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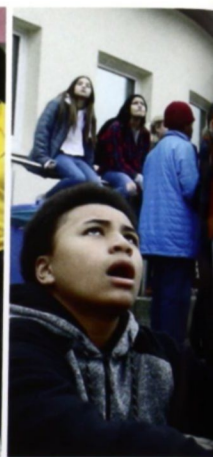
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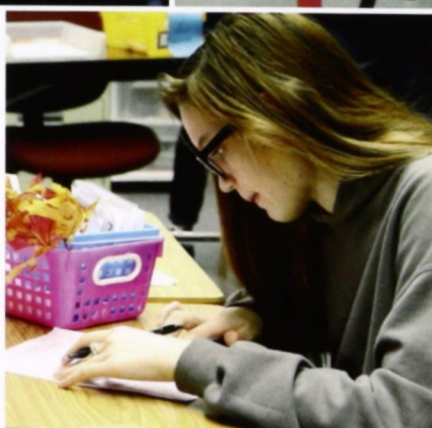
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Snowflakes falling as school continues. Winter has come and this means sports of all sorts, plus holiday cheer and songs filling the air.



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Fall has come and it is time for school again. See how the KMS students kick off the new school year.





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KMS Students are wrapping up the school year and are ready to spring into summer. How will it end, what will they do for summer, and what are their plans for next year?



find your WAY

FALL 8

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So many people at KMS school have done great things, whether you are an eighth, seventh or sixth grader, you are sure to love the people section. Read about the experiences that make your life fun and interesting.



Making your mark happens every day with or without you even knowing. Drawing, dancing, signing, or even getting a good grade is making a mark. No matter how big or how small you make your mark, it still counts as a mark in this world. This year's theme is "Make Your Mark." The yearbook staff chose this theme to open the eyes of the students of KMS to see how they make their mark in our world. Some students are really artistic or



make your MARK



**Emma
Stephan**

"The Irish dancer shows what I spend most of my time doing. I really like Irish dancing because to me it is something really fun that most people do not know exist."



**Faith
Osborn**

"Koda is a tiger, lion and dragon mix. My inspiration is my elementary dogs and wanting to make another mix. I asked Billy and Sofia if they like it and they said yes so I drew it here."

"I like basketball because it is fast and exciting. Basketball isn't always pausing for downs like football. Basketball is always in motion," Teddy Finley said.

creative, which is how they can make their mark, while other students are really smart and get amazing grades, which is how they can make their mark. Whether you are artistic, creative, outgoing, athletic, or even smart, you are making your mark on our world.

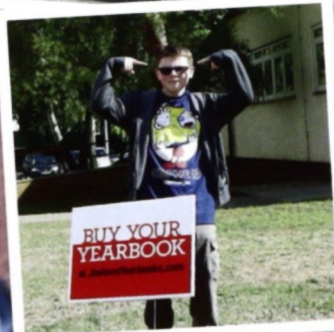


How do you

make your MARK?

Making your mark can be very stressful, but you can make your mark easily by using social media or simply choosing who you hang out with. It can come down to the simple things like choosing what you wear. Our school has so many students and every single one of you is making your mark. Making your mark can also be your favorite animlas, food, clothing, and even listening to your favorite music. Students around the school are all unique in their own way and making their mark in a unique way.





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**Zabrina
Gibbs**

"I was inspired by another student last year. I was in class and I saw him drawing a tree. It was very detailed and when I saw him this year I was reminded of it. I wanted my picture to defy our universe, to be something one would see only in their dreams. I wanted the picture to bend reality and make people think."



**Britney
Galo**

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Fall
YOURS





Fall in Place

Fall is the beginning of the end, leaves descend from the trees and crunch under our feet as we rush to make it to school on time. We see puffs of cool air exit our mouths and disappear before our very eyes.

Sitting in the auditorium we chat with friends discussing and hoping to get classes with them. A hush falls over the room as the principal welcomes newcomers, and greets students coming back after a long, peaceful summer.

Students like fall for many reasons. **"My favorite thing about fall is Thanksgiving. My family visits me and I enjoy spending time with with them. This time my brother's girlfriend came with him so that was fun and interesting,"** Diana Ceban said.

As The STUDENTS RUSHED IN...

As the doors opened, students rushed in with excitement, eager to find their schedules and friends after a long summer break.

Everyone was nervous, yet so excited to see what has to come.

Students were excited to see what teachers they got and if any of their friends are in their classes.

As everyone found a seat, Dr. Paul and Mr. Soto welcomed everyone and introduced themselves.

Mr. Soto and Dr. Paul explained to everyone what was going to happen.

When they were done explaining, everyone headed to do a walk through of their classes.



OUR DOORS ARE OPEN

Listening with intent, Kasey Martin, 8th grader, was learning about Mrs. Allen's class expectations. Kasey Martin was super excited to meet her friends, just like everyone else.

Walking through the halls, Eli Perrin, 8th grader, was heading to class, thinking nothing but his favorite subject, P.E.

Observing the classroom and learning about Mrs. Baumgartner's class, Marquis Silvers, 6th grader, was paying attention, although, he couldn't stop thinking about playing basketball at lunch.

Paying attention to class, Dennis Kinsman, 8th grader, was super excited to be in a public school because he was home schooled all his life.

Engaging in class, Gabriel Saldana, 7th grader, was asking questions about how Ms. Johnson's classroom works.





Anxiously waiting for his favorite class, Jayren Cruz-Lopez, 6th grader, was super excited for P.E. because he wanted so badly to play and learn his favorite sports, volleyball and football.

Constantly moving around, Bianca Kongthungmong, 7th grader, kept running from her mom who was constantly flooding her with pictures.



Conversing with his friends, James Barnes, 7th grader, was finding a seat in the bleachers, waiting to see his friends. Anxiously wanting to go find his friends and meet his new teachers but stood there listening to Dr. Paul.

Laying Down the Law



Everyone was excited to go to the gym because they had no idea what was going on but, they got a chance to get out of class.

When they arrived at the gym they all found a seat with their classmates at one of the three stations.

The first station was where Mr. Soto told everyone the rules of the school. He was laying down the law.

The next station was when everyone went to go talk to the police officers. The officers told everyone the rules on what would happen if you stole.

The last station was these two men that came in and told us about the rules and curfews of the base.

Then everyone headed back to their classes excitedly because classes had the same late-start schedule as all Thursdays do.



Paying attention, Khadijah Hector, 8th grader, was listening to the speech, although she couldn't stop wondering about what the other stations were.

Heading back to class, Chloe Wright, 7th grader, was very happy to hang out with her friend, Electra White.

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Isabel
Baldwin



Sadie
Cornell

"My art work is just my initials S.C. I don't know why I choose to do this, I just did. I am happy with the outcome of it though."

make your YEAR

After everyone left the gym on the first day of school, they all headed to their first

period class eager to see what their teachers were like.

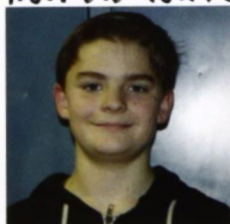
After everyone arrived at their first period class the parents and students found a seat and then greeted their teacher.

"I was excited to see my friends after a long summer break." Bella Markette said, 8th grader.

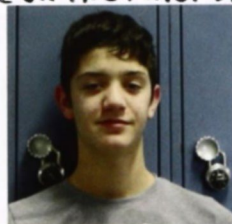
The teacher's just gave a quick talk about what they will be doing in the class and told the students a few things about them.

The teachers were excited to meet their new students for the new and exciting year that had yet to come!

HOW DID YOU FEEL ON THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL?



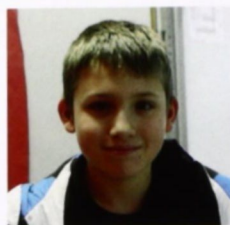
"I was very nervous because of the new school." Sawyer Ter Horst said.



"I was excited to go to all my classes and see my teachers." Anderson Ennis said.



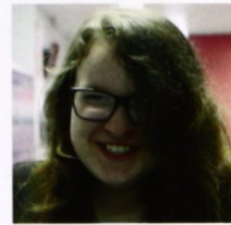
"I was excited to meet my teachers because I wanted to know their personalities." Kamyra Epps said.



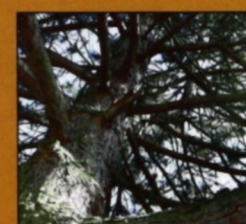
"I was most excited for computer apps because I love working with computers" Julian Grogan said.



"I felt invisible to most of my teachers because I normally get called on in class" Ania Ball said.



"Everything was confusing because of the new classes in their new locations." Julie Lutter said.



Victoria
Brilliant

STUDENT LIFE

The impact and the influence Lily Williams wants to give to the school absolutely matters. "I wanted to be a STUCO member because to look back to say wow", Lily Williams said.

Thinking and communicating with others, Farrah Bryant 8th grade, took notice on her members fascinating ideas for the upcoming school events. "I want to help the school and take charge to make it happier so they feel more comfortable to come to school!", Farrah Bryant said.

Debating and connecting with members, Khadijah Hector 8th grade, gives off pros and cons about their interesting themes. "We all have different ideas and everybody has different mindsets", Khadijah Hector said.

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your
DREAM



Overwhelmed and nervous inside, Farrah Bryant 8th grade, spoke to the whole school with her bravery and confidence while she was giving out her speech. "It was good and I got my point through. I want to be in charge and lead the school into the right direction!", Farrah Bryant said.



Walk Down the Halls of Knowledge

Admiring the college booths at the Avid College Night, Mia Cuellar 8th grade, attention caught on an interesting booth. "I choose to go to the event because I want to get free stuff like pens and pencils", Mia Cuellar said.

Laughing and communicating with people at the college booths, Julie Moore 7th grade, gives out her interesting thoughts about the event. "I thought it was fun and interesting to look at the colleges," Julie Moore said.



Walking across the many college options, Kaylee Bulley 8th grade, examines the colleges to see if she could become a teacher in her favorite subject. "It was pretty good I got to see multiple colleges to see if I could get a degree in biology," Kaylee Bulley said.

Walking and talking, Derick Santiago 8th grade, looks at the many colleges with their pounds of merchandize. "It was actually pretty cool because I could look at the colleges I could go to," Derick Santiago said.





STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTIONS

The Student Council Elections is an important time of the year when multiple students go up and give speeches to run for the positions of their choice. How did the elections end? Who ran and who won their rightful position? Running for a Student Council position is not easy. First, you must sign up for the position you want to run. Then, you have to write and memorize a speech to recite in front of the whole school to convince the audience to elect you.

"I was kind of nervous. My legs were literally shaking as I gave my speech" Willem Edwards, 8th grade, said. There are a variety of ranks that the students ran for like, Treasurer, Secretary, Vice President, and President. Afterwards, there was an online survey that was sent out to all the students in the school about which individual do you want to elect for a certain rank. While some others won the Elections, it is good that some people look at losing differently and acknowledge the fact that even though they lost, they can still do good things for the school.

The students that won the Student Council Elections are Jacob Barnes who ran as Treasurer, Willem Edwards ran as Secretary, Annaleah Storr and Mia Petritz ran as Vice Presidents, and lastly, Crystalena Ambrus and Carter von Ahnen ran as Presidents.



Mia Petritz, 7th

"I was feeling different emotions. I felt excited, honored, proud of myself, and I was feeling nervous but I felt confident. I was happy for the people who won," Mia Petritz said.



Carter von Ahnen, 8th

"Other people's speeches turned out relatively well. When I was giving my speech, my legs were shaking and I was nervous," Carter von Ahnen said.



Brianna Ambrus, 7th

"I think it was my very best speech and it was well written. You have to be in a certain grade to be in a certain position. I want to let the school know that I am here for them," Brianna Ambrus said.



Adrian Salonga, 6th

"I felt a little nervous because I didn't know anyone and it was a big crowd. I ran because if I wanted to make this school better I thought I needed to run for an office position," Adrian Salonga said.

FREEDOM OF SPEECH

How did you feel about your speech while speaking to the school?



Caden Swanigan, 7th

"I originally had something planned in my head but as soon as I stepped up I forgot everything and had to wing it. It was kind of embarrassing though because I didn't know what to say," Caden Swanigan said.

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Riley Kravitz

"It depicts the KMS mascot, the Invader. Raising his sword high in the sky with mountains going high into the clouds."



Alex Maribe

"My art work is called *Dancing in the Spotlight*. I just want to have more school dances, their so fun and neat."

DO YOU WANT TO DANCE?

"The halloween dance was really cool. We had a costume contest. Judges looked at most popular, coolest and scariest costumes. I liked the food and seeing everyone dress up," said Xavier Evans.



"I was a bunny. Everyone thought I was a rat. I was still cute though," said Thomas Vasquez.

"I mean I thought it was good but not as good as the last Halloween dance," said Maddox Dubon.



"The dance was okay because I got to hang out with friends. I don't really see them. I was Minnie Mouse," said Kaitlyn Barnes.

"The dance was okay because I got to see my friends. The food was good. I dressed up as Janis Joplin," said Bella Markette.



There were many fun games at the dance. These games were bowling, bean bag toss, and a photo shoot area for you to take fun spooky pictures with your friends. All these amazing games were provided for your entertainment and fun at the dance.

"I think it was a lot of interesting things going on the games the music was okay," said Willow Green.

"I liked the halloween costume contest part of the dance and how they included this in the dance," Mia Cuellar.



"The halloween dance was okay, the music wasn't the greatest, but my friends and I had fun anyway, I did not buy any food I ate before I came because food at the dance cost money," Loren Martin.



At the yearbook bonding event, the yearbook students participated in a scavenger hunt and a color toss. The scavenger hunt was a list of things the yearbook students had to get pictures of around the school and they only had a certain amount of time. The color toss was the yearbook students tossing colored powder at each other. The students ran around tossing color all over the ground and their clothes. This event was created to get yearbook students excited about the project and to have fun together. Many yearbook students participated in this colorful event of explosions. Students would go home with powder everywhere, but it was a fun experience.

