

# OUR VOICE



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## THE LADY DYNAMO

Most of us could think of Lady Gaga as just the latest product of the American pop industry, but only her real fans know that this 1.5 meters of pure energy reached fame with her strength and her willingness to show her art. In fact it's not just her 80's flavor that makes her so loved and followed!

She walked her first steps in music when she was just a baby and at the age of 13 she had already written a piano ballad and performed in the Big Apple's best clubs. Since that moment everything has been possible for our new heroine that with her sound and beat shook our rhythm and dragged the teenagers all over the world to the dance floor.

So guys "let's dance, It's gonna be ok!"

FRANCESCA GIACOPPO



## A First For The Advanced



Serena Di Bella, Chiara Di Maria, Francesca Giacoppo, Michele Pennisi, Carla Pisi, Daniele Sapio, Antonio Signorelli and Tahereh Toulia of the CAE group were the first students to take the CAE exam for our school, but not only, they were the first in the world to take the Cambridge CAE computer-based exam. Our intrepid group took us to unheard of before levels of excellence. We wish them all the best of luck for the future, as some of them will be leaving us this year for adventures further afield. Don't forget us, you swots!!!!

**Not everything popular is good. not everything good is popular. Don't forget it!!!!!!**

# HARAJUKU!!! WHAT???

Sometimes it's really strange thinking how many cultures exist in the world. Some of them are really interesting and mirror important aspects of everybody's life, like clothing. In Japan, for example, the teenagers' key-word for style is "Harajuku", expression introduced for the first time by the English media to describe the look of those young girls in the area of Harajuku in Tokyo.

If a European guy saw one of these teenagers, he would think they were characters from a manga with their fluorescent accessories, necklaces or Hello Kitty charms..Another important aspect is their wish to look Californian with blonde hair, fake eyelashes and enormous Louis Vuitton bags, but the real aim of this act is to escape from the old Japanese indoctrination of work and discipline that had been boring the population for so long. Harajuku style is the total loss of barriers between groups because fashion is considered as a way to get to know the world! Absolutely!



GIUSEPPE ALOISI



## BROWNIES IN 5 MOVES

- 6 tablespoons cocoa
- ¼ butter
- 1 cup sugar
- ½ teaspoon vanilla
- 1/3 cup flour
- 2 eggs

- 1) Preheat oven to 180° degrees.
- 2) Melt butter and mix it with 6 tablespoons of cocoa powder. Then add the sugar, the eggs, the flour and the vanilla extract. Mix well.
- 3) Butter the baking pan lightly and sprinkle some flour over the pan until covered.
- 4) Spread the brownie batter in the pan and put in oven to bake for 35-40 min.
- 5) Serve it cool and enjoy it with your friends!

**YUMMY!!!!!!!**

This year's appointment with the English Theatre Project will be rather gothic but as ambitious as ever. The story of Tim Burton's Corpse Bride follows unlucky Victor who is to be married into an aristocratic family. While rehearsing his wedding vows in the woods, he accidentally marries the Corpse Bride. Uh-oh! Under the direction of Prof.ssa Lanzafame we can expect lavish costumes, colourful sets and wonderful performances from the troupe. Break a leg, guys!

# TEXT ME

C U LBER- SEE YOU LATER  
R U OK - ARE YOU OKAY  
XOXOX - HUGS AND KISSES

**Check it out!!!!!!!!!!!!**

## BadRomance

Oh-oh-oh-oh-oooh!

Rah-rha-ah-ah-ah!

Oh-oh-oh-oooh-oh-oh-oh!

Ro mah ro-mah-mha

Caught in a bad romance

Gaga Ooh-la-la!

Oh-oh-oh-oh-oooh!

Want your bad romance

Oh-oh-oh-oooh-oh-oh-oh!

love-love-love

Caught in a bad romance

I want your love!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!