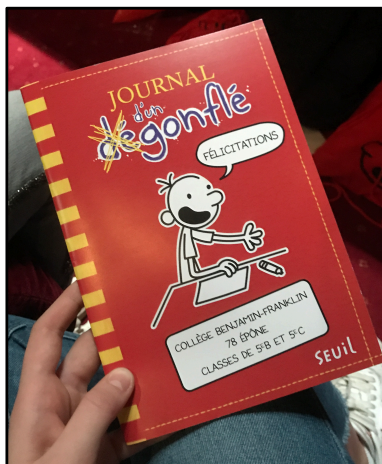


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Jeff Kinney meets Benjamin Franklin Wimpy Kids!



Monday, December 9th 2019 was a very special day for the Benjamin Franklin Wimpy Kids! Why? Because the 5B and 5C classes had a meeting with Jeff Kinney, the author of the Diary of a Wimpy Kid, the American writer who makes children want to read!

This is what happened.

An unforgettable afternoon!

It was brilliant, magical, humorous and entertaining. I loved Jeff Kinney's show! Mathys

It was awesome! Maël

It was great, unique and fabulous! Jeff was so patient! Maud

It was just perfect! Lina

It was amazing! I liked that day. I think Jeff Kinney is so talented! For Christmas I got all the series of Diary of a Wimpy Kid! Gaëtan

I think it was dynamic and wonderful! Sabrina

The show was original, so different! Jade

We left school at 12 o'clock and drove to the Théâtre de la Porte Saint Martin in Paris. There were a lot of kids, we were all very excited! We sat in the front rows and we found a red bag full of goodies: a cap with Greg's face on it, a Bingo card, a pencil, candies and two thunder sticks!

We waited for 45 long minutes because Jeff Kinney was receiving a French medal. So we admired the beautiful stage with a lot of props: bricks, a dumpster... It looked like a building site, in relation to Jeff's last book: Wrecking Ball.

At last Jeff Kinney arrived, it was FAN-TAS-TIC! Everyone was screaming! Jeff only spoke a little French, so a translator was there to help. It was an interactive show, so we participated to many activities: Draw with Jeff, Questions and Answers, The Story of my Life, Dance Break competition, Dumpster Diving, Trivia Challenge and The Build Challenge. It was so entertaining!

Finally Jeff Kinney announced the winner of the Big Contest... **WE WON!!!** So we got on stage! It was crazy! After that we had a tea party with Jeff and he signed our caps and his new book. We ate giant cookies, fried madeleines and we drank fruit juice or coke. We also took photos with him and we gave him a souvenir book. Jeff was very patient and so generous!

We left Paris and we came back very late because of the traffic jams but with lots of wonderful memories!

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