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Jacob Barnes

"My picture is a tiger's face. His face is only colored somewhat because he is showing his true colors and emotions. The rest of his face is white because his true expression is blank, with the colors breaking through."

CREEP IT REAL

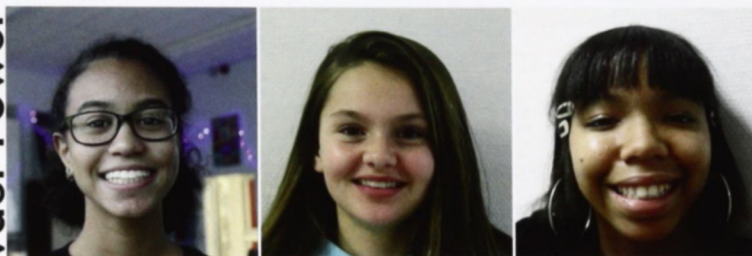
Students from all grades came to this dance to get spooked. At the dance there was multiple costume contests, food, and many songs to dance too. Some people enjoyed the dance.

"At the dance I was mostly sitting down, and hungout with my friends," Davis Martin said. Your student council helped make this a fun event for all students. There was a DJ, food, and games. All student council wanted was to make this a fun event for students. It was definitely an exciting night for students to hang out with their friends.

"I liked the dance because a lot of my friends were there. There were cool decorations I guess. Also, the food was cheap. I dressed up as a soccer player with Brandon and Carter," said Issac Myers.

"I liked the dance because I got many videos of my friends being weird. The songs were kinda trashy though. I dressed up as the Mad Hatter and I had just a lot of fun," said Sadie Cornell.

Powder Power



"Yeah it was fun because everyone was running around all crazy and there were pretty colors," said Farrah Bryant.

"I had fun trying to get all the answers down for the scavenger hunt in fifteen minutes," said Becca Webb.

"My favorite part was that the whole entire class was able to do the color splash and have fun," said Janiya Jones.

What is Yearbook?



Yearbook is a class of students from the 7th and 8th grade who work together to put a book of memories together for all of the school to enjoy. In Yearbook people have to work together to accomplish things and meet deadlines. **"Yearbook is a fun class because your making a book with your friends, and the teachers make it fun and they allow us to have work nights,"** said Rihanna Martin. **"Yes it's fun I like to take photos and interviews and make spreads,"** Madison Kline said.



Keidrick Bedford

"This symbolizes the countries and how they are different from each other and different cultures."



Avery Farr

"I love color and I love to draw flowers too."



Anti-Bullying Day
Over 3.2 million students are victims of bullying. So we took the first day of the spirit week and dedicated it to show that we're against all forms of bullying.

YOUR HAIR STANDS ON END Crazy Hair Day

Mia Petriz

"My hair style probably took me about 2 minutes to do. I had ballet after school and I needed something that I can take out fast. I only saw one other person who had my hairstyle like mine. Overall I thought that the hairstyle was unique and creative."



Dayton Smelley

"I choose this hair style because it was just weir. I started working on it at night and finished in the morning. I like this hair because no one else had it and I got a lot of attention."

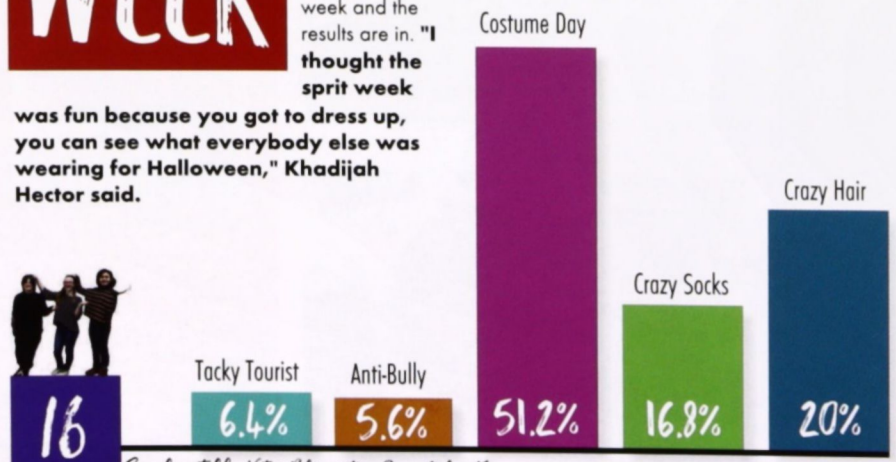


red ribbon WEEK

The year book staff surveyed students through google forms to find out what was your favorite day of the Red Ribbon spirit week and the results are in. "I thought the sprit week

was fun because you got to dress up, you can see what everybody else was wearing for Halloween," Khadijah Hector said.

WHAT WAS YOUR FAVORITE DAY OF SPIRIT WEEK SURVEY?



Spread created by: Victoria Rodriguez, Maria Brena, Madison Kline



"For Costume day I was a banana because it was the only thing left. I like this day of the spirit week because I got to see everyone's costumes," Ryan Ortiz said.



"I dressed up as a rainbow unicorn because my friend also was going to dress up as it. I like halloween because I can get lots of candy," Ethan Otto said.

How do you feel when you are wearing the Dirndl?



"The Dirndl was fun to wear. My mom and I spent about 30 minutes getting myself ready," Avery Farr said.



"I like the way the Dirndl looks old-fashion. It makes me feel fancy." Farrah Bryant said.

Beware of the Tacky Tourist



All Hallows Eve

WE WILL ROCK YOUR SOCKS



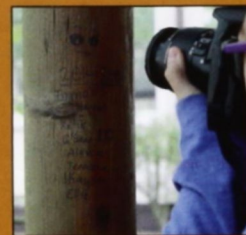
Crazy Socks Day

Students were strutting down the hallways of KMS showing off their craziest pairs of socks that they were wearing on the way to class. "I like crazy sock day because I got to see everyone's crazy socks. I always wear miss-match socks because I like the way they look like that. So for me this day was pretty normal," Kaytlin Barnes said.

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Jessenia Acosta



Annaleah Storr



Aden Olea

"My artwork is very hard to draw. I found it on the internet. I was inspired by my little sister on how she watches spongebob. So I thought why not draw a funny looking spongebob."

What were the chances that the Student Council team made the 31st of October costume day in the Red Ribbon spirit week? On this day the students of KMS were able to wear their creepy costumes to school.

"I like wearing a costume. For this year I was a dead football player because I like to play football," Jamar Hollis said.

Not only was there costume day there were four other spectacular days of this spirit week. Those days contained of Crazy Sock Day, Tacky Tourist Day, Crazy Hair Day and, Anti-Bullying day where the students promoted anti-bullying by wearing orange t-shirts.

The Red Ribbon week was to promote Anti-Bullying and it is our first spirit week of the year.



HARD CORE APPLE DROP

After a long few weeks of preparing a safe home for their apples, teams of eighth grade students watched as their precious boxes are lifted into the air onto the fire truck.

Everybody is staring up, anxiously waiting for the first box to drop. All faces watching the ladder as the fireman flings the vessel over the edge.

"We all worked together and gave each other ideas. We were confident about the drop, but our apples broke," Johnathan Steinfield said.

The apple drop was a project for the eighth grade science classes. Students were put in teams and had to protect a box with five apples. The padded box was then dropped from the high ladder on the firetruck. The judges determined the winners by the number of apples that survived the fall and how much money the groups spent on building materials.

The winning groups received a bag with candy, a sticker, a pencil, and other prizes depending on what place they were.



Fun Times During RECESS

Brinity Galeo

"I usually talk and hang out with friends during recess. Sometimes if I am missing something in a class or if I just need to do work I go in to a teacher."

Demien Joyner

"I like to play basketball and football with my friends. I also go inside to teachers whenever I need to make up any assignments."

Katelyn Penafiel

"I hang out with my friends in a big group. We just talk and have fun. I never need to go into a teacher to make up any work."



Recess is a time to let out all the energy and socializing that students have to hold in during class in the morning. Playing basketball, soccer, and table tennis are some of the most popular sports during recess at KMS. If they are not playing sports, students tend to sit and talk with friends or go to a teacher's class to finish up some work or just hang out in the warmth of the classroom.

"I like to play soccer during recess because I love to run and like to joke around with Ethan, because I think that he is not as good as I am," Efrain Ortega said.

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Kaylee Bulley

"Two out of five of our apples survived the drop. That was more than my group and I were expecting. It was dramatic when the fireman dropped the box. I worked well with my group and we had fun. It was also fun to watch all the other groups drop their boxes and see if they all survived."



What **time** is it? It's Lunch **time**!



Griffin Debolt, 6th Grade

I like to have the envy drinks because they taste sweet and I like sweet stuff. I prefer both buying and packing my own lunches on different days.



The lunchroom is filled with sounds and smells every day as students file in to eat. Some kids like to bring their own lunch while others like to buy food from the lunch line. Foods that are sold in the lunch line range from pizza to salads.

"I like pizza from the line because it has flavor but I also like to bring my lunch so I can bring whatever I want," Katelyn Penafiel said.

You can see people eating, talking, and even doing class work on the long wooden tables. The lunchroom is a great place to get away from the quiet atmosphere of the classroom for twenty minutes.



Eli Perrin and Allon Mazkin look up as the box drops from the firetruck ladder.



Ethan Otto

"I like the cheese sticks because they taste good. They taste better with the sauce and they taste like bread and cheese. I prefer buying lunch everyday."

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Brianna Lancaster

"I would always get bullied when I was younger. Now I think it was because I was amazing at drawing. Everyday I would draw and draw. It made me feel comfortable and happy. I got better and I started drawing anime. I chose one of my best pictures I've drawn during the last few weeks."



Ayden R. Fitte

"What KMS stands for."

Go BIG or go HOME



Running toward the hoop Taysean Lunn, is jogging to try to shoot a 3 pointer. Lunn just liked being active in the morning. **"I like having something to do then just nothing"** Lunn said.

Dribbling the ball Jeffrey Welborn, is playing basketball with his friend. Welborn was practicing to get on the basketball team. **"I'm waiting and practicing for the tryouts"** Welborn said.



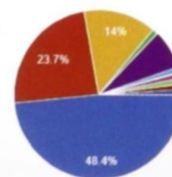
Daily Destinations

From 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

KMS students are at school.

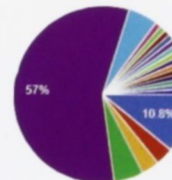
We know what happens during the day, but what about before and after school?

How do you get to school?



- Bus
- Walk
- Drop Off
- Carpool
- Ride in on your tiger
- I ride a goat to school

Where do you hang out after school?



- Burger King
- Shawingz
- The Commissary
- The Library
- Home
- Teen Center
- Bowling Alley

How do students get to school?

Bus with 48.4 percent

Walk 23.7 percent

Parent drop off 14 percent

Other answers 14 percent

Where do you hang out after school?

Home 57 percent

Burger King 10.8 percent

Other answers 32 percent



Reading 'The Blood of Olympus' by Rick Riordan, Max Flores, is letting his friend read along. Flores was on the last book of the series 'Heroes of Olympus.' **"My favorite book in the series is the first one because it has my favorite character Leo Valdez"** Flores said.



Talking with Jirhne, Mia Petritz, is spending her morning with friends. Petritz was counting her KMS keys when two of her close friends came to say hi. **"When I saw them walking toward me, I had a much better morning"** Petritz said.

Victoria Rodriguez and Kaitlyn Barnes chill in the morning air. Barnes was talking about a book she liked called 'The City of Bones'. **"I love it when I just sit and talk with my friends"** Barnes said.



Van Pham, is having a good time at Burger King. Burger King is a popular hangout spot. For students after school. Tyric Elias, enjoys hanging out with his friends. "Having a spot where I can hang and talk with my

friends is quite nice" Elias said. Students even have school meeting there. "Having Burger King as a

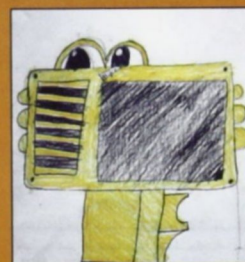
meeting point for Student Council officers is really exciting."

Mia Petritz, said. The library is also an after school spot. NJHS and boy/girl scouts get service hours for volunteering. "I like volunteering just for fun, but getting hours helps" Zoe Hudzikiewicz, said.

after school FUN



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Julian Gonzales

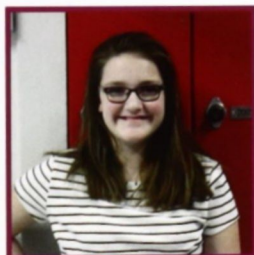
"What I've drawn on the back is an electronic hand unit from a game. The big, empty dark boy is supposed to be a keypad, but it's actually a glitch key pad so I didn't add that detail."

Ball 'til you FALL

With everyone watching, Jeffrey McGee, is dribbling the ball to the hoop. McGee was watching the opposing players to make the best move he could. McGee love the running and fun he has when he plays basketball. "I just like running with my friends and [expending] energy before school and after" McGee said. Michael Fugate, has a good time playing with McGee. Fugate loves playing basketball so he could take his mind off of school. "Being and playing with other kids who like the things I do makes me feel apart of something" Fugate said.

Workin' for the WEEKEND

Elizabeth Hodl



Elizabeth Hodl, goes to theater every week. But theater practise isn't the only thing she does on weekends. "I watch movies and play video games. My week is very hectic, so I do it to relieve stress," Hodl said.

Alex Albert



Alex Albert, enjoys to be around people. On weekends, what he does is hangout with friends. "We basically just do tag," Albert said.

Finn Stackhouse



Finn Stackhouse currently is helping his family to make a table from IKEA. But normally he is more mobile on weekends. "My family and I usually just find a new German town to go to," Stackhouse said.

