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Age: 11



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Age: 14



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Age: 15

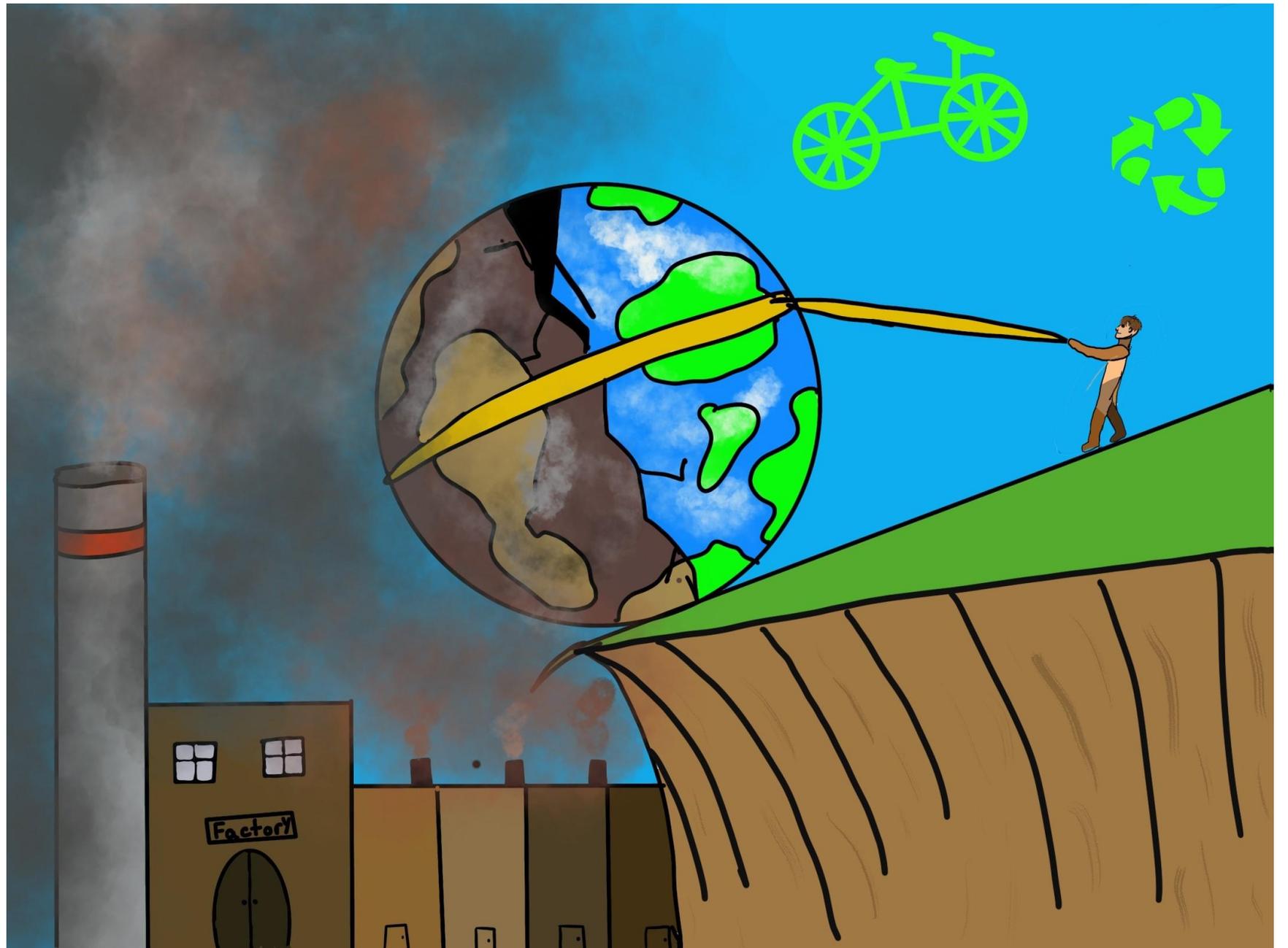
Trying/ *Shani Glassberg*

I once saw a bird,
Flying above my head.
Trying so desperately to
Catch a bit of air.
Instead it caught a heavy,
Heavy thick smoke— where?
Where did we stop to care?
Care about fighting for the fragile,
Helpless lives who need us so gravely.
These creatures who are often agile,
Are now slowing their pace in the valley.
When? When will the voices
Of those shouting “*Enough!*”
Will wake a wave, so strong-
It will clear the sky.
Hence I’m trying, like the bird.
I’m picking up the wasted—
Replacing them with bread.
I’m trying to limit my consuming,
Yet myself alone is not yet blooming-
Thus the community plants the roots,
‘Till the change will come;
And the dirt, gold will become.

