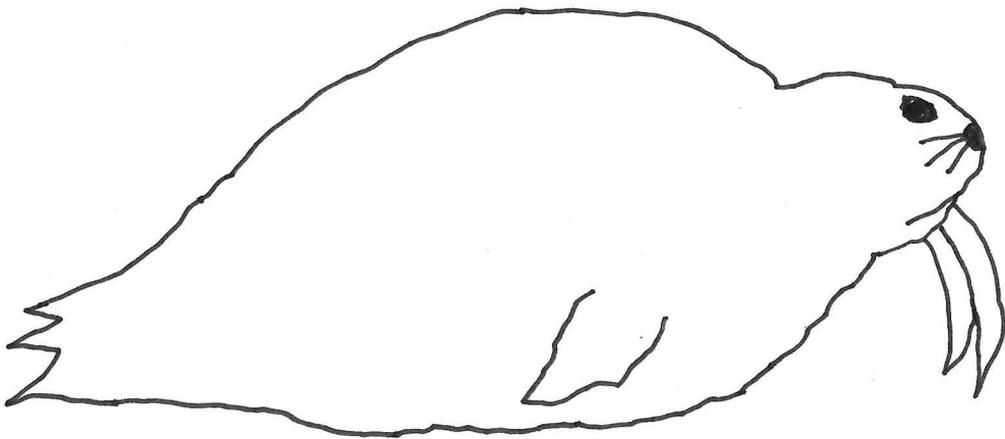


# AIVIK





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It's a walrus.

I saw one only once.

It was very large, crazy, shocking large, very big, scary.

It shows me how brave they are, and how brave everyone is.

I see flowers inside this walrus, maybe growing into the old walrus.

**Andrew**

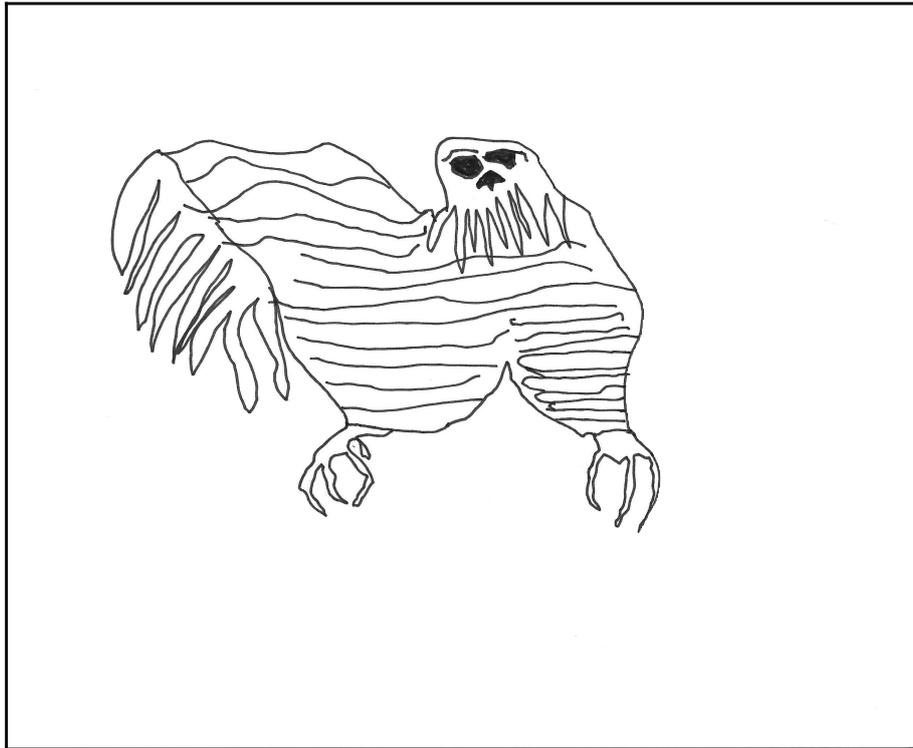
*(responding to 'Floral Transformation' by Ningiukulu Teevee, 2019)*

*(image opposite by Juanasie. Inspired by 'Owl in Arctic Mist' by Pitaloosie Saila, 1988)*

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Dear Mouth,  
I have beautiful teeth.  
It helps my eating and chewing.  
Shows my beautiful teeth.  
My smile makes me talk a lot to A.  
But I like my mouth.