Jacob Barnes



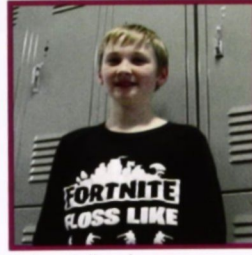
Jacob Barnes, has to clean his room every other weekend. Barnes practices his french horn because he is the only one in all of beginning band. "I also love playing the video game Dynasty 2" Barnes said.

Aiden Cochrane



Aiden Cochrane, reads his science and health books to learn something he didn't already know. Walking his dogs is another one of Cochrane weekend activities. "I have a baby sister who I love playing with" Cochrane said.

Tallon Sells



Talon Sells, plays sports such as, basketball and football. Sells knows he will have a productive weekend "I sometimes play my saxophone for beginning band" sells said.



Kaitlyn Arevalo

"My name. There's not much more to say."

Blinded by Science



"I like how we get to mix chemicals and how if you don't do it right it doesn't work and all of the fun activities," Lily Rose said. "I like doing dissections in class and I also like learning about the ecosystems," Madison Umfleet.



First Quarter of All

Socially Academic

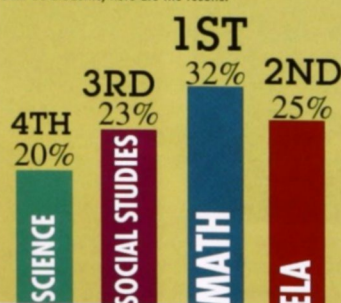
Learning about new vocabulary, Xinai Robinson was interested in gaining knowledge of new words she has only ever heard of, "I have always thought Social Studies was interesting, because I could learn about new places hoping I could go to them someday," Xinai Robinson said.

"I like Social Studies, because I get to learn about new cultures of other people and how they lived. We also get to do fun projects like the one about Native Americans we did and how different we are from them," Elijah Pitler said.



Favorite Core Class

Which core class is your favorite? We surveyed over 50 students, here are the results.



Winning Reaction

"Of course math won! It's awesome, because I like to learn new things about it," Kieran Roundy said.

Losing Reaction

"I don't think it's fair, because Science is the most used subject in the world," Dennis Kinsman said.

Read Between the Lines

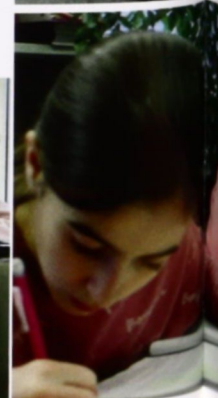
The importance of education cannot be over looked, so what do people think is so important about education?

"If you don't get an education you won't understand stuff," Nora Phinisey said. Not just one answer can be right, so we should look at some more.

"Education is important, because we can use all of our knowledge for the future, if we didn't have education we wouldn't be able to talk or read," Mia Bella said.

There is always more to learn.

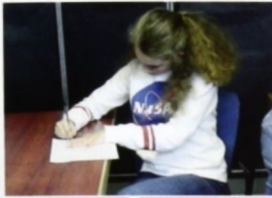
"Education is important, because you can learn new things, and without education there would be no phones, no money, and no jobs," Jasmin Stevens in said. Many people have different perspectives about the importance of education, but they all agree that education is important.



Easy as Pi

"I like math, because I'm able to learn how to do challenging equations and problems," Sean Atkins said

"I like math because it puts your mind to the test, and makes you think differently than other subjects," Ethan Otto said



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Will
Pickel

"If you have been born near a beach and see the sunset nearly everyday. This will remind you of your home and how beautiful the the waves and sunset were. This is an artwork that will remind you of home.



Lola
Cordero

"In my artwork I drew a girl who loves stars and space. I got this inspiration from my love of the night sky and how bright every star is when you look up."



From Beginning to Advanced **BAND**

Every year half of the school chooses to take band the following year. "I chose band because I promised my music teacher that I would learn to play an instrument. I like band because I love playing the alto sax," Soloman Perkins said. Sometimes we choose band because we read about it. "I chose band because I read a book about my favorite instrument, the bassoon. I like band because I like playing my instrument and because I'm good at it," Dennis Kinsman said.

Others choose because they like the instruments they can learn to play. "I chose band because I wanted to play the trombone and I liked the teacher," Michael O'Keefe said.



Creative Thinking

Edward Finley

Edward Finley has a high reputation of being a comedic genius. He always lightens the mood with a good joke or gag.

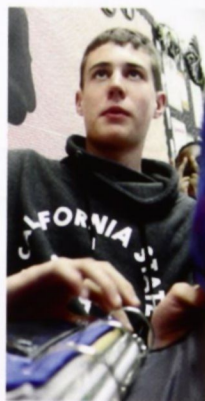
"Creative Thinking is nice because it's funny to make jokes with the teacher," Finley said after being asked why he enjoys it.

David Bidwell

"I like Creative Thinking because it lets me express my thoughts," David said when asked why he likes the subject so much. With a good spirit, Bidwell excels in Creative Thinking, acing every assignment. "It's always fun to do the projects she assigns."

Adrian Jaime

"It's really interesting and I think it's a very different subject," Jamie said. Being an excellent student, Jaime loves Creative Thinking and every project in between. "The projects in the class really get my creative juices flowing."



"The best part about Spanish class is learning the culture not just the language. The best part about this class is when we have presentations because afterwards people bring food and it's kind of like a party," Claudia Decardona-Marquez said.

In Spanish class students start off

with a daily activities that consists of the teacher giving the students a couple of sentences that they have to translate into Spanish. Students can enjoy Spanish for many reasons, "I enjoy

Spanish because I get to learn a new language that can help me later in life. I chose Spanish because it feels like there are more people that speak Spanish than German when you talk to people,"

Willow Green said.

¿Cómo te VA?





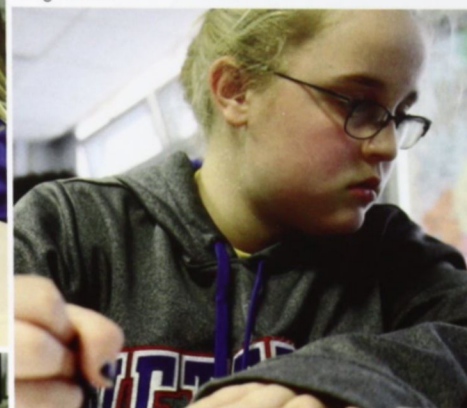
"I chose band because music calms me," Jaylene Garcia said, "I like band because it is something new for me. It's something I've never done before."



Wie geht es dir?



"I like that German teaches me how to use another language in a country besides the US. I have friends that I study with. I also like that it teaches me a different way to study. German helps me relate to my dad on a different level because he speaks German," Chloe Wright said.



"I like learning German because it can be helpful for communicating with foreign people. I love the way Ms. Glenn teaches, she is super fun. She makes sure that everyone knows the criteria," Tyler Welborn said.



"I like German because I get to have fun learning with my friends. I can use German to understand people in my dance group and Germans in general," Erin O'Keefe said.

Video Pros



"Editing is fun. I love seeing everything I've filmed come together. My favorite project was the silent movie. The final product turned out that way I wanted it to. The project I am currently working on is a movie trailer, *Police Academy*. I am working on this project by myself because I want it to be unique. I am using stop motion to film," Riley Kravitz said.

"I am taking Video Production because I want to go to Ball State and become a photographer. I think it will better to get more experience now. My favorite part of Video Production is the infomercials. The project I am currently working on is a video trailer on the Christmas Story. We work in groups most of the time because it would be hard for one person trying to film themselves," Emma Stephan said.

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**Ethan
Otto**

"I like playing soccer, so I drew myself playing my favorite sport."



**Nicholas
Steele**

"My artwork is my favorite game's logo. I kinda want others to play this game or the new *Forza Horizon 4*."



**Samuel
Jeon**



That's so TOTful

Making boxes for the toy drive, student council is working hard in Ms. Briggs room. Student council members gave up their lunch to help get toys for kids who don't have the money to get them.



Eco Friendly



Helping our planet while being creative, I don't know how Ms. Wynn does it. Eco-Invaders is an after school club where kids recycle and help clean up our planet with a smile. They also create amazing artwork with leftover scraps.

Robo Talk

Talking in the robotics classroom Ms. Wynn shows the class the basics of creating a robot. "I like to teach robotics because it prepares students for the future," Wynn said.

In robotics club, Benton Currth is concentrating on building a robot. "I joined robotics because my mom said it would be a very creative experience," Currth said.



More In Store

Basketballs, gift cards, speakers and more, all at the KMS school store. During lunch student council holds a school store where you can use your KMS keys and buy nice items. But the school store isn't the only thing that our student council does, they hold fundraisers, sell hot chocolate, planing dances, and more.

Did you like the school dance?, well then thank your student council, they planned everything. Ms. Briggs the Student council and teacher works hard to guide the student council and help them successfully achieve their goals, like holding dances and hot chocolate sales. The student council helps you have fun and they are a huge part of our school.

If you have any Keys Of Excellences the school store is the place to use them (and the only place to use them), the school store is a store is run by student council. "The hardest thing is trying to get everything organized and to get people to sell things for the right price" Annaleah Storr said.



On a Mission



"I am in Ecybermission because Mr.Dittmer told me about it as I was walking through the hall," Sean Higgins said.

"I am in ecybermission because I like interacting with friends and building stuff," Griffen Debolt said.

"I am in Ecybermission because I love science and love to create projects," Noemi Petrus said.

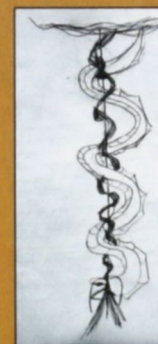
Ten students went to Junior Leadership Seminar (JLS), out of the 18 kids who applied for the program. What does it mean?

"Everyone's a leader you just have to work together to get everyone's ideas across to each member of your group so that no one is left out. I would go back to JLS because it was fun, everyone was nice and I made lots of unforgettable memories." Mia Cuellar said.

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**Dennis
Kinsman**

"My artwork is just a doodle I did a few years ago and it just looked cool. There are certain symbols in there like water, cause I like swimming."



**Autumm
Hall**

"The sun is setting from outside the city wall. The tower closely resembling the leaning Tower of Piza, is illuminated by the sun's last rays. Everything is silent and still."



YOU'VE BEEN SERVED

Preparing to spike the ball Xin Ai Robinson 8th grader, she deciding where to put the ball on the court. When Robinson's coach watched her hit that ball, he knew she will be on the high school varsity team. "I might get in, I really would want to get in so I could work with my peers", Robinson said. Robinson is also on the team with Katharina Storch.

Storch is the youngest but one of the best. Storch was only 8 years old when the love of volleyball hit her. "I just love going to practice to get better and see my friends" Storch said. One of the friends Storch loves seeing is Sage Barnes, 8th grader.

"Barnes has a really amazing over hand serve" Storch said. Barnes serve took 7 years to almost perfect. "I don't think my serve is that good, but other people say I do" Barnes said.

Getting ready at the net Liberty Harper, is preparing to pass the ball. Harper was playing position 4 on the volleyball court. "I had to bump the ball to the setter, so she could set it back" Harper said.

All four players play for the Rodenbach volleyball team and building skills that will last a lifetime.



Every soccer player has their moment when they kick the ball and feel hooked on the sport. "What caused me to want to play soccer was TV. I watched professionals play soccer, so I thought it was fun," Brown said.

"Once you start doing something, you stick to it. I've been playing soccer for 8 years, Brown said. Of course, if you do something for a while, it gets harder. It getter harder because you can get more injuries."

Stealing the ball from Brady, Griffin Debolt 6th grader, is passing the ball to one of his other teammates. Debolt was having a great time playing one of his favorite sports with his friends. "Soccer is one of my favorite things do during school" Debolt said.

Receiving the ball Joseph Stephan 6th grader, is running with the ball to the the goal. Stephan was contemplating if he should pass it or make the goal. "I love just playing games two days a week" Stephan said.



Sean Higgins, 7th grader, needed something to do after school, after finding the running club he now loves running. "It relaxes me after a long day of school" Higgins said. Running also helps with Higgins's swimming, which is a big part of his life. Elijah Pitler and Higgins became good friends after both of them joined the club. "I have met some very cool people on the team." Higgins said.

Running during warm ups, Austin Etzel 6th grader was preparing to run 3.1 miles. "You have to stretch and prepare before running for a long time." Etzel said

Running back and forth Julien Gonzales, 6th grader was preparing for the christmas 5k jog. "You have to stay warm, even if you are sweating." Gonzales said.

Make the RUN



Serving the ball Sage Barnes, 8th grader, puts the ball in the far left corner. Barnes' serve was so good that the other team always backs up when she is serving. "Just for fun I like hitting the ball as hard as I could" Barnes said.

Bumping the ball to her teammate, Katharina Storch 7th grader, is focusing on where to place the ball on her forearm. Storch is practicing to play with the team "I am very excited about being on the team" Storch said.



MAY THE COURSE BE WITH YOU



Cross Country



"To the last second, to the last stretch, to the last yard, we run, we run, we run," exclaimed Senior captain Orlando Rojas and Junior captain Joseph Purvis. The team was excited to run at their first meet as middle schoolers. "I have to say I tried my hardest while the high schoolers, walked their way to the finish line and I made 5th place out of 60 runners," Stephanie Rojas said. Runners did core work outs and ran every day just to get in shape for every race. "Getting a chance to play a high school sport while in middle school, was cool," Mia Cuellar said. It was very intense but they all did it and succeeded.



Running through the second lap Stephanie Rojas, 7th grade. "All I was thinking was the finish line." said Rojas.

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Ashlyn McMullen



BUMP, SET, SPIKE!



Kylee Quinto, 6th grader, has only been playing for a year now, Quinby likes playing volleyball to be more active in the afternoons. "I know this team can be the best in the luxembourg. tournament when we try our best, Quinto said."



