Can you guess? We are sure, you can.

"Ski-track of Russia – 2018". For the first time on 10th of February, our district joined all-Russian massive ski competition. It took place at our

school. All children with our principal, Uchevatkin Sergei Aleksandrovich, participated actively. Parents and grandparents were here too. They cheered for their children very much! Our students Mokrousova Anastasia and Larina Alina sang the inspirational songs. The winners were awarded with diplomas but the most important prize had been a good mood and cheerfulness!



For hosting this event our school got a special Letter of thanks.



Let's go further.

On Friday, February, 16th, Maslenitsa took place in our school. 11th grade with their class teacher Fedotova O. S. organized and conducted this funny holiday for all the pupils. Outdoor games for all ages, music, pancakes with

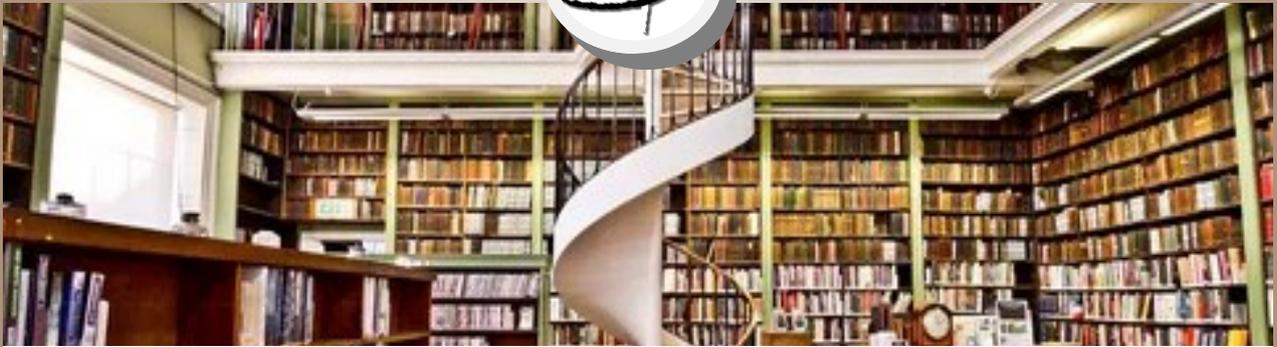
tasty tea, jam and sour-cream - working week was finished in our school like this!

Thank you very much, the 11th graders! It was very fun and interesting!



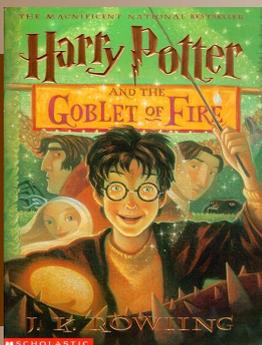
According to all traditions, Winter was burned!

# SCHOOL LIBRARY



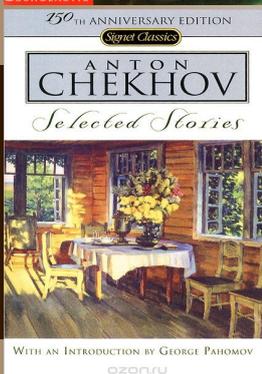
**Have nothing to read? Take the tip!**

WE ASKED STUDENTS AND TEACHERS OF OUR SCHOOL  
ABOUT THEIR FAVOURITE BOOKS



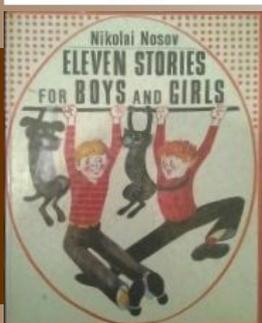
**MASHA A.,** 7TH FORM

The books about Harry Potter, a young wizard, are really popular among children and adults. I love them too! The author is Joanne Rowling. I have read all of them, but my favourite one is "*Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire*". This is the book where the problem of choice, pride and friendship is described in the most interesting way. I suggest you to read it!