- **Juanasie**



If I was a light source, I'd be shooting stars, fast and quiet.  
Northern Lights.

- **Willie**

If I was a light source, I'd be lava.  
It's hot.

- **Juanasie**

I feel like an oven when I get some ideas.  
It goes slow when I get an idea.  
The machine, it lights up when someone opens it.

- **Andrew**

If I was a light source, I'd be the Northern Lights.  
Green and purple.

I feel like everything is good

- **Matt**

If I was a colour, I'd be blue because it's my favourite.  
If I was a vegetable, I'd be a carrot.  
If I was a video game, I'd be NHL 20.  
If I was a smell, I'd be a fart.  
If I was an animal, I'd be a panther.  
If I was a building, I'd be a tower.  
If I was a song lyric, I'd be a rap song.  
If I was a time of day, I'd be midnight.

- **Willie**

If I was a colour, I'd be brown because it's the most famous in the world.

If I was a vegetable, I'd be a cucumber because everyone likes to eat it.

If I was a video game, I'd be sports cuz athletic.

If I was a smell, I'd be food cuz people will come to me.

If I was an animal, I'd be an eagle cuz I would fly anywhere.

If I was a building, I'd be the Eiffel tower cuz it's famous.

- **Andrew**

### **DUNKING**

Don't go on my way

Unbelievable slam dunk

Nasty dunk on your face

Knock on the rim

I will take it easy

Nice move

Growl after I dunk on you

- **Andrew**

If I was a video game, I'd be Fortnite.

If I was a smell, I'd be an axe – smells good.

If I was an animal, I'd be a wolf – dangerous.

If I was a song lyric, I'd 30'd up.

If I was a time of day, I'd be 9.00AM. I would sleep later.