Katharina Storch, 7th grader, started volleyball in third grade. Storch had tried different sports but liked volleyball the best. When she was 11 she had her first game. "I was excited for my team" Storch said.



Sage Barnes 8th grader, was in 2nd grade when she fell in love with volleyball Barnes' love grew more when she played and won her first real game. "I was scared at first, but when I made my first point my jitters went away" Barnes Said.

Katharina Storch

"There are squares that look like they've been quilted together because I like to sew. I also like to doodle so I did doodles in some squares, but KMS is in my heart".

TOUCHDOWN!



With all her might, Rihanna Martin was running down the field to score a touchdown. Scoring the touchdown the crowd went wild and she got high fives from her team. **"I wanted to play football because I like the sport and I let my anger out while playing,"** Rihanna Martin said.



"One day I was playing defense in the corner and I got a interception so I caught it and ran about 10 yards. I felt accomplished and as soon as we were done, everyone huddled around me," Sawyer Ter Horst said.

"I made it to a football championship, but we lost. I wasn't sad or mad but relieved that the game was finally over," Jaylan Cabbagestalk said.

"The coaches were good and it was fun since the team got along well with no conflict between anyone," Dylan Whitley said.



The soccer season had started and the teams were made. There were two Vogelweh teams. We're Hungry was the team that was undefeated. They had done their best in all their games and they were, able to choose what positions they wanted to be. The games were tough, but in the end it was a victory. Heading towards the end of the field 6th grader Leonardo DiPaola strikes the ball. He kicked it and he scored! As the team cheered, they went on with their game. "Soccer is fun, I like being defense and it was awesome winning all our games," Leonardo DiPaola said.

Make the GOAL



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Austin Etzel

"I drew my name in 3D, I made my name to stand out and look cool. I put the zig-zag box over it making it look unique."

Beat That Birdie

For the fall intramural sport this season badminton was chosen. The coach allowed students to pick their own teammates if it were a doubles team. The other option was to be a single player, in the end everyone was trying to make it to the final also known as the championships. "I played a doubles team with Keenan Gartner. We got pretty far into the championships but were disqualified because we both didn't show up for classwork reasons," Jasmine Stevens said.

To make things more professional the coach established that if you were late or never showed up to the game, you would be disqualified. This didn't affect anyone because majority of people showed up to their games.

Then it finally came down to the last few people to join championships. Only a total of 5 players, a winner would be announced which is doubles, singles, girls singles, and sixth grade boy singles.



"Choose Your Sport" is about finding out what fall sport people think is the best. In order to get the votes we needed we went class to class asking for votes. After tallying up all 152 votes we knew football had won most people over. "I made it to the football championships once but, we lost the game. I wasn't mad or sad that we lost, I was more relieved that the game was over," Jaylen Caldoage said.

Take Your Shot



Basketball Club
Students joined the basketball club to prepare themselves for the upcoming winter season. But not only for just that, some also joined just for fun or to be better then they already are. "I was hoping I could improve on my basketball skills. Also learning about the money you make from going pro caught my attention." Jeffery McGee said.



Juvian Engle

"I drew a Poke'ball because I like Poke'mon and I think it looks really cool."

Every Mile, Every MEMORY

Sam Myers

"My favorite place to travel is the Southwestern Coast in France and Ayaigon because I like to see the palace," Sam Myers said.

Ranya Nefoussi

"My favorite place to travel is Venice Italy, because I like the fact that it has a ton of canals and I like the style of the buildings," Ranya Nefoussi said.

Keira McCarthy

"I like traveling because I can go around the world and see different places, Czech Republic, because of the city center. I like trying different foods from different places," Keira McCarthy said.

Logan McKeown

"I don't really like traveling, because of the long car and plane rides. In car rides I get headaches from my sister who is always screaming. When me and my family went to London, it was fun because I went on a big ferris wheel and got to see of the cool places of London," Logan McKeown said.



ALL ABOARD!



ANDRE CHANG

"Going on the cruise was a fun experience. The first place we stopped at was St. Martin. They had cool shops there and their clothing was unique. Another town we went to San Juan, and my family and I went on a tour to learn about the history of the buildings. The last place the cruise stopped at was Labadee Hati. On the cruise they had restaurants with different food I've never had before. The main swimming pool was big and had room to play, swim, and have fun," Andre Chang said.

LOREN MARTIN

"Berlin was cool. I have never been somewhere out of Kaiserslautern. The eight hour car ride was not fun at all. My family and I went to see a Jesus memorial and walked inside a glass dome," Loren Martin said.

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Nika
Mouskalenko

Day Trippin'

When traveling, there is a lot of chaos such as missing flights, getting lost, facing fears, and leaving things behind.

"When traveling my fear is frogs because they are scary. It is scary because what if a frog jumps in my car," said Lorenzo Bentivengna. When traveling, it can take a long time to get to your destination, but in the end it is all worth it.

"I like traveling to see new places because I get to learn something new and discover new cultures. One place I want to travel to is Paris because I want to see the Eiffel Tower," said Za'Kaiyah Allen. The places and their history we learn about are interesting. The memories that we make while exploring the world. Our world's history in a town Museum, fearful heights of the Eiffel Tower, peaceful boat rides on the Grand Canal, the depths of the Grand Canyon, are some of the many beautiful places we get to witness.

What is your Favorite Place to visit?



DAYTON SMELLEY

"I enjoy Paris because they got a lot of cool things to see. I really liked going on top of the Eiffel Tower. The bad thing about Paris is that it is super crowded and people often steal stuff."



JAYLEEN GARCIA

"I enjoy Alabama because when me and my family was swimming we saw dolphins that were very close. At the time it was super scary, but also exciting to see them."



LOREN MARTIN

"I enjoy Germany because I've never traveled across the seas somewhere, it was an interesting and new experience compared to the hot Arizona weather and landscape."

Alex's Adventure

"I like seeing all the history because it is very interesting. When traveling, my fear is the trip being cancelled. My favorite thing when traveling is seeing all the new places that people don't get to see or visit. But I mostly like traveling with my family," said Alex Maribe in 7th grade.



Elijah
Pittler



Rhett
Rizzo

"This is one of the robot masters in a game called Mega Man II."

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Winter On

Winter is the time of snow, a new year, and the end of a long semester for students and teachers. Students start going to their second semester classes, ready to learn a different subject. Students also go on vacations, because of the long winter break.

Many people around school like to spend their winter recess days inside the warmth of the gym watching Capture the Flag come to life. Capture the Flag is a fun intramural game held and ran by our very own Mr. Bates.

Many people fled to the gym to admire the different games that were held. "I liked to see how the game enticed people to run around and escape the reality of school. If I had remembered, I would've signed up to play," Zoe Hudzikiewicz said.

STUDENT LIFE

Aiyana Chavez

"Yes I did like the yearbook work nights. My group got a full page done and it was very helpful."

Madison Umfleet

"Yes I did like it, it really was helpful, my group got a lot of work done. We all did work very well, we all had a role to play."

Becca Webb

"I liked it because it was very helpful and there were no problems with my group. I loved the group I was working with."

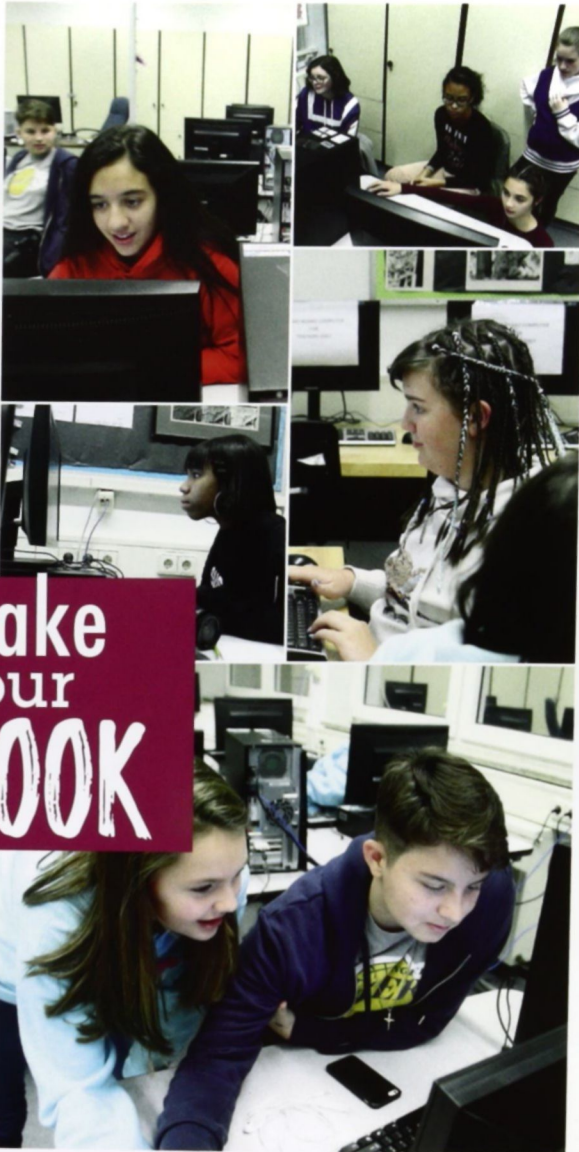
Emma Stephan

"I love the yearbook work nights. The yearbook staff come in and perfect their spreads and I enjoy being an editor and helping people."

Quinten Debolt

"It's new to me and I think it's cool that we get to create a yearbook at this age."

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Choir sings, while Mr. Fears conducts.



AVID READING



Chloe Wright

"I enjoyed the AVID reading. I had fun and it was interesting reading to the 4th graders about giraffes."

Zariah Richardson

"I had fun doing the AVID reading because I liked teaching the kids words and other new things. I would recommend this to other people."

Bianca Rivas

"I like the AVID reading because, I like reading to the kids and making them learn. Also the kids are very interesting, I would recommend this to other AVID kids."



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TURKEY TROT



Camden Debolt

"My favorite thing about the turkey trot was that I got free food. I learned lots of stuff. My favorite station was writing a haiku. That's all I can remember."



Turkey Trot Stations are a fun way to let loose with days closer to Thanksgiving. Students learn ELA skills while eating ice cream sundaes on an eventful day. Mrs. Briggs made these stations fun, so students can learn the ways of ELA. The turkey trot was for all Mrs. Briggs 7th and 8th grade classes. There was much help to make this a fun event. The student had all sorts of fun.



ABSOFLUTELY AMAZING

As Mr. Fears walks onto his podium, the busy crowd turns silent and all faces are on him. He raises his arms ready to conduct. The intermediate and advanced band start playing their first song. The instruments come together to play a beautiful melody.

"I like being in band because we get to play sheet music at concerts. I like seeing other people's reactions to us playing," Riley Scalise said.

After the band has finished, the choir starts to sing.

"I joined choir because I like singing and it gives me a chance to unravel. I am very passionate about choir and I like it," Sarai Tabisz said.

Mr. Fears has been practicing with the bands and choir throughout the first semester. The students worked really hard to get each note perfect for this concert.

"I like band because I can express myself with music," Finn Stackhouse said.



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Ariel Short

"I like turtles!"



Aijah Fields



STUCO STORE

Brandon Patterson

"I like the school store because it is full of exciting new things. The PS4 gift cards are the best things there, and I would spread the word for people to go."

Isabella Burns

"I liked going to the school store and I would recommend it to other people. I bought a pink santa hat."



Skye Brown

"I like the school store and their products. I liked the notebooks, speakers, and basketballs. The hot chocolate was also good."

Madison Sheetenhelm

"I like working at the school store. It is fun but also very crowded."

WINTER MEMES

Tik Tok 16%

Infinity war 14%

Thanos 11%

Fortnite 9.7%



The yearbook staff sent out a poll in February, via Google Forms on which memes were trending this winter.



Isaac Myers

"I drew a candle with a regular pencil. I just wanted to draw something cool. I tried to shade and blend as best as I could. It turned out pretty good."

In Stock

Chaos in the market place. The doors open and the students pour in to see what they can buy with their KMS keys.

Students earn the keys by accomplishing one of the eight Excellence Acts.

"This year I like that we have a different schedule for the KMS

store so that it isn't crowded. I also like how there is more than one cashier and how the items sold in the store are displayed in a case so students can't steal them," Crystalena Ambrus said.



**SPEND
your
DOUGH**



"I played soccer since I was 3. 'The Chop' is my favorite move. You kick the ball one way then you kick your ball on the other side. I plan to keep playing soccer, my main goal is to get as many goals as possible," Joseph Stephan said.



Out to Lunch



Every Friday a selective group of eighth grade students swarm off campus to eat lunch at Burger King, Subway, or at the Kazzabra Club. This group of eighth graders received a golden pass for having a 4.0 grade average. They have shown that they are responsible to go out to eat and be back

before 4th period starts.

"I like being able to go off campus to eat because I get to pick what I want to eat and I get to be out of school, even if it's just for a short period of time," Isabella Pitt said.



**Skull
Deco**



On November 2nd of every year, we celebrate Day of the Dead, where people make alters and serve traditional dishes to remember the ones who have died. Students in Mrs. Johnson's class had the opportunity to decorate skulls with chocolate chips, icing, and marshmallows. "I liked this project because we got a break from working and we got to hang out with friends," Zoe Hudzikiewicz said.



BUNDLE UP EVERYONE

Sometimes the best way to warm up is to cool off, with your friends and with the snow. As fall closes shop, winter opens up a new field of sports and fun activities with this wet cold substance known as snow.

The snow may look pretty but the snow can be packed and shifted together into creations like the snowman which is meant to be your friend, a snow angel which can protect you from those snow demon, and the snow fort which can be used for planning strategic attacks against your enemies. Yes, there are many activities to do out in the snow.

Sometimes it fun just to kick the snow up in the sky and make it fall back to Earth in powdered flakes and sometimes it fun just to admire the snow.

