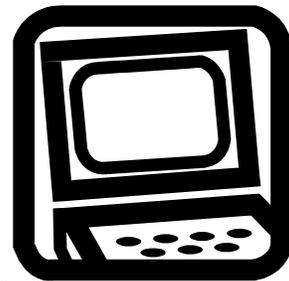


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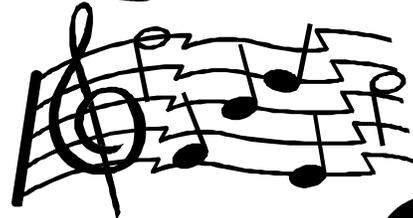
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Fourth Grade  
Three Points Elementary

## **Art:**

Fourth graders practiced engaging in group critiques of their own and other artworks. They compared and contrasted ideas and feelings expressed in different works of art. Fourth graders learned how to control tools and processes to produce detailed imagery in varied media. They identified historical and cultural information in varied works of art.

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## **Computer & TxStudio:**

This trimester fourth graders continued to work on their keyboarding skills and are well on their way to becoming proficient typists. Students can log onto their [Edutyping](#) account to practice their touch typing skills during the summer. Fourth graders added slides to their “PowerPoint Portfolio” slideshow and used the “Notes” section to document what skill each slide demonstrates, such as inserting 3D shapes, creating hyperlinks, and using the Format tab to remove clipart backgrounds, add borders, layer objects and group objects. Students used the Animations and Transitions tabs to add dynamic elements to their presentations. Using [Silhouette Studio](#) software students designed radial flower Mother’s Day cards. For digital citizenship we discussed keyword searches, copyright, and media balance, and the importance of not sharing passwords and private information. Finally, students continued to work in their [code.org](#) course, solving puzzles and creating their own projects. Please monitor your child’s screen time and have a safe, fun summer!

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## **Library:**

During our third trimester the Fourth and Fifth graders were introduced to the concepts of Plagiarism and Copyright Laws. For some students these were new concepts. We spent time on understanding the meaning of these concepts and learning from examples. This is a concept that will be reintroduced and reviewed each year to help students understand its significance.

During April we worked on preparing a short book talk to share with our classmates. We ended the unit with a celebration where each student shared their book talk and we enjoyed some great snacks together. Students enjoyed our Spring book fair in

May. Our last unit was to learn how to read a "Readers Theater Play" together as a class. It was something new for library, and the students performed wonderfully.

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## **Music:**

Music in 4<sup>th</sup> grade means learning to play the recorder! Students had fun learning to play the notes BAGED and high C on their first wind instrument. We even learned how to play Baby Shark! In addition to learning the note reading and notation skills necessary to play the recorder, the class also learned: syncopation, question and answer forms, triplets, canon and round, level and moving 2 note chords on pitched percussion, DC al fine and many other things. Our song, activity and game format were a big hit with the students! The classes were a lot of fun. Thank you for a wonderful year! Love Mrs. Dirks

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## **Physical Education:**

We started our trimester with two team sports units: floor hockey and volleyball. The track and field unit were a focal point this trimester. This culminated in a fantastic and memorable track meet with both Mack and Three Points campuses in attendance. Students learned running events, as well as field events like the TurboJav, Shot put, Long Jump, and High Jump. Another highlight was the completion of our run club challenges for the year. The students developed endurance and a sense of pacing as we started with a 2-minute challenge and worked our way up to a 5 minute challenge. We ended the year with a mile fun run in the neighborhood around school. It has been a joy to see so many students grow in their ability to exhibit positive attitudes, come together in teamwork and to give maximum effort We praise and honor God with our bodies and our health, we know that our abilities are a gift from God and meant to be used to honor Him.

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