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The Rainbow Fence

Juanita stared at the picture of the extraordinary cloth fence. Her teacher, Mr. Lopez, said the fence had stretched across nearly twenty-five miles of California.

“This is a type of temporary art that artists build outside,” said Mr. Lopez. “The artists who made it left it standing for only a short time. Today, we will start creating art like this in front of our school.”

Later, Juanita enjoyed helping to plan and construct the class’s own low fence. It was made of wood and spanned twenty-five yards of field near the school’s entrance. The class painted the fence to look like a rainbow.

A reporter from the town’s TV station talked to students about the rainbow fence. Later, Juanita watched herself on the news show.

“Our fence is cheery,” Juanita heard herself say. “It will only be here for a week, but we hope it brings people joy.”

