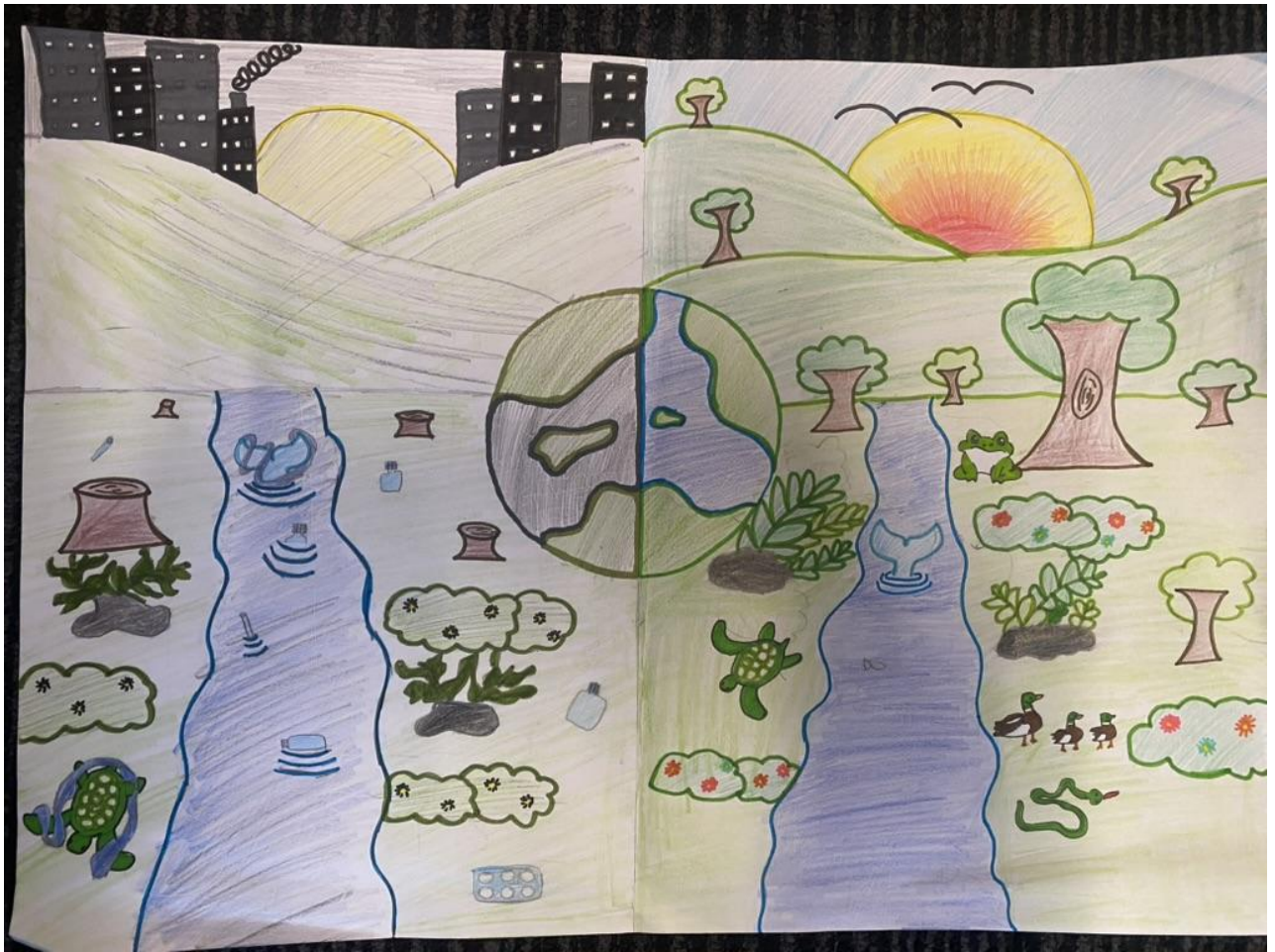




Reflection:

The quote written in Laudato Si that was the inspiration for my drawing is, "Because of us, thousands of species will no longer give glory to God by their very existence, nor convey their message to us. We have no such right." It connects to my drawing because on the right side, it shows the animals in an environment with peace and hope, all living freely. Hope connects to all creation through God's belief and trust in us to take care of his creation. But on the left side of the drawing, it shows no hope, pollution, and animals struggling to free themselves from plastic. Without hope, our Earth will soon become lifeless.