Kaitlyn for example has fun in snow. "I also like to walk outside of school making footprints and kicking the lumps of snow as I walk by." Kaitlyn Barnes.



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Aaron Perez

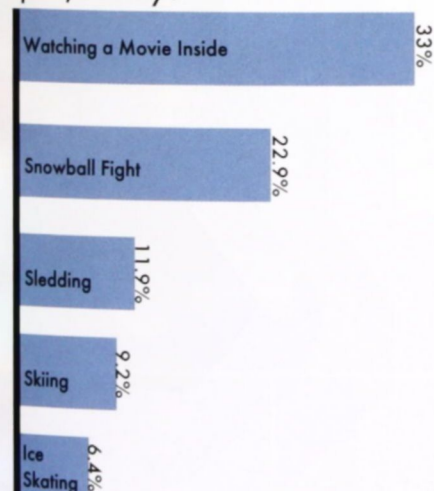


Kennedy Flores

"The picture inspired me because it represents life, slowing down so you can admire it's beauty."

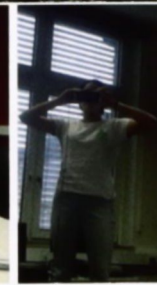
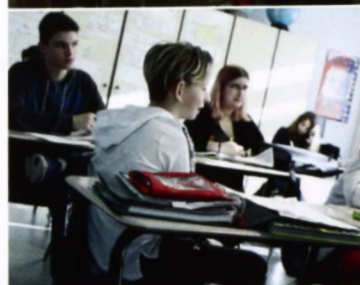
Baby It's Cold Outside

What is your favorite winter sport/activity?



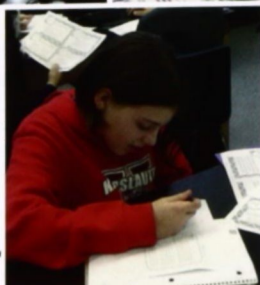
Students were surveyed on 'What was their Favorite Winter Activity/Sport' via Google Forms. "My favorite winter sport is indoor soccer because I was forced to play it as a little kid but now I like it," Stephanie Rojas said.

12/12 @ 12:12



Only on December 12th at 12:12 where students were allowed to take their phone out to take pictures, socialize and just have free time until the clock read 12:13.

"I liked that we got to use our phones to contribute. I didn't think it was too short," Maddox Dubbon said.

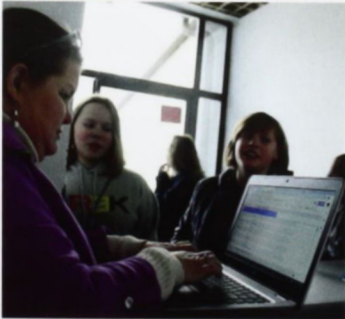


Vaughn Aubrey

Ticket Sales



Students crowd around the counter trying to buy their tickets for the winter dance, the highlight of the season. Buying the tickets before the dance was a must, since it was two whole dollars cheaper than buying it at the entrance. A real steal! The tickets were sold by the sponsors and members of Yearbook and STUCO.



AVID students rush from class to class collecting Recyclable trash to bring to the dumpster. Each class room has a bin, usually a laundry hamper, that the recyclable are meant to be put in for AVID students to collect. The students have fun getting a bit more freedom by walking around school and being able to go outside. Some of the students even adventure in the dumpster looking over recycled papers and other garbage. As the saying goes, one mans trash is another mans treasure! The students go collect trash once a month as a help to the community and the ecosystem.



AVID's bin Recycling!



NJHS, it stands for National Junior Honor Society. Its a club that is focused on helping our community and our school. Their activities they do to help range from collecting box tops from classes during their recess to planning a field day for the whole school. Members of The National Junior Honor Society have to take time out of their own schedules for this club. They have to collect service hours by helping teachers after school, and they have to attend the bi-monthly meetings. The students work hard for the prize, a single scholarship they could be awarded for their achievements in NJHS.

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Aubrey Schumann

"We had a competition in AVID shirt designs. Mine lost, but I loved my design. BTW, it is two papers so you have to put them together just right."

Will Bee The Champion

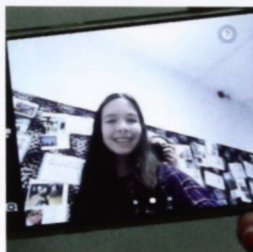
The library quiets as a student walks up to the microphone. Mr. Bates announces the last word. The student hesitates for a moment before answering. "E-x-o-r-d-i-u-m." And with that Kieren Roundy won. Now he would be able to go to the Regional Spelling Bee where he could compete against champions from other schools such as Ramstein and Wiesbaden.

"To practice for the spelling bee, my mom made flash cards and quizzed me with them," Keiren Roundy said. The Spelling Bee may have been a competitive event but students were still happy to see their friends and hang out.

"My friends were there and I had a great time," Griffin Debolt said.

Even if you didn't win you were still congratulated for getting as far as you did, and good sportsmanship was encouraged. The winter competition was definitely a fun event for all that love to learn and try new things, or those that just didn't have anything better to do.

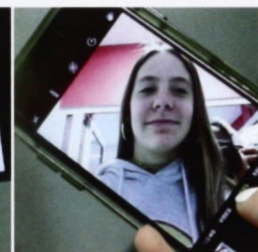
Decoration Creation



"To help with the dance I decorated the gym. I put up snow flakes and I also helped set up the tables. I decided to help them because I was already there." Aijah Fields said.



"Setting up the dance was a very long process but after when the dances started the room looked awesome." Ethan Otto said.



"Selling tickets was very interesting because lots of people were coming out asking for a ticket. It was a very quick process." Sadie Cornell said.

Don't Start Zumba Without Me!



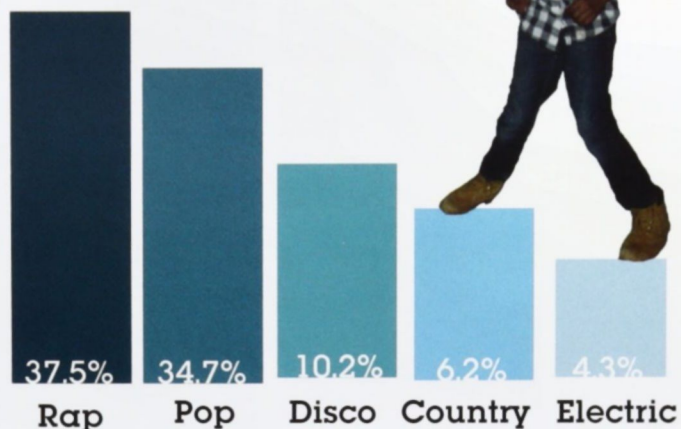
The loud music thumps as the students warm up. after they get ready the teacher comes to the front to instruct them. Zumba is an after school event hosted on Thursdays by the sponsor of the running club. She believes she always runs better after she does Zumba, so she has the members of the club run a mile after they finish. The members have fun and laugh as they follow the steps to the dance. "I like to dance at home," Anu-Dara Boegler said.



Justin Etzel

Dancer's Choice

What is your favorite genre of music? What type of music gets your heart pumpin'?



Work'n up a meal

While there was dancing in the night, there was also some time to have food. The Yearbook Staff and Student Council had a large selection of food, including pizza, cupcakes, fruit cups, water and soda. When the students got tired, they turned to the snack bar to refill their energy that they had just danced off.



Along with all the dancing came all of the pictures and videos. People were pulling out their phones to video their friends while dancing or to take fun pictures with their squad. "I was recording my friends to hold it over their heads, and I don't know why I wanted to hold it over their heads, I just did. I took pictures with my friends and my favorite one was when we got photo bombed," said Logan McKeown.



Finally it's the end of the quarter which means its time to get your awards. Students gather around inside the auditorium for the awards ceremony. While all the students were getting in their assigned seats, all of the parents are already there getting their phones ready to get a picture of their child on stage.

Make your MARK

"I got the silver award. My new goal is to get all A's. Yes, my parents were proud, and when the announcer said my name wrong my parents shouted it out," Glizah Yambao said. The quarter has finally ended which means its time for a new one, where students can restart their goal and get better grades.



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Kimberly Ivory

"This describes how I'm weird and how I like chickens."

Boogie DOWN

The Winter Dance was a time to have an awesome night with your friends. The dance was created by the Yearbook staff and Student Council. Kids danced all night to the music DJ Steadman put on.

With all of her friends dancing around, Xin Ai Robinson was having the time of her life. "This dance was a lot better than the last one. I would definitely go again to do the cupid shuffle." Xin Ai Robinsin said.

Along with all the dancing their was also some time to eat some food. From cupcakes to pizza to water and soda poeple gathered around for a feast.

"My favorite part about the dance was the DJ and I got pizza there to," Wyatt Hoag said. Even though some people weren't to make it to the dance they still wished that they could have gone. "I couldn't go because I was in Athens Greece, but I would have gone if I was here," Keirea McCarthy said. The night had all the moves and grooves along with all the food. It was a night full of laughter, dancing, and fun.

Take your Award



SOLOMON PERKINS

"I got the silver award. I was really happy but I wanted gold, but silver is still good. My goal is to get the gold next time, and my parents were really happy."



BECCA WEBB

I got the gold award and I was definitely happy. I didn't get any other awards and because I did not do gym. And my parents were proud."



ISABELLE ADAMS

"I got bronze award. I was kinda happy to get the award but I wanted sliver. My parents were proud."



Kieran Roundy

Yearbook night



When the next deadline is due, the yearbook staff gathers after school to finish any of their undone work. "Yes, the yearbook work night helped me a lot. It was nice to get to do what needed to be done without being rushed. I liked that we were able to laugh and talk while working and we wouldn't get in trouble," Chloe Wright.



Emily Kinsman

"You know how you have to look hard to find the good in others? Look at this picture and tell me what you see."

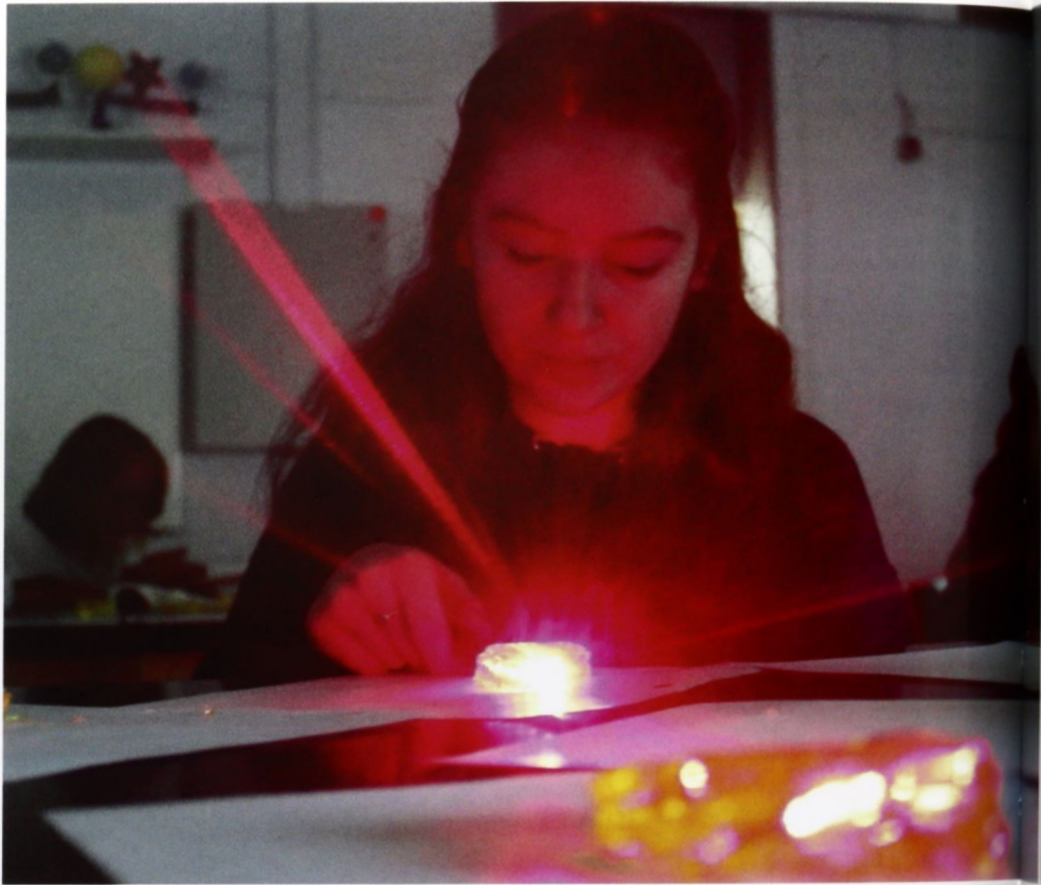
We are all unique. They're all hands, by the way. Make your Mark!"

Hooked On Learning

Math, science, ELA and history are all classes mandatory for a student to take. These classes have a special name called core classes. Each teacher teaches their students in different and fun ways. For example, some science classes will conduct labs or experiments to teach how something works or how to handle a certain situation if something went wrong. Some teachers might give their students treats or KMS Keys of Excellence for outstanding work or answering questions correctly.