Chayse Graydon
Age: 18



Raegan Lentz
Age: 12



Sophia Liang
Age: 15

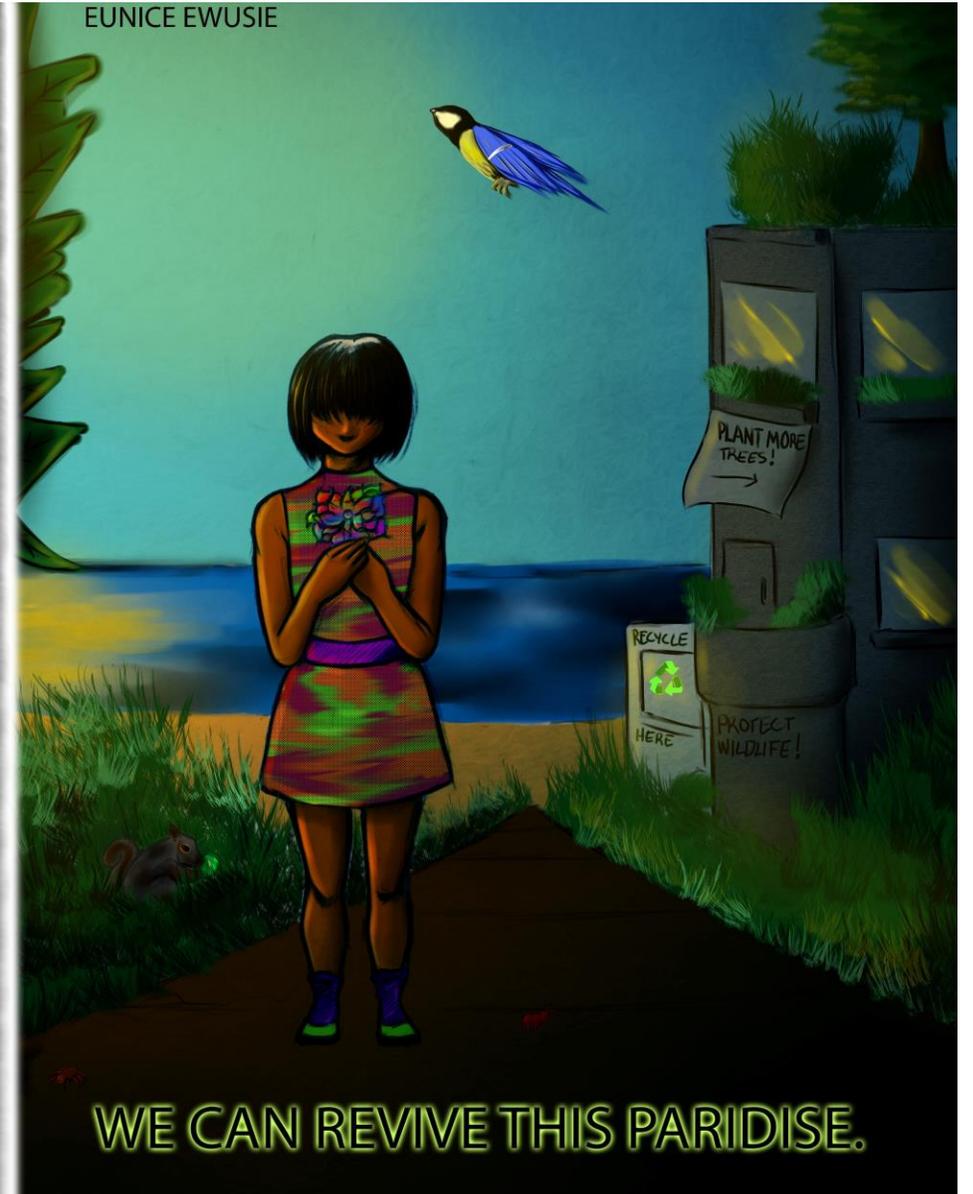
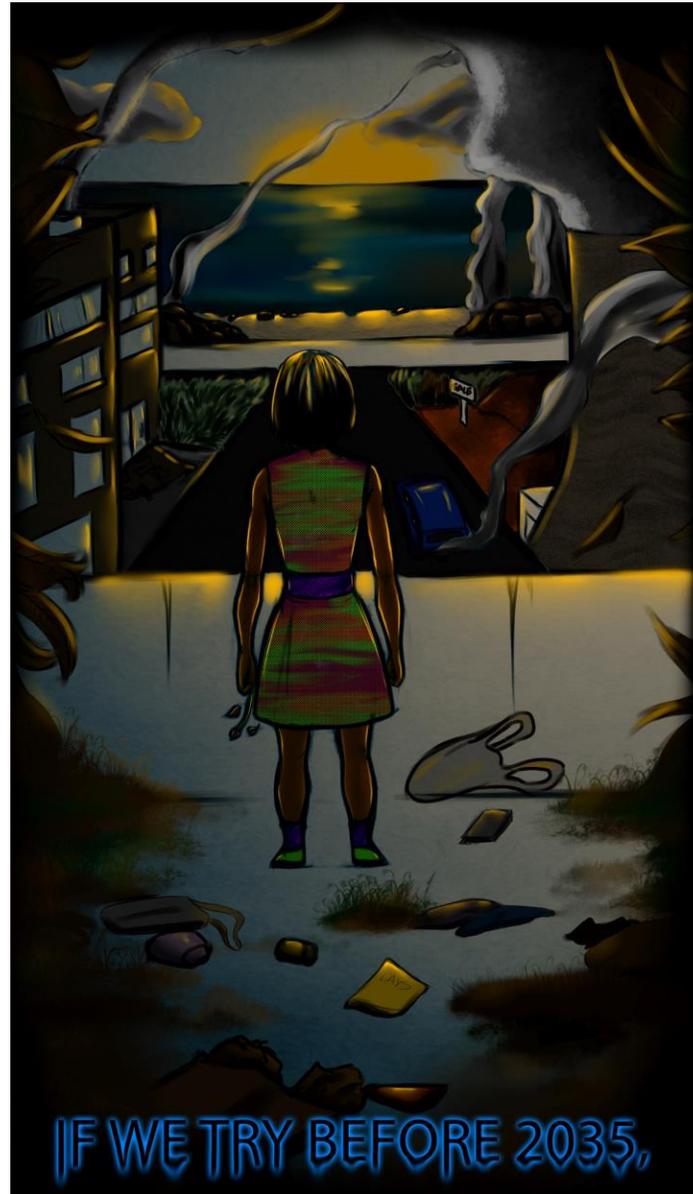