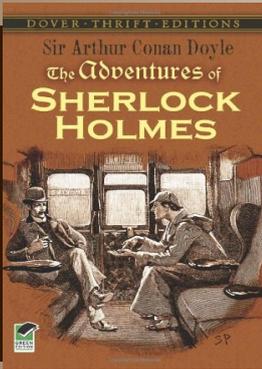
**OLGA NIKOLAYEVNA,** PHYSICS TEACHER

I devote to the reading a lot of time. On weekends I usually spent hours reading the books of my favourite author—Anton Chekhov. He has a lot of short interesting stories which are easy to read, but still they have a lot of sense. I was interested in Chekhov's writing at school, and I will never stop admire his works. My favourite story is "*The Chorus Girl*".



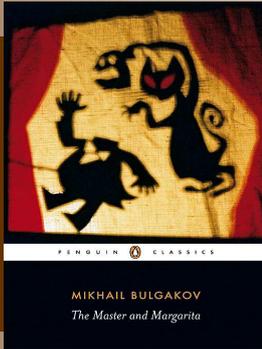
**ANYA S.,** 4TH FORM

Since I was in kindergarten, I love funny stories written by Nikolai Nosov—soviet writer. In his stories he describes life of the children and the awkward situations they get into. My mum used to read them to me when I couldn't read myself. Now I have read them all by myself. The best one, in my opinion, is "*Mishka's Porridge*".



## SASHA. O., THE 8TH FORM

One day I watched the TV-show about a famous detective Sherlock Holmes. I was really impressed with it, so I wanted to become a detective myself. My mum told me about the books written by Arthur Conan Doyle, and I decided to read them in order to find out more about the main character. Now I can say that it's better one time to read, then many times to watch. My favourite Sherlock's adventure is called "*A Study in Scarlet*" which describes the very beginning of the story.



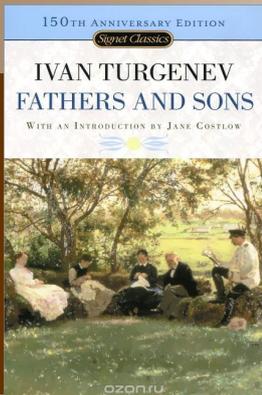
## SVETLANA SERAFIMOVNA, LITERATURE TEACHER

I can talk about the books for ages. It's hard for me to pick the only one I like. However, there's one book which I consider as the outstanding one. It's "*The Master and Margarita*" by Mikhail Bulgakov. It's not a children story, of course, but I think it must be read by our older students and my colleagues. It's the novel about love, dark and light, passion and lifestyle. It's difficult to describe it in a short. Just read it!



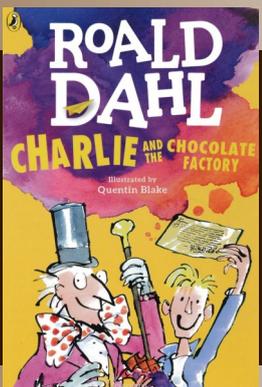
## NASTYA M., THE 11TH FORM

I don't like scary stories but there's one book I can reread. It's "*Frankenstein*" written by Mary Shelley. You have probably heard about the Frankenstein from the horror movies but I bet you don't know the original story. It answers a lot of questions. It's the story about a creator and his creature. How can we become the victims of our actions? Read the story and find it out.



## TATYANA VALERYEVNA, ENGLISH TEACHER

One may suppose that I will suggest an English book. So, you are completely wrong! I believe that Russian literature is the greatest one! So, I wish you'd read a book written by the outstanding Russian writer Ivan Turgenev "*Fathers and Sons*". This book will never go out of fashion—the problem of fathers and sons is immortal. It's good to read it not only for parents but for the children too. When I was young, this book helped me a lot and solved some problems in a way. Hope, it'll help you too!



## DIMA L., THE 5TH FORM

I have a favourite book: "*Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*" by Roald Dahl. I love it because it describes the wonderful fairy factory and children have an opportunity to visit this place if they get a special ticket and after that the winners will get a free chocolate the whole life! Isn't it cool? I wish I could be the main character of the book. The author tells us about people's sins and desires they can't control. Read it and find out if Charlie has got the main prize or not!

# A CHILD WHO LOVES TO READ



and parents



## How to Get Your Child to Love Reading

You can create a home environment that will beckon your child into the wonderful world of literature. Books and the characters in literature play a massive role in school, college and life, and can also lead to interest in pursuing a professional career if the interest is high. Reading is a lifelong hobby and can help build the imagination, vocabulary and education of your child.

