Elvina

The ancient cultures

A child from Egypt chatted with a child from China.

The child from Egypt said, 'Archaeologists of our country have excavated some telephone lines underneath the pyramids. Evidently, we had invented the telephone thousands of years ago!'

The child from China said calmly, 'Archaeologists of China haven't found any telephone lines in the Tarracotta Warriors and Horses, evidently, we had invented the wireless phone thousands of years ago!'

Wish

One day, a fisherman found an old rusty oil lamp on the beach. He picked up the lamp and rubbed it thrice. A genie happened to appear. The deity said to the fisherman, 'Thank you for releasing me from the oil-lamp, I'll grant you a wish as reward.'

The fisherman took out a mini-terrestrial globe from his pocket and showed it to the genie and said, 'I wish the world to have peace.'

The genie showed hesitation, 'This is too difficult, please make another wish.'

The fisherman thought for a while and took out a photo of his wife. He said, 'I want my wife to be more beautiful.'

The genie examined the photo carefully, her face turned red with embarrassment and replied, 'Can I have a look of your terrestrial globe again?'

Lip prints

The Principal of a secondary school found that some senior girls began to put on lipstick. They often left the lip prints on the mirrors in the washroom when they faced the mirrors to put on lipstick. The Principal had an idea. He gathered all the girls who put on lipstick to the washroom.

The Principal explained that the dormitory master has to spend extra time and effort every night to clean the lip prints on the mirror. In order to help the girls to understand the difficulty of cleaning the lip prints, the Principal asked the dormitory master to demonstrate. The dormitory master took out a brush, dipped it in a toilet bowl and then brushed the mirror. Since then no lip prints have been found on the mirrors.