

George and his new school

St Cyprian's Greek
Orthodox Primary
Academy



One Monday morning at St Cyprians Nursery seven weeks before the celebration of Easter, George came to visit the school with his parents. Nicole from Year 6 showed him around the school.

"Why are they wearing masks?" George asked

"We are celebrating Clean Monday today" Said Nicole



Cyprus Class
Year 1



"What is Clean Monday?" Asked George

"It's the time of the year we start to think about springtime and cleaning our bodies by thinking about what we eat. From today we do not eat meat, fish, milk, cheese and eggs for seven weeks"

"In Greece all the shops are closed and we enjoy a picnic together with our friends and family".



As they walked around the school George noticed the children were making kites and having a party!

"What are they making?" asked George

"They are making kites" explained Nicole, "We fly kites together on Clean Monday and we celebrate with our friends"



Symi Class
Year 3



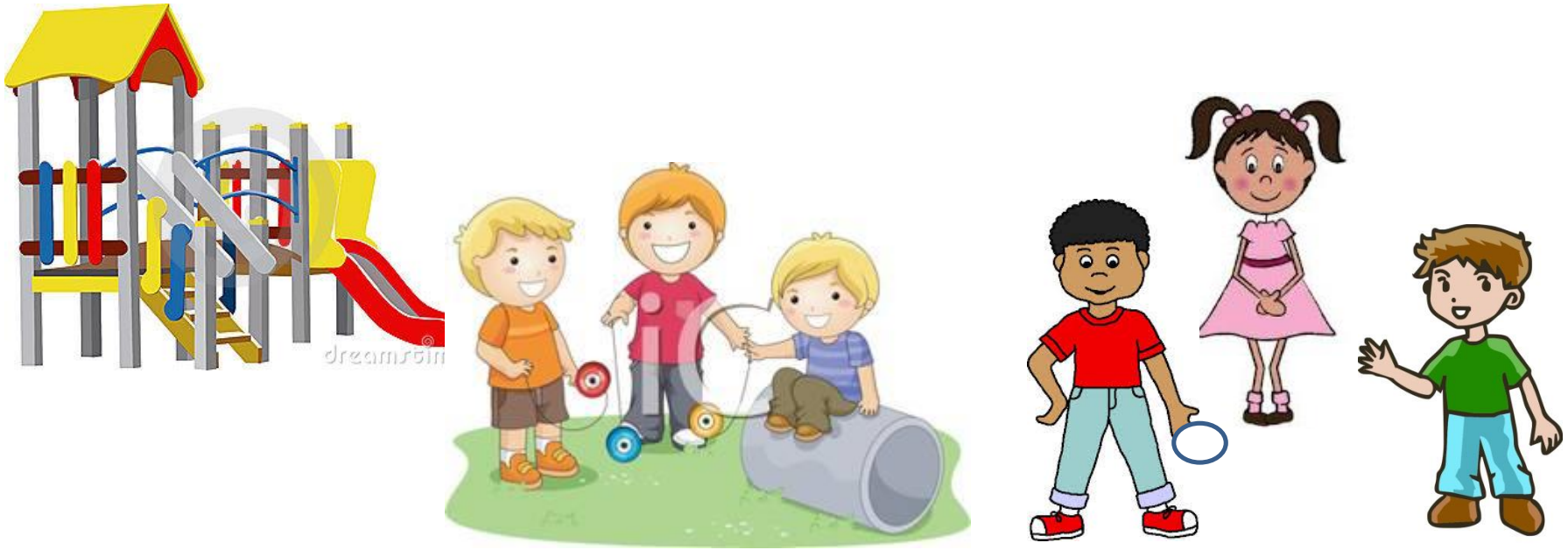
As they went down to the playground they noticed some of the classes were flying kites.

"Can I fly a kite?" asked George

So Nicole took George to the playground and Andreas let George use his kite, it flew very high!



Nicole then took George back to the office and said goodbye to him.



The next day Nicole and Andreas noticed George in the playground.