We believe you want your child to love books. But how to encourage your child to read? We sorted all the variants and made a parent step-by-step instruction for you to reach this goal.

**1** **START EARLY.** Teaching your child to read can start in the womb. Read to the kid before and after birth as much as possible. Try to avoid baby talk. Fill your home with books and Illustrated Classics for Children. Stock up all the traditional fairy stories - Hans Christian Andersen and Grimm's Fairy Tales. Buy plenty of books for yourself to set an example of the love of reading.

**2 PURCHASE OR BORROW OTHER MEDIA.** Reading sources such as magazines, newspapers, etc., are another way to interest your child in reading. Newspapers are great to teach both you and your child about the real world. Many family oriented magazines include a kid's section. Direct your kid to that section so that they can do the puzzles, enter the competitions, and read while doing so. Listen to audiobooks on CD or Mp3. Given the increasing popularity of e-readers, the iPad, etc., also consider including these sources of electronic reading material in your child's life.

**3 GIVE BOOKS AS PRESENTS.** Many books that are given for a special occasion or reason will become a special memory and will be long treasured. Remind your relatives and friends to give books they loved as children to your child, to broaden their knowledge of different literature from different eras.

**4 TEACH YOUR CHILD TO RESPECT AND LOVE BOOKS.** The love of reading will come from observing your love of reading, from the pleasure of getting new information for themselves from reading. Inform your child of the rules of caring for books such as not drawing or writing in library books, and not throwing away unwanted books but donating them instead.

**5 SPEND TIME IN THE LIBRARY TOGETHER AS A REGULAR OUTING.** Let your child choose favorite books to read and borrow, and encourage your child to explore the library and enjoy all of the activities it offers. This is good learning about self

-responsibility, anticipation, meeting deadlines, and being conscious of sharing responsibilities. It's also a lesson in

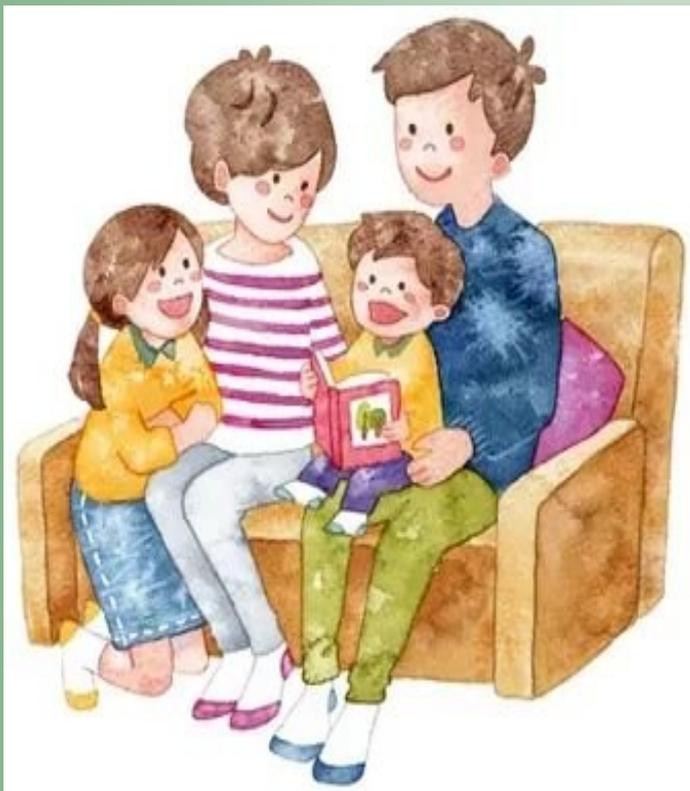


budgeting if you insist late fees come out of their pocket money!

**6 TEACH YOUR CHILD ABOUT FAMOUS WRITERS, ACTORS AND CHARACTERS WHO ARE IN BOOKS, OR WHO WRITE CLASSIC BOOKS.** You child may decide that he or she wants to write books too; do all you can to encourage this by providing paper and pens, and commenting favorably on all writing efforts.