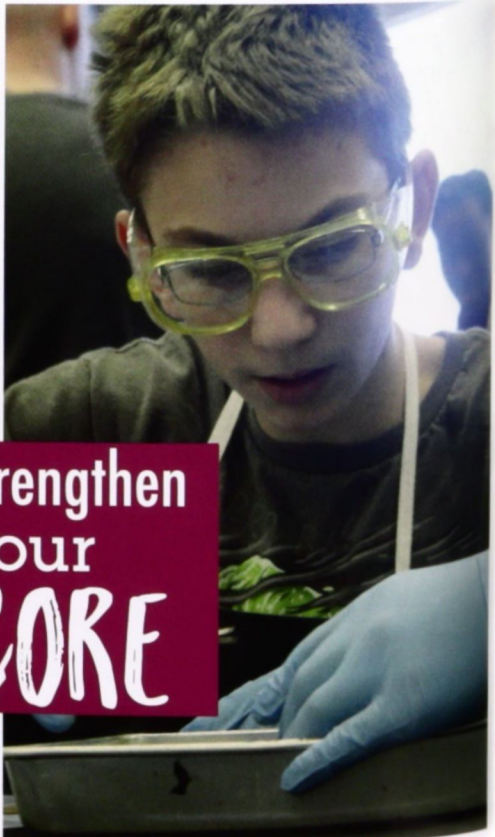
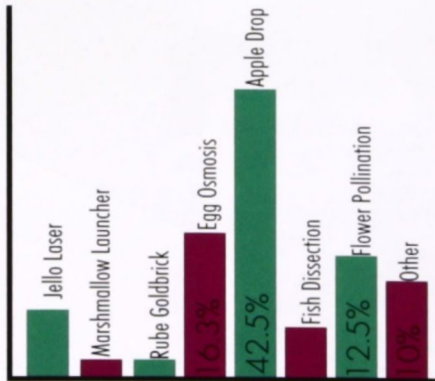
"Science is my favorite subject because there's a lot of cool experiments and activities you can do with science. I think it's cool that we humans use science in our daily lives and the fact that science is practically everywhere," Kayla McMullen said.

Core classes are core classes for a reason. They are the classes that are believed to be the most important and the most beneficial for our future. That means we will need the information. We learn in them for college and our future jobs. The information you learn in these classes will stay with you forever! Some believe otherwise and say we should have different core classes, so they change every few years.

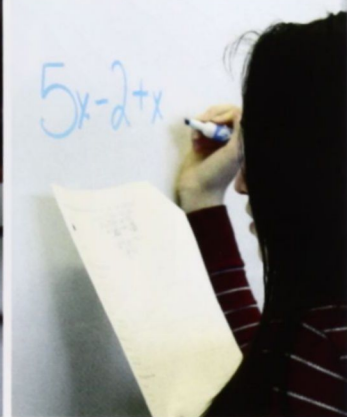


Fish out of water!

Throughout the year there has been many science curricular activities and many science experiments. Science is everywhere in today's world and it also occurs everyday in our lives. Down below you will see what students favorite science experiment is that they did this year. In order to get votes for this poll we had to send a google form to student to have them vote. The apple drop was the most popular, and the jello laser lab and marshmallow lab tied for least favorite.



Strengthen
your
CORE



Hop into History



History is studying the past events, in fact you are making history right now by simply making your mark. History is a core class taken when you want to learn about our past.

History helps us understand why we live the way we are living. You also learn a lot about yourself when you study history. "My favorite part about history is the Vietnam War because my great grandparents fought in it. One was in a group in the front and the other was medic" Caitlyn McDonald said.

History shows us all the important people in history who made their mark, just like we do when we work hard and try our best too accomplish our goals. One day you could end up being written about in a book and students might study you during their classes.



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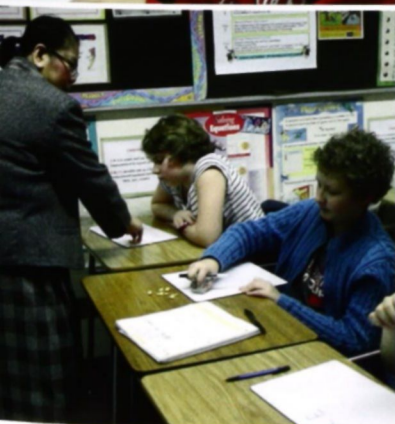


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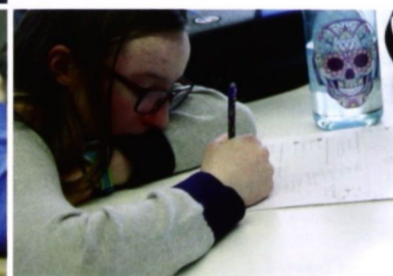
Maddox
Duban

"Basically, my artwork is the letters, BMS. These letters can mean different things, but for simplicity, BMS could stand for Bonds make Strength. But you can make your own conclusion!"



According to my calculations...

Math is the way you learn to play with numbers. It helps you with problem solving, thinking analytically, and having better reasoning abilities. Math is important in not only school but in your daily life. The subject increases your solving strategies and makes our lives simpler. If you look around yourself you'll notice there is math everywhere. Some may think math isn't important at all or that we'll never use it, but a lot of people don't realize we use it all the time. As we get older we start to use it more and more. You might even start to notice yourself using it more as well. You shouldn't look at math like a bad thing, but start looking at it like a good thing!



Crystalena
Ambrus

"This picture was a trial drawing that I was drawing by sight. I was able to replicate the picture I was looking at while adding a few flourishes of my own."

ACADEMICS

Learning and reciting for the given words that are on the worksheet, Lauren Gerber, 8th grade, gives out one of her recommendations to the students who are seeking to take German. "It depends from your preferences and also where you live and how it will be useful", Lauren Gerber said.

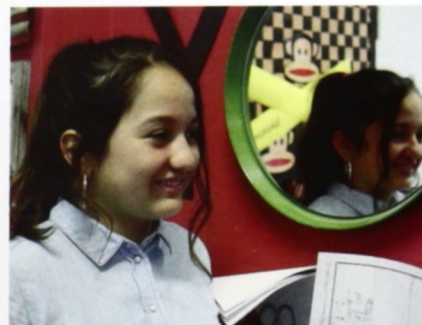
Focusing in class, Kiany Dreifus, 7th grade, supplies her common difficulties about learning German. "It's hard because it's a new language. It's hard to pronounce the words. I would learn this language again because it gives you credits for high school and it will help talk with German people", Kiany Dreifus said.

Communicating and listening, Isaiah Aruwah 7th grade, dispenses a few of his rationales on how German will help him in the future. "To communicate with people outside the country is a skill. It helps with credits while taking German in the future and can speak more than one language," Isaiah Aruwah said.

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Expressing and having fun with her partner, Lisa Pajak 7th grade, delivers her frame of reference about taking photos out of class. "It is fun to learn how to take professional pictures and use my art skills. I can take good pictures for my family in the future," Lisa Pajak said.



Perfectionism in Journalism

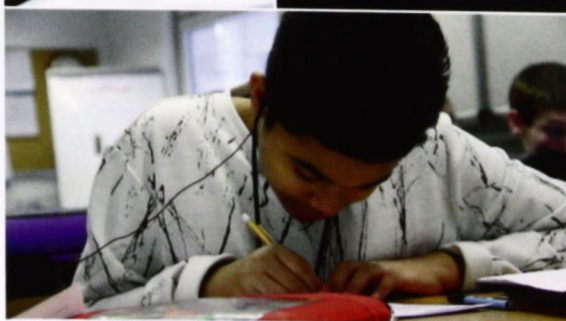
Moving and adjusting around, Madison Sheetelm, 8th grade, distributes one of her motives for taking Journalism. "I want to become a journalist so this class helped me to get there," Madison Sheetelm said.

Working and researching, Aaron Garza, 7th grade, gives out one of his main perspectives on the given assignment in class. "Mainly, assignments are on computers, typing up interviews and typing up things that are currently happening," Aaron Garza said.

Laughing and talking, Jamar Hollis, 8th grade, provides one of his over all thoughts about his wonderful class. "The class is fun. The teacher was nice by helping the kids and the students also were very nice to each other", Jamar Hollis said.



Wondering whether or not to take Journalism, Kayla Harris, 7th grade, announces her few expectations about the class. "I expect to write essays and newspapers. And a lot of writing and reading," Kayla Harris said.



Improving on himself for the better future, Jonathan Steinfeld, 8th grade student, ponders how this class will help him with his future career. "If I want to take a career where I do interviews, it will help me get through the hard ships thanks to my teacher," Jonathan Steinfeld said.

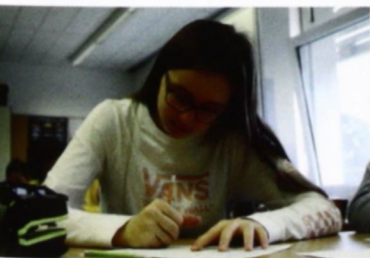


CURIOSITY In Photography

Photography has its struggles like not getting the perfect lighting, your camera isn't in focus, your battery dies right before your about to take a really good shot, and people you are taking a photo of will blink.

Some students are more nervous about Photography than others because some students have more experience. "I have done Photography before so when I was taking this class I wasn't nervous. It was pretty easy to pass this class, but I think I can still get better. Three weeks ago, I went on a trip to Berlin and I took the best photo that I have ever took in my life! My family calls me the Master Photographer," said Alex Maribe.

Students take different photos from different kinds of angles. "My favorite angle for taking photos is worm's eye view because it was just fun trying to get people high enough so I can take a photo of them at a lower angle". Photography shows students their fun creativity side through photos while taking amazing shots.



Eden Wheeler
"I like Journalism because I like writing about real world problems. I want to make a difference when I'm older. Yes because it's a fun and an engaging class."



Giavonna Wilson
"I like to watch CNN10 because its a time when we don't do anything. I also like writing because its pretty cool. I would take journalism again because I find it intriguing."



Keenan Garner
"The hardest part...if I'm keeping it a hundred percent, is the writing. It's hard and tiring, writing a lot of sentences. The worst part is that I do not have a journal to keep everything I wrote."



Cuttasia Hawkins
"I like taking photos because it's so much fun I would not retake this class in the future because I already have the experience."

What do you like about your current elective class? Would you retake that class?

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Cora B.



Bailey Russell

"The big weird animal thing in the middle is something I created in the beginning of the year, a dunomunk duck. It is a combination of a dinosaur, monkey and a duck. He is in his natural habitat, "Una tierra de arcoiris or one rainbow land."

CREATIVE TIMES



Dana Toledo, 7th
"I like Art because I can be creative with my art work. I like to paint in vibrant colors."



Sage Barnes, 8th
"For Creative Thinking, I like learning creatively because it helps with my future career."



Gregory Osborn, 7th
"In art class, I like looking at peoples artwork because I like to get inspired and see how I can improve my artwork."



Grace Nesesario, 8th
"I like Creative Thinking because I like to watch documentaries and get to talk about them."

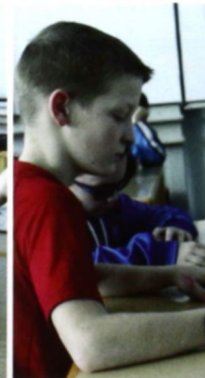
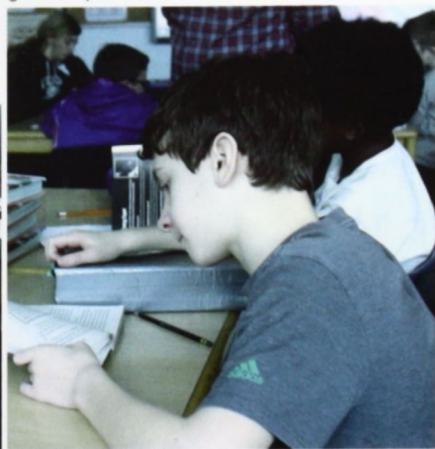


Zoe Hudzikiewicz

"I made this picture because I like color and I just wanted to have some fun while I made the photo. It also shows my perseverance because I had to write out a bunch of the letters."

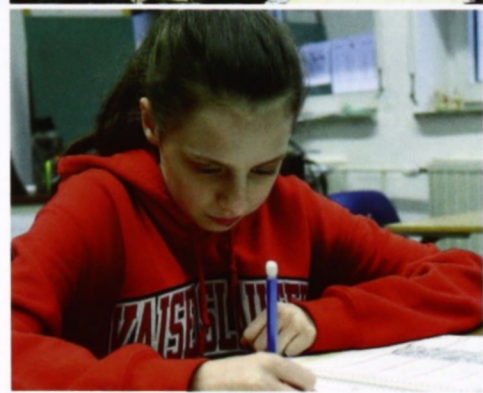
You've Got the Skills

Leonardo DiPalo working on his assignment at his desk in Study Skills. "Study skills helps me get my agenda organized and helps me keep my grades up," Leonardo DiPalo said.



Study skills is about doing homework, checking grades, doing missing assignments, and more. Study skills is a helpful class, a good reminder, gets your work done, and keeps you focused!

"It helps with writing essays," Jacob Deguzman said. Study Skills is a very helpful class to take if you need help with homework and staying organized. You also learn life skills which will be very helpful for the near future.



Listening to the teacher in Pathways to Careers, Electra White thinks about how this class will help her in the future. "It helps me know where I should be with a job in the near future," Electra White said.



There's always that class to know how to keep your body healthy and how to have a healthy life. That class is obviously health. Health is all about treating yourself right and others. It's to know about wellness and the four parts of health.

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"Health helps me understand the four types of health and how to improve on my own health," Imani Lockridge said.



An apple a day keeps the doctor away

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Emily Kinsman

"I doodled 'We are KMS' and decorated the inside."

Jump into Your Future

Pathways to Careers helps many students with figuring out who they are and what they want to be, it also helps point you in the right direction.

"Pathways to Careers helps me because it gets me more involved and directed for the career I want to go to and I learn more about it," Madison Umfleet said.

In this class, you pick a career that you want to do and you research it!

You do so many more things then just research a career.

You also use this amazing website called Choices360 were you discover more about yourself.

Guest speakers come into the classroom and talk about their job or career. They also give advice to the students for if they are wanting to head into that same field. "This class helps me set a goal for my future and my career and it keeps me well organized. Also it helps me keep track of my homework and to make sure that I get it done," Carter Lamkin said.



HOW DO THE ELECTIVES STACK UP?