"Hello George why are you in our playground?" Asked Andreas

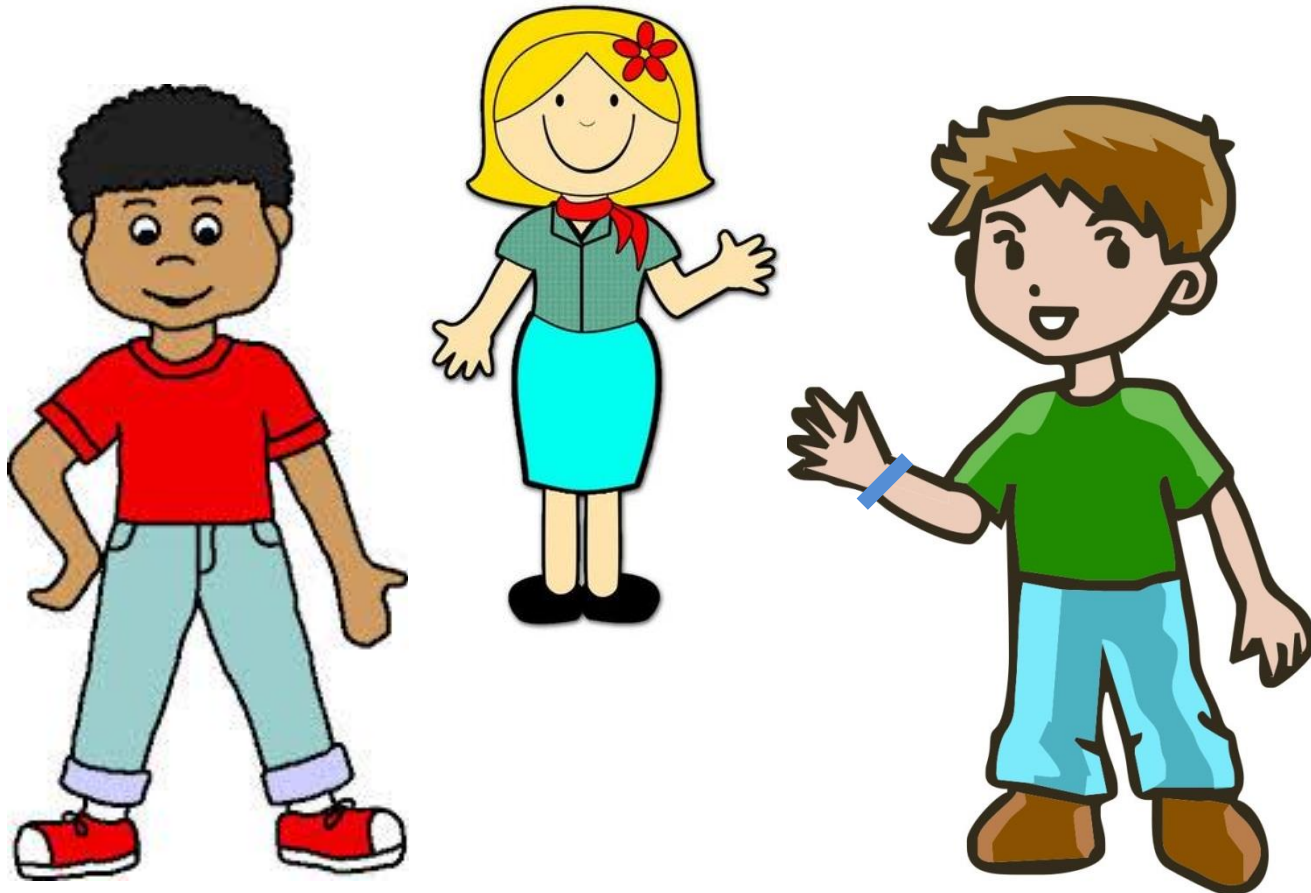
"We liked the school so much yesterday that I have now joined your school! I would like to say thank you for letting me fly your kite, I have made you a friendship band" George puts the band on Andreas arm.

"You made me very welcome and I think we could be great friends"

"Me too" said Andreas "Which class are you in?"

"Crete Class" said George

"Me too! said Andreas "This is Miss Shepherd our teacher"



Seven weeks later St Cyprians were celebrating Easter. George and his family spent time in church thanking God for his great work.