**7 READ OFTEN AND YOUR CHILD WILL MIMIC YOU.** Leave stacks of reading material in such places as your bed and on a chair so that your child can see books and reading matter as a normal part of your lifestyle. This reading role modeling will encourage your child and you can be assured that if you are a reader, then so will be your child.

**8 READ TO AND WITH YOUR CHILD.** Children benefit from listening to reading and reading along. Keep the reading habit up for as long as your child enjoys you reading to him or her. Read the book especially at bedtime as they fall asleep. If your child ever has nightmares, you can use this favorite book to calm them and help them return to sleep.



**9 AVOID PRESSURING YOUR CHILD.** When your child is not interested in a certain book, just put it away. Try to read to them what they are most interested in but also introduce new books all the time. Casually leaving interesting books lying around all the time is often the best way to get them enthused without pressuring them.

So, go to the library, get one of the recommended children books and try out our tips. We wish you all the best in such a great deal.

# The Parts of a Parent Reader

**A Smart Mind,**  
to understand  
the importance of  
reading  
with their child daily.

**Eyes,**  
for seeing their child  
and showing how  
engaged they are.

**Ears,**  
to listen to  
their child's  
questions.

**A Mouth,**  
for reading books  
to their child,  
20 minutes  
every day.

**A heart,**  
to love and  
desire a good  
education for  
their child.

**Hands,**  
for hugging  
their child  
close while  
reading a  
favorite  
book.

**Books,**  
to share every day  
with their child  
to build their  
language and  
literacy.

**Feet,**  
for walking to the  
library each week to  
discover new books.



The  
Children's  
Reading  
Foundation

Source: <https://www.wikihow.com/Raise-a-Child-Who-Loves-to-Read>

# WORLD SPEAKS!



**Speaking foreign languages makes you better**

## THE WORLD CELEBRATES INTERNATIONAL MOTHER LANGUAGE DAY

There are huge number of languages in the world. According to the statistics, there are about 6 000 of them. Each language reflects national peculiarities of culture, mentality and traditions. It builds up human outlook, helps to widen the range of interests and go deeper into particular culture. Respecting all the languages leads to the peace in the world.

Every year there are some subject weeks in our school: Maths Week, English Week, Biology and Chemistry Week and so on. This year on February, 19-26 there was an Erzya Week dedicated to the



celebration of the International Mother Language Day. Subject Week helps to demonstrate the importance of the national language and makes a lot of fun for children.



Let's see how we spent that time.



Class teachers and pupils from 1st to 11th grade participated in organization of the Week of Erzya language too. Many class-based lessons were held in our school – “Mordva and Ancient Rus State”, “State Symbols of Mordovia”, “Virtual Sightseeing of Mordovia”. Pupils read erzyan poems. Excursion to school museum for kindergarten “Obrochensky” was held. There were wood house decoration, national clothes and pottery. Children viewed museum exhibits with great interest and listened to stories about Mordovian people. This week became the evidence of that our school appreciates traditions of native land. Children grow up in love and respect for mother land and people who live there.



## HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW ABOUT MORDOVIA?

- ◆ Saransk was included in the list of the most comfortable cities for living in Russia **6 times!**
- ◆ When the Republic was first established, **Temnikov** was meant to be its capital.
- ◆ Saransk got its coat of arms in **1781**.
- ◆ Tourists from **42 countries** visited Mordovia in 2015.
- ◆ Ue to the World Cup 2018 there will be played 4 matches. Saransk is waiting for more than **260 000 football fans!**