"Pathways to Careers helps me stay organized and write in my agenda now which is a good reminder and it also helps me learn more about myself and the career I want," Ethan Otto said.

"Computer Apps helps me improve my typing skills and learn more how to work with computers and that will help me in the future," Jayla Teague said.

"Health helps me learn how to stay healthy and fit and learn more about how my body works and it also helps learn how to work better with computers because we use computer often," Tyler Arispe said.

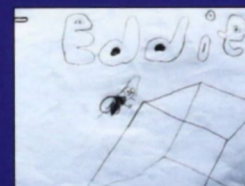
Brain Power



In Computer Apps, you learn so many things, for example, you learn how to type fast, take photos, work with photoshop and you do so many things with computers.

Computer Apps help many students. "Computer Apps helps me type faster and helps me spend less time looking at the keys," Sean Higgins said.

Also, Computer Apps prepares students for high school because it will help them work better with computers and cameras and that will help them with future career options.



Eddie Daly



Annaleah Storr

"I was in my room looking out the window and I saw a butterfly land on my porch, my artwork shows how beautiful things happen to gentle people."

CLUBS

NJHS is the National Junior Honor Society, where few students based on their grades, academics, and skills are individually selected.

"I like learning new leadership skills and qualities, along with helping out around the school," Emma Stephan said.

"We collect box tops to help raise money for our school. We cut them to fit properly on the box, count them in 50s, and we check the expiration date to see if their expired or not, Zoe Hudzikiewicz said.

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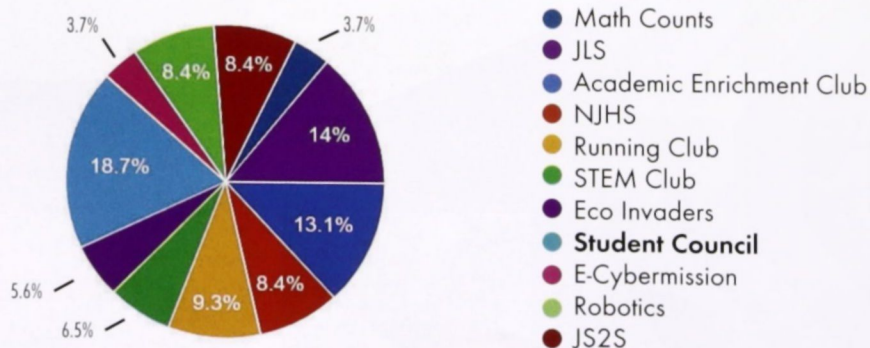


"Following the booklets for building lego moving robots with my team is my favorite thing in robotics. I joined robotics mainly for my sister and I enjoy it," Gregory Osborn said.



What is Your Favorite Club?

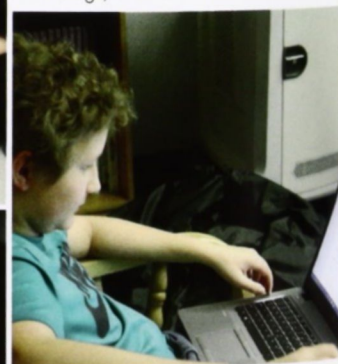
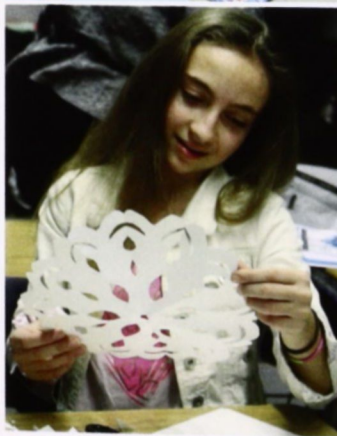
Students at KMS had many choices on how they like to spend their time. Student Council came in first with 18.7 percent with JLS in second with 14 percent and Academic Enrichment Club in third with 13.1 percent.



STUDENT Council



"I joined Student Council because doing it last year was really fun. My favorite thing about it is planning fun events for the school. We would discuss about how we can improve the bad things," Katharina Storch said.

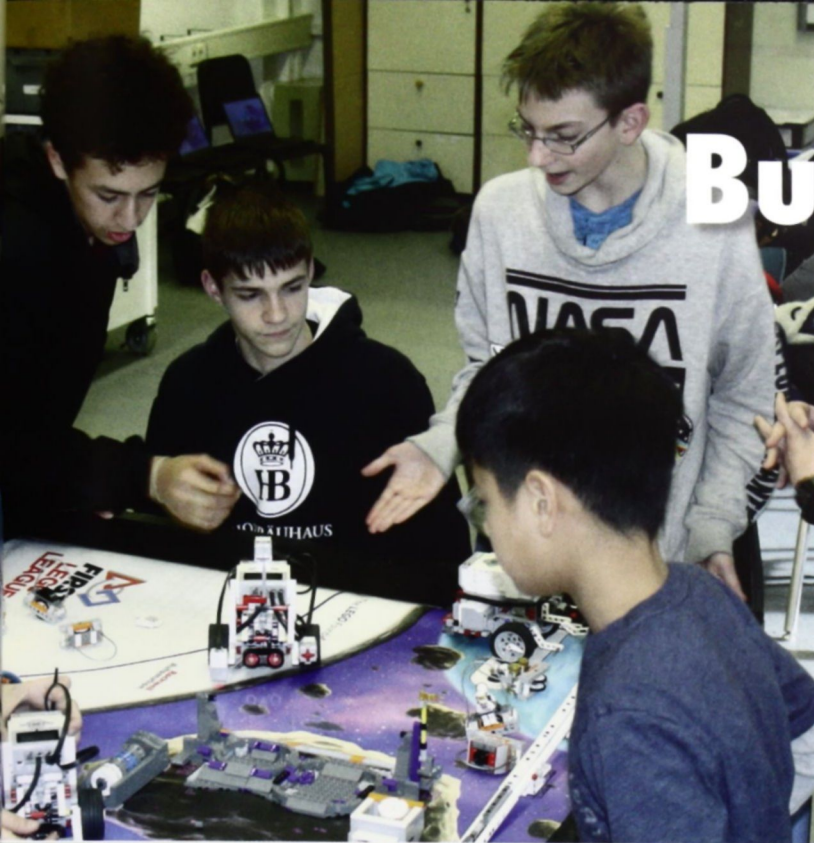


"I joined Student Council because I could be a leader to others and help change the bad things about this school," Mia Petritz said. "I wanted to help other people and show how I can help, and this would be my second year in it," Petritz said.

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Spread created by: Crystalana Ambros, Lily Rose, and Chloe Wright



Build it Up

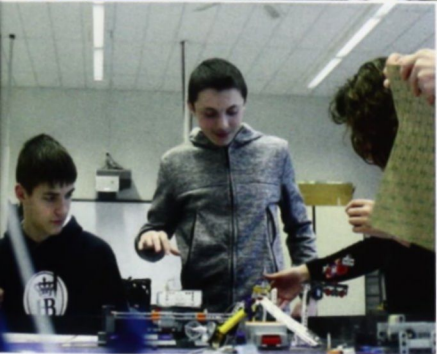
Robotics is a fun and educational way to learn about engineering, teamwork, and using strategy skills. Though this club may not be for all, many do enjoy Robotics. "One thing I like about Robotics, is that it's cool to program our own robots," Jude Storch said.

In robotics students create robots with the help of a booklet, and program it to do certain actions. After building their robots, they compete with their team.

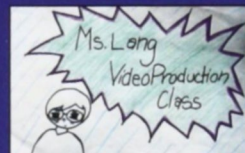
"I joined because I'm interested in robotics. I look forward to going against others by building robots. I like building robots by following a booklet, which is easier," Emily Boring said.

Students with good skills have a better chance in building the better robot and winning against their rivals.

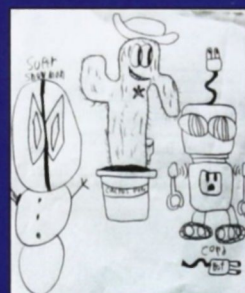
"My favorite activity I've done in robotics is programming, like when we got to control the robots to move forward and around objects," Faith Osborn said.



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Aurora Zirk



Elijah Trujillo

"I am very creative and I like to make random characters for fun."

JS2S Junior Student to Student

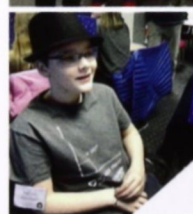


"One thing I like about JS2S is that the meetings are mandatory so we don't have to give up a lot of time. I joined because I wanted to help new kids, plus it's fun showing people around the school," Kaitlyn Barnes said.

"I like JS2S because its a great program to help new kids adjust to our school. I joined because I wanted to offer the same help I got when I first came here, and I would recommend this club for everyone," Brianna Ambrus said.

"I enjoy giving tours and greeting our new kids. I joined because my mom told me I had to. I would recommend this club because it's fun meeting new kids and helping them," Cole Storch said.

Math Counts



Sage Barnes is trying to figure out the answer to a question, "I really liked the environment of the competition," Sage Barnes said. "I think the hardest questions were the questions about triangles because the questions were so confusing."



"I liked that we were able to have fun while we were collaborating and watching others compete," Dennis Kinsman said. "Honestly it got a little competitive," Dennis Kinsman said.



Samuel Myers

"I drew this because I like history and I like sports. I also like soccer and space."

LET'S GET Physical

Every PE class starts with simple warm ups like lunges, push ups, cross country skiers, and frog kicks. These warm ups help everyone go over the basic lower body strength, upper body strength, aerobic capacity, and abdominal and core strength.

After they finish the basic warm up they move on to their dynamic stretches. The sketches include heel walks with reverse, forward arm swings, small skips, fast skips, high skips, high knee into lunge for half of the basketball court than high knees, high crossover kicks, quad stretch and reach then at half court jog, carioca left and right, and finally inchworm and spiderman or crab walks.

When dynamic stretches are done students get a drink of water then move on to the activity for the day. For the end of the quarter and semester Coach Bates planned games for everyone to play. Today's game was Battleship where the objective of the game is to knock down the other teams three pins, last one with a pin standing wins.

"I like playing games in PE. I like army ball, battleship and other games,"
Kieran Roundy said.



What is your favorite thing about P.E?

"Freetime because you could do what you want. My favorite freetime is Basketball,"
Jaylen Cabbagestalk said.



"I liked the locker rooms because we had alto of fun singing songs and talking,"
Anu Boeleger said.



"I like playing soccer because my dad made me start playing it 7 years ago. Now I am the team captain and best player on my team,"

Stephanie Rojas said.



"HUSTLE hustle for a victory!" the Dynamites roar out to the crowd as the basketball team dribbles the ball down the court towards the team they are against. The Dynamites are yelling with the crowd when the team scores the final point that wins the game. They crowd goes wild along with the cheerleader. As the team's shake hands the cheerleaders start to cheer "Whatever, Whatever 5, 6, 7, 8, our team is the best and no one could be better and if you think you are, shh whatever!"

**Loud
and
PROUD**



Fun with the Flags!



For the second Quarter we choose Capture the Flag as our intramural. The winners were In DavisAble. "I employable being the most valuable player, because I was the only girl", Imani Lockridge said. The In DavisAble struggled at first but at the end they started to win. The other team was trying to come back but it was to late and the In DavisAble's won.



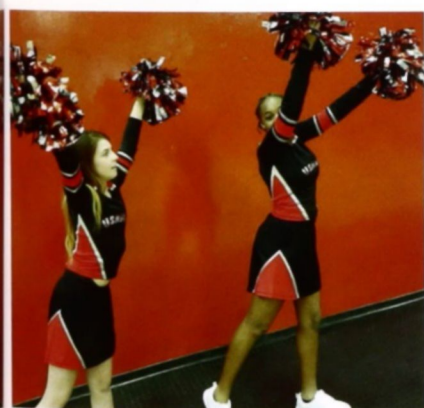
Ayana Fletcher and Leslie Rodriquez are protecting their last pin as everyone tries to knock it over before another team wins.



Eddie
Daly



Artist
Unknown



What does Cheerleading mean to you?



"Cheerleading means to me to be working hard on the performance," Janiya Jones said.



"Cheerleading means to me to be confident, loud, proud and energetic. being in cheer makes me feel really happy especially when I cheer with my friends," Loren Martin said.



"It's something that builds you, it is like a mentorship for whoever joins," Shania Brown said.



"It's to get hyped and to build friendships," Keira McCarthy said.



Alyssa
Arfa

"I once saw an artist draw an anime inspired self portait, so I wanted to try it."

DROP THE BALL



"I chose physical education as my elective because I like playing games and doing fun activities. My favorite part of this class are the games because it keeps us active," Madison Maldonado said.

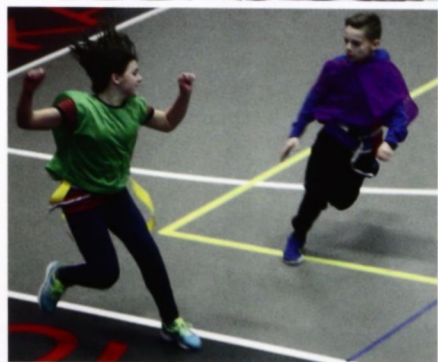


"Well I didn't really choose gym, it was just given to me, but it is a preferred class and it's really healthy and both my parents wanted me to have this class. The games are my favorite, but if there were no games then running on the tracks, because to me it's the easiest and I always get a good work out from it," Jack O'Keefe said.

The students run around the track as the sweat runs down their red face and they catch their breaths, they feel good. This exercise is called interval running. P.E is taught by Mr. Bates and takes place within the gym of KMS.

In the gym you are introduced to physical exercise that will get right into shape, may it be push ups, sit ups, or even pull ups. To spice things up, new and fun games are introduced such as dragon tail and dodge ball.

Sometimes there will be a activity outside like soccer or even just running around the track.



