

Our Proposal: Use Less Paper!

An activity of "Sumatra's honey farmers"

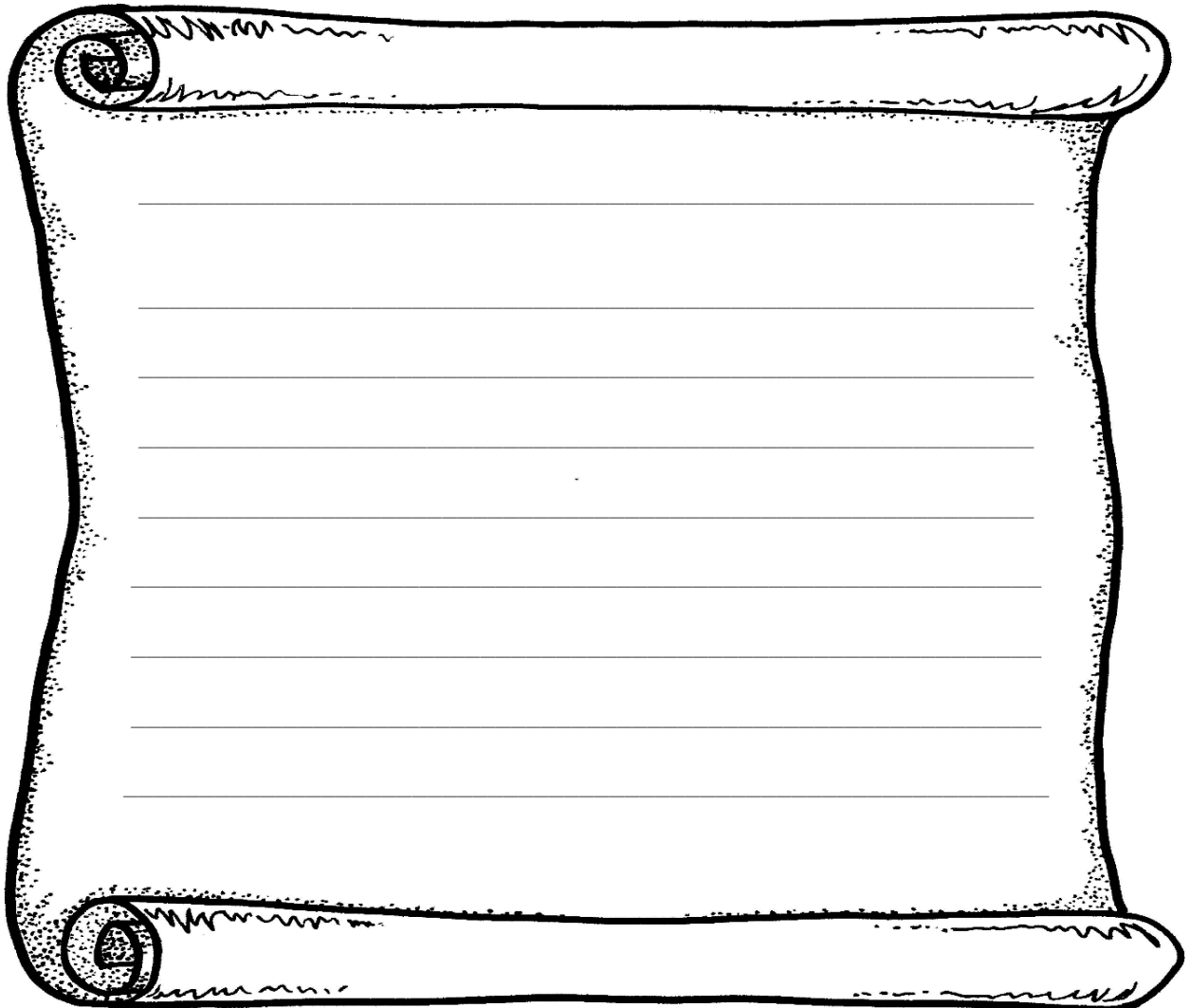
Read "Sumatra's honey farmers" (page 15, *What's Up* February 2019).

Trees are being cut down at an alarming rate. One reason is that there is a huge demand for wood. We use wood to make many different products, such as paper.

What would you say to encourage others to use less paper, and paper products? Why is it important that we do so? What are some alternatives to paper?

In pairs,

1. Share your thoughts with your partner about the use of paper at school.
2. In the space below, write a proposal to your principal. In your proposal,
 - i) share with the principal your concerns about how much paper is used
 - ii) suggest ways in which the school can reduce the use of paper.



A large, hand-drawn scroll with a decorative border and a central writing area with horizontal lines. The scroll is unrolled, showing a large rectangular area with horizontal lines for writing. The scroll has a textured, stippled border and is tied at the top and bottom corners with circular knots.