# Take part in our

## **ESSAY COMPETITION**

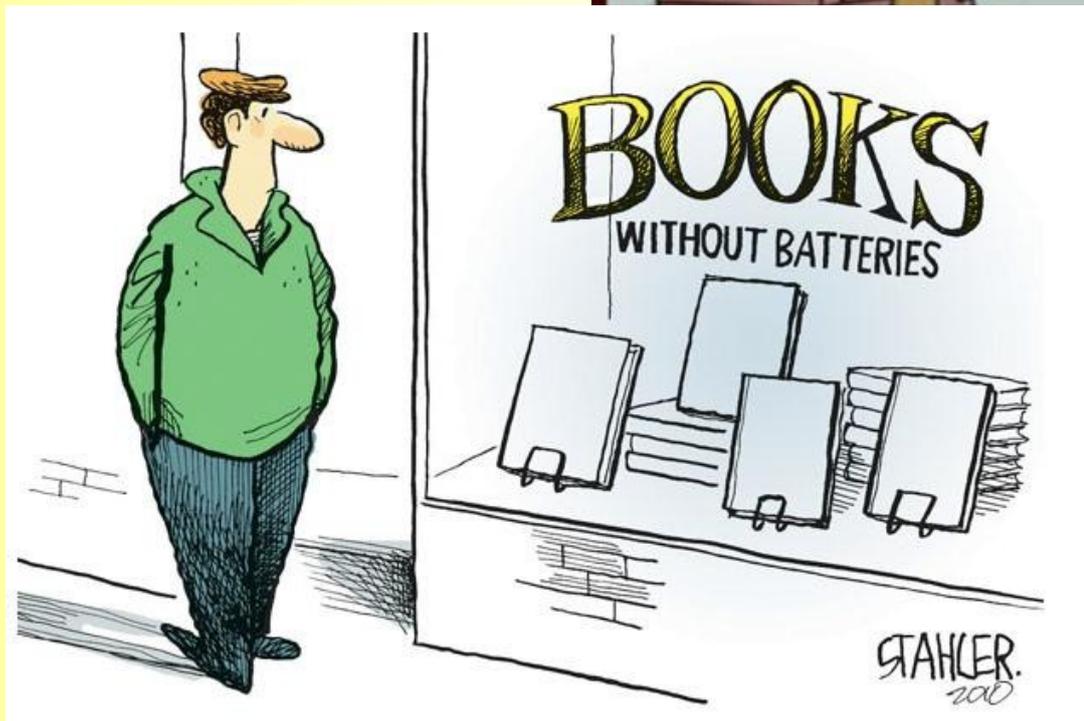
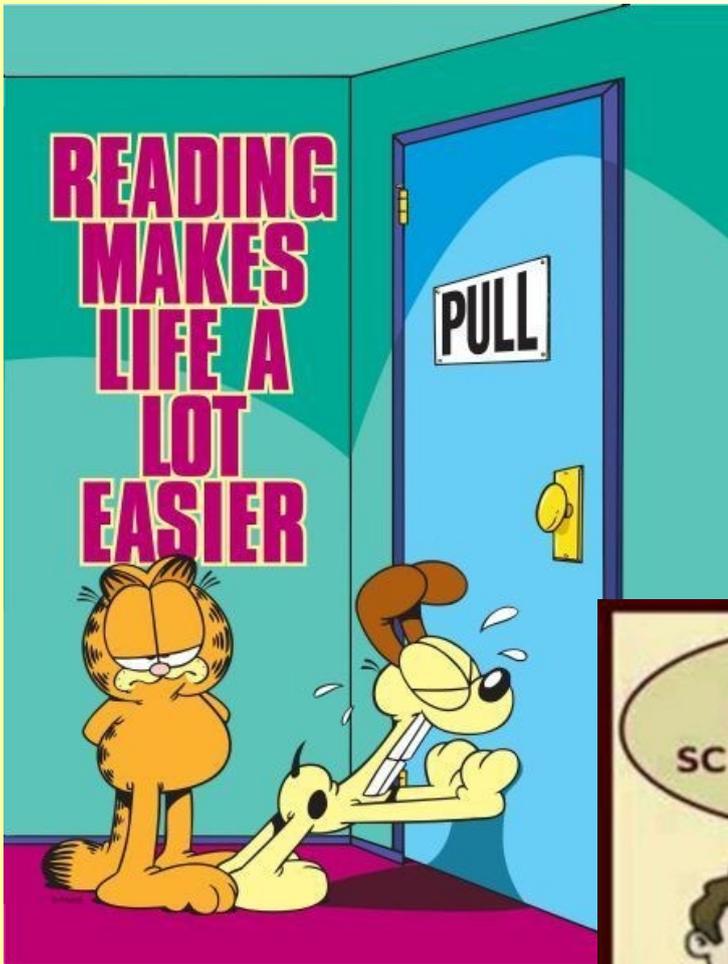
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choose one of the picture as a main problem for your essay

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FEATURING THEME OF OUR NEXT ISSUE!**



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