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Team A News

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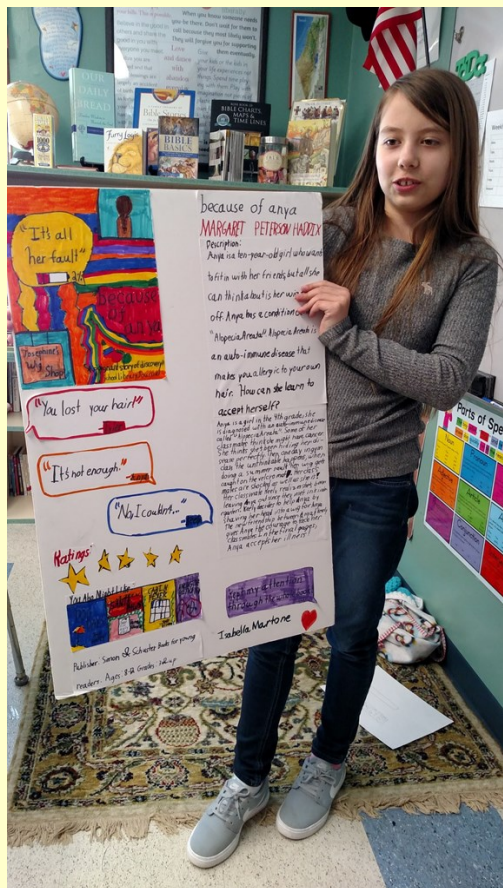


GREETINGS FROM SOUTH AFRICA AND ETHIOPIA! These last two weeks in Team B have been filled with exploration of our two African countries that we have been studying! I have heard comments like “This is so awesome, I want to go to Africa!” “I love learning about how African people live.” Not to mention the wonder of so many biomes existing in one country. The students have been enjoying the very hands-on curriculum in both cultures and science along with a variety of guest speakers.

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