"I really like doing the intramurals and I'm into sports. In sixth grade when they had it, I really enjoyed it. Now I wanted to join and have fun. I mostly knew everyone on my team and it worked well. Yes we won, I believed we won two or three games. I was defense cause you are guarding the whole area to make sure no one is coming in your territory," Madison Umfleet said.



The offenders run quickly up the court, while the defenders stay back to try to prevent the opposite team to make a basket, both teams are sweating and taking deep breathes. Yet still playing, hoping to get that final winning shot as the timer slowly counts down for the game to end, this game of basketball.

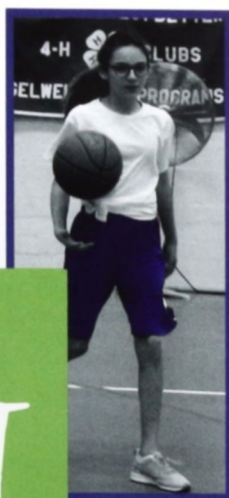
Made in December of 1891 in Springfield, Massachusetts by athlete, Dr. James Nasmyth, basketball quickly became a new sport.

This game has also made it to Kaiserslautern at the CYS where players practice to compete against other teams around Germany. "I like basket ball because it's an energetic sport and

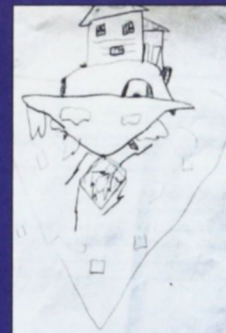
relieves stress. I play in the front because I am shorter than all the girls in my team. I like shooting and dribbling the ball," Jordyn Kline said.

make
your
SHOT

The Ball is in your court



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Jayden
Walley

"What gave me the idea to draw this was the game fortnite. This is called the cube island."

FLAG DOWN

Bored of having absolutely nothing to do during recess? Then oh boy do we have the game for you!

Behold, Capture the Flag. "Is this game really that good, is it competitive, fast, or makes you sweat?" you may be asking and the answer is.... YES! Yes it's all that put in a blender and blended to perfection.

The rules, clear and simple, one half of the gym belongs to your team, other half belongs to the opposing team, if one of the players from one of the teams crosses to the opposing teams half the opposing team are allowed to chase him/her till their flag is pulled from their waist by one of the opposite team's player and the player will be sent to jail. That player will live the rest of their days behind bars, that is unless someone from the players team bails them out by going to that side and touching their shoulder.

Both teams have a ball which is clearly a flag, make sure to have a clear defense and offense, when the game begins the offense will... well let's put it this way, RUN, FOREST, RUN!!! To get the other team's flag.

So make sure you sign up and get ready for the fun to begin.

WHAT'S YOUR

FAVORITE SPORT & WHY?



"My favorite sport is cheer because I am very loud, flexible, I work well with other teammates, and it's a lot of fun," Giavonna Wilson said.



"I like basketball because I like to shoot and play with a lot of my friends who also like to play basketball," Shayla Young said.



"My favorite sport is volleyball. I like volleyball because you have to work together as a team and to me, that's really fun," Alicia Mackson said.

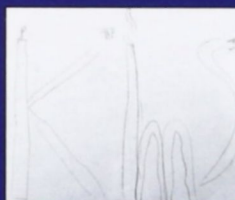
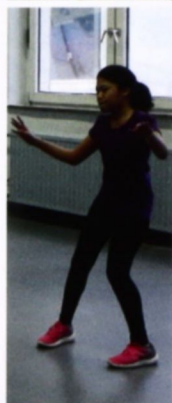


"My favorite sport is capture the flag because I like that you have to run and there's different territories and you have to figure out how to find a way to get the flag," Xavier Evans said.

Get into the Groove



Do you want to dance but you can't find a class? Well worry no longer, Zumba is here! The Zumba class is Thursdays 3:15-4:00 in room 251B in KMS. If your wondering what Zumba is, it's a fitness program that was inspired by various Latin American dancing styles. "I think it's really fun because we are exercising without even releasing it, we do a warm up and then it goes faster. I think my favorite was the footloose because it looks really hard, but when you do it, it's really fun," Lola Cordero said. So if you want to dance, get your dancing shoes on and get to Zumba.



Quinn
Barnes

"We go to a school called KMS."



Ashlyn
McMullen

"I chose this because I love gymnastics and Harry Potter so I drew this."



Kayla
Harris





spring
into
ACTION

spring to life

Flowers pop through the early morning frost ready to **make their mark** on the world. Spring has finally arrived and spring break is right around the corner.

Students are outside chatting and playing with their friends in the warm weather. Spring break plans begin to solidify. Some may decide to travel around Europe while others stay home or visit family and friends.

"I love spring because the birds are singing, flowers are blooming, and I get to play with my friends instead of it being cold and stuck in the house. Also every spring break me and my family always go on a 4-5 day trip," Aiyana Chavez said.

"As beautiful as spring is, I have to be careful of what I am doing because of my allergies. Every year, we go to a tulip field where I pick flowers for my mom. We also go to a local Easter egg hunt. My younger sister only likes the pink eggs," Victoria Rodriguez said.

Get out of your bed, wake up early... **it is time to spring!**

STUDENT LIFE

Delicious

colors, covered in frosting, sprinkles on top, remind you of something? Cupcakes! That sweet treat served at birthday parties blessed our school during the month of March. AVID teachers and students alike were busy during lunch serving green, delicious, delightful cupcakes.

"I really like the cupcakes because they tasted good. The frosting wasn't overly sweet, but it still had a good taste," Aedan Zavala said. With just the right dash of sugar and a pinch luckiness the perfect recipe for Saint Paddy's day cupcakes.

"I really liked the cupcakes because I got to eat cupcakes. The best part of the cupcakes is the sugar, because sugar tastes good," Brianna Ambrus said.

make
it
SWEET



Painting their masterpieces. Kids at Cookies and Canvas were able to paint what they wanted as they ate cookies. They concentrated hard as they don't want their hard work to be ruined by one brush stroke, or the slip of a hand. "I enjoyed it because it was nice for people to get together and just paint. It was also a nice thing to do after a long week of school," Edward Daly said.



Spirit WEEK



Dr. Paul

"I had a really good time dressing up as the Cat in the Hat because I believe in reading. I love reading personally and I think Read Across America day is an amazing opportunity for kids to get involved with books."

Ms. Beck

"I liked dressing up. Especially when I was walking by the elementary school and all the kids were like 'Woah, it's the Cat in the Hat!' It made me feel good to see the happy looks on the kids' faces."

Mia Petritz

"It was really fun doing my hair like Cindy Lou Who. It was actually pretty easy to do, though it would be a pain if I had to do it every day. I had a good time seeing another Cindy Lou Who."



PSAT Prep



"The PSAT prep is about preparing for the PSAT. We had to present a lot of tips and tricks on how to get a good grade on the PSAT. I really enjoyed it because I thought it would be really useful for me when I do the PSAT," Gabriel McKeown said.



"I guess it was ok because it taught me how to get better grades in a normal class, but also how to score well on the PSAT," Brandon Patterson said.



COOKIES and Canvas

The crunch of a cookie, the smell of fresh paint being pressed against the canvas, creativity flying through the air as children walk into Ms. Morkeegan's class ready to express themselves, and have an experience they'll never forget.

"I liked Cookies and Canvas because there was options to recreate a famous photo, or you could create your own painting, I was working on colors and made a heart of red and a bunch of colors like purple, blue, and black. I wish I could have [had] the cookies, but I was allergic," Zabrina Gibbs said.

The students loved painting and munching on the cookies, even those who couldn't eat the cookies enjoyed experimenting with colors.

"I liked it because it was fun and you got to paint, which I never get to do. I had fun painting a jellyfish, which I was really proud of. My favorite cookie by far was the thin mints," Cole Storch said.

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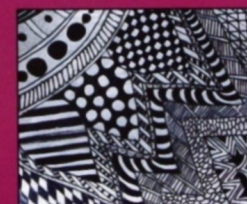


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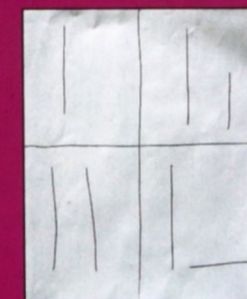


Nevaeh
Mosley

"I just like it because it gives out good vibes and encourages people to smile."

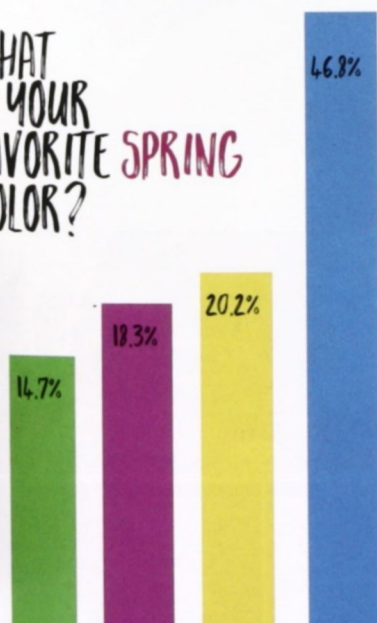


Tinuke
Robert



Jack
Cooper

WHAT
IS YOUR
FAVORITE SPRING
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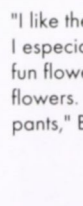
Spring Colors

Spring is a time of rebirth, growth, and plenty of colors. All the colors of the rainbow pop out in fields of blossoms. "I picked blue because it is a nice color and the color of the sky, it reminds me of gum, and the ocean. It also reminds me of the American flag," Marc Febrero said.

What's your favorite thing about Spring?



"I love the Spring time because it is always sunny and I get to do fun things outside. I also like the colors and how they come out with the blue sky," Xin Ai Robinson said.



"I like the warm weather of spring time. I especially like how all the stores have fun flowery dresses and just normal flowers. I also don't have to wear pants," Brianna Ambrus said.



"I adore the flowers and how it gets sunny. The pink, yellow, and orange flowers are fun to look at, especially when I am outside with my friends, having a good time," Khylie KantunCaamal said.



Simple As 3.14159...



"I know digits up to 3.14159265358979323. My goal was to remember up to 100 digits. We did a worksheet about pi and the circumference and then ate pi." Lola Cordero said.



In Ms. Pope's class, the students used string to find the circumference and diameter of certain round objects that were randomly given. During this Pi Day activity, the students ate different types of pie and cookies. "I had a lot of fun during this experience. We had to measure the circular objects, cut the ribbon around them, and use how long they were to find the circumference and area. Although, my favorite part was eating," Loren Martin said.



Anxiously standing on the risers waiting to sing, Alyssa Arfa was very excited and nervous to sing. "I thought the concert was really fun. Though I was nervous, I enjoyed singing with my friends. I consider the choir part of my family." Alyssa Arfa said.



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Artist
Unknown



Lillian
Griffin

"I made a tree of patterns because I am very creative and I love the nature and patterns."

When the honor band members began to play, the crowd was amazed with how

well their children and friends did.

Some students were nervous and others were not but for all the students, this was at least their second

band concert. It was a honor for all of them to be there again. "I was practicing for eight hours straight. My thumb was dead," Kaylee Brown said.

honor that NOTE



"At first, I didn't want to play but eventually it got easier" Gabriel Saldana said.

"I was very excited to be chosen for Honor Band," Emily Boring said.

Hit the Right NOTE

As the band students take a seat, Mr. Fears steps up to the podium and raises his hands to begin conducting.

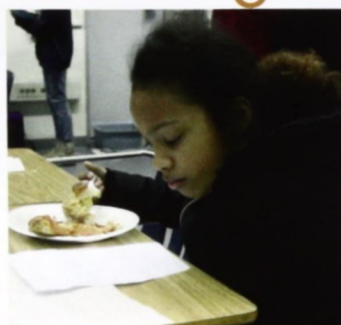
The crowd behind him slowly got quiet and was eager to see and listen to the songs the students were about to play. As the band started to play, the crowd got quiet. Mr. Fears waved his hands to make the band play, once the band stopped playing, the room filled up with roars and loud clapping.

For many students in the 6th grade, it was their first concert but for all the students in advanced and intermediate band, this was at least their second concert to perform in.

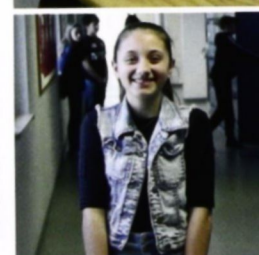
"The concert was very nerve racking, we spent two months practicing what we would play, so we would be confident. It was my first band concert that I played in, I played the clarinet," Giancarlo Bifulco said.

After they finished singing and playing the songs, some of the students were relieved to know that they put on a great performance.

The Original Pi(e)



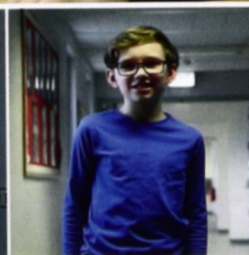
In Mrs. Baumgardner's class, the students had a big Pi Day celebration where they had a contest to see who could memorize the most digits of Pi. Whoever won the contest got a free pass to not have to do the homework that was assigned that day. All the kids watched a video about the history of pi while feasting on pie and pizza. "I memorized 15 digits and won the contest for my 5th period. I was happy and relieved because I didn't have to do the homework." Jacob Barnes said.



"I've never been in a Pi Day celebration. I tried my hardest but I couldn't memorize any of the digits." Gabby Sanchez said.



"We watched a video about how to find pi and it was really fun" Abigail Arfa said.



"I was disappointed that I didn't win the contest because I only memorized 3 digits." Mariusz Kesti said.

Peddles and PAGES

The recess rush can be a chaotic for many students, but some kids have a special key to not being lost in the chaos. Down to the library where some students like to peddle away to exercise their brain and body on the stationary bikes you may find some students reading while they ride.

"It depends on who is riding them to help me focus or not. I think the bikes should be in the library for people who want to do something else or people with ADHD," Ania Ball said.