Avani
Ambardekar
Age:15

Rooftop to Rooftop

She climbed from rooftop to rooftop
Perched herself onto branches, yearning
For the same upward climb
Once: barren city of a world above
Now: haven of life
Her senses set alight
With a newfound, emerald clarity
She held close to her the waters of nature's reserves
Light of a harnessed star
Airs from an unadulterated sky
Ingredients to life in their raw forms
She grew lush gardens from the rooftops
Soil-turned stone
And reached every rooftop
Every color, every hue of marked stone
Never once missed
Because even the most barren of stone
Even the most neglected of roofs
Could be cultivated into the most fertile of soils
That others could reach with childlike-grasp
And enjoy nature's fruition
While giving just as much - even more - back
Because the rules of the rooftops were simply put
Bring airs clarified in their own right
Unfiltered light of day, seeping into electric bulbs
Water - ingredients H₂O - nothing more, nothing less
And life will bring life
Once: barren city of a world above
Now: haven of life

Eunice Ewusie
Age: 14



Samantha Kent

- Age 11



Laney Parker – Age:13



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Ami Hernandez
Age: 16



Lillian Weisburger
Age: 20



One Earth

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Sure, I grew up with an environmentalist as a dad. But sometimes it's still hard to believe that our planet is dying. That we only have 20 years to reverse the damage we've created. That we may never see a living tiger ever again. That my favorite place ever, California, could go under water. But I can't turn away. I had to keep watching our planet instead of walking away from the tv because I saw walruses fall to their death. I have to keep educating myself because if I don't, I could forget how much the earth needs to heal. How much the animals need us to think about them. But most importantly, I could forget how much we all need each other so we can fight for our futures every single day until our home is healthy again.

Yoonah Suh
Age: 18