- **David**

### **NHL**

Nice watch

Hard score

Loud horn

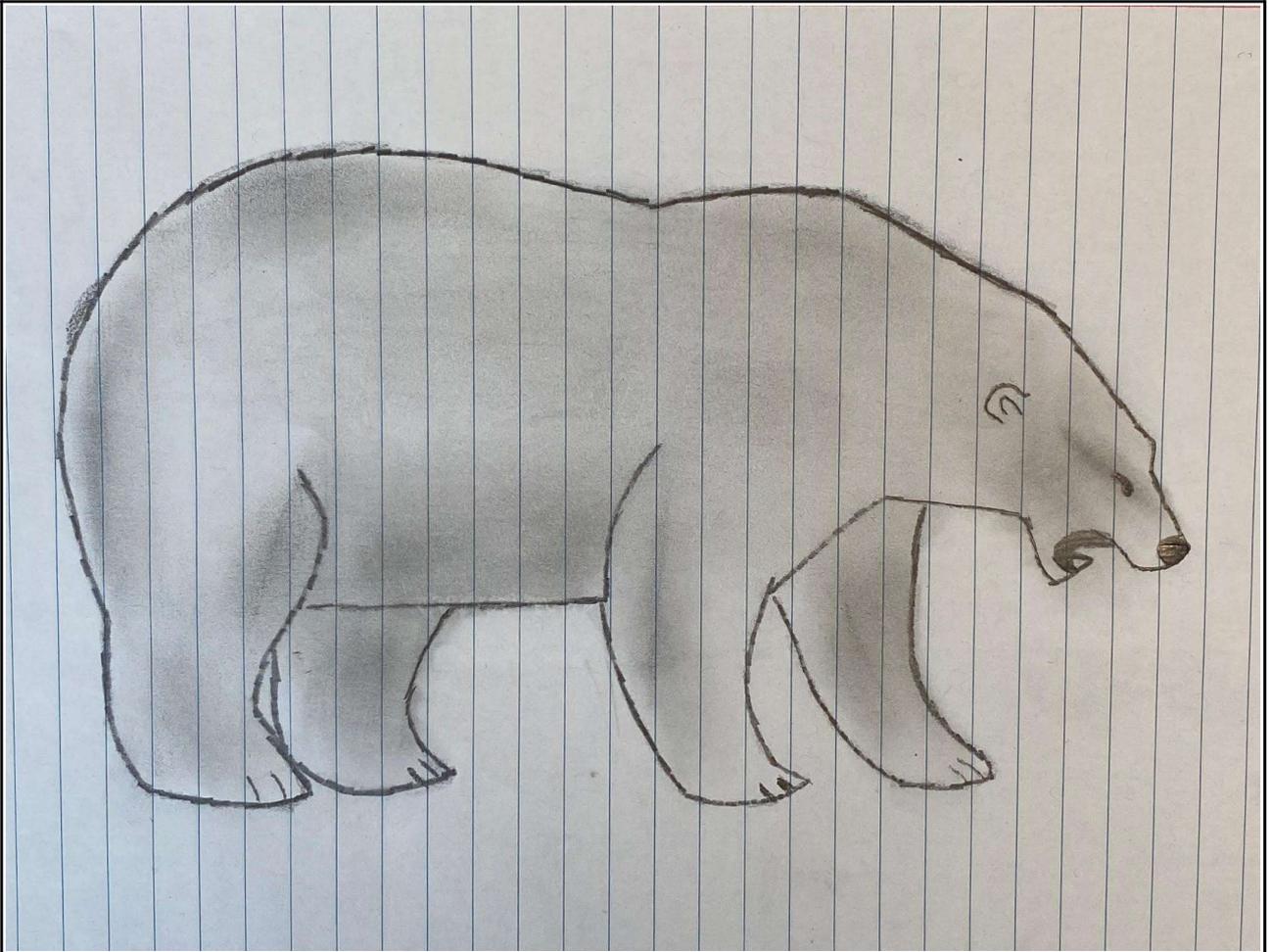
- **David**

I like country food.  
Caribou and beluga and seal.

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My future would be as a hunter.  
With a gun, I would hunt seals, and geese, and fish.  
Walrus and wolf.  
I will help my family with food and money.  
I like to help  
and I will work hard.  
Hunting is not easy.  
You have to have a good gun, rope, and knife.  
My cousin and family teach me how to hunt.  
I will help myself too  
and my friends.

**-Matt**



**Freedom**

It tastes...fresh like a cold wind  
It smells...like grass and bushes  
It sounds like...the wind in the bushes  
It looks like...leaves moving in the bushes  
It feels like....the woods

- **Juanasie**

**Being free**

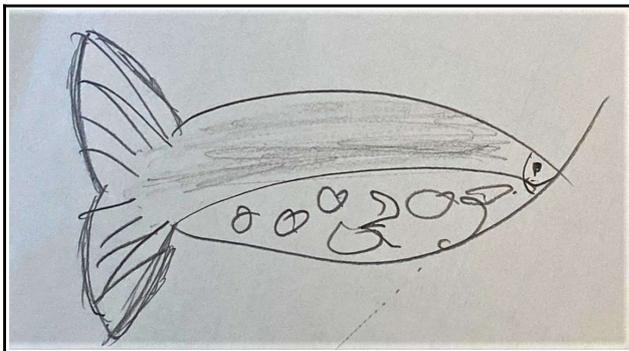
It tastes like sweets  
It smells like fries  
It sounds like silence  
It looks good  
It feels yummy

- **Willie**

**Freedom...to listen to music.**

tastes like chocolate bar  
smells like the best smell  
sounds peaceful  
looks like art  
feels like something touching me

- **Andrew**



**Freedom to do whatever you want.**

Tastes like pizza pockets  
Smells like cheese  
Sounds like yelling  
Looks like eating 500 boxes of pizza pockets  
Feels happy  
- **David**

**Being free...**

I would help my family and go to sleep if I want to  
I would go to hunting and look for animals  
I would play sports in school, basketball  
I would go drive Honda ATV when I want to  
Go home whenever I want and sleep  
Listen to music anytime  
Get some water with my grandpa and grandma  
Go to the land with my friends  
If I was free I would be a good boy and help my family  
- **Juanasie**

