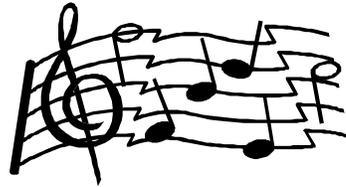


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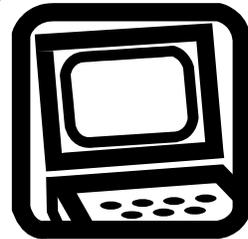
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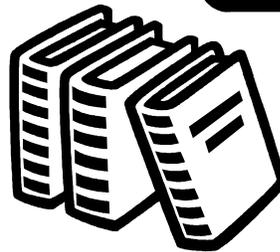
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**Physical
Education**



Fifth Grade
Three Points Elementary

Art:

Fifth graders explored layering acrylic paint in a specific process and technique to create a beautiful landscape. They applied previously learned art vocabulary through a creative process. They practiced reflecting for the purpose of self-evaluation and improvement. Fifth graders practiced studying the form and texture of trees by going outdoors and sketching them.

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Computer & TxStudio:

Fifth graders began the trimester by exploring how to animate stick figures at Stygz.net, creating some very acrobatic stick figures! Next, students learned about headers, footers, and how to create outlines in Word. For digital citizenship we discussed what to be aware of when reading online news and how to evaluate websites for authenticity. Using a Word template fifth graders created an informative trifold brochure about their outdoor education experience. They downloaded photos from camp, added captions, inserted an Islandwood map and a bible verse from biblegateway.com, along with facts and personal reflections. Students continued to work in their code.org course, demonstrating perseverance as they solved the coding challenges and created their own projects. Fifth graders are working toward the goal of keyboarding proficiency, **touch typing 40+ WPM by end of 6th grade**. They are encouraged to log into their Edutyping account during the summer to improve and solidify their skills. To support your child as they navigate our increasingly digital world, please monitor their screen time, email, and internet use on *all* internet-capable devices. Wishing your family 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 Students:

The 5th and 6th grade classes followed the same curriculum format this year. The year began with a review of notation and note reading skills, followed by practice of the skills by playing Hand chimes and our first performance! After the Christmas break, we dove into choral studies by focusing on learning to sing the musical "It isn't Hot in the Furnace". While we unfortunately were not able to perform the musical, the students practiced singing in 2- and 3-part harmony, ostinato, worked on enunciation and breath control, and many other vocal techniques. We showcased two of our songs in our spring performance at Clyde Hill. We continued our vocal work by preparing songs for Be Our Guest Day. The year was finished off by a short stint in World Music Drumming and learning to write music using electronic devices. The classes were challenging and kept me on my toes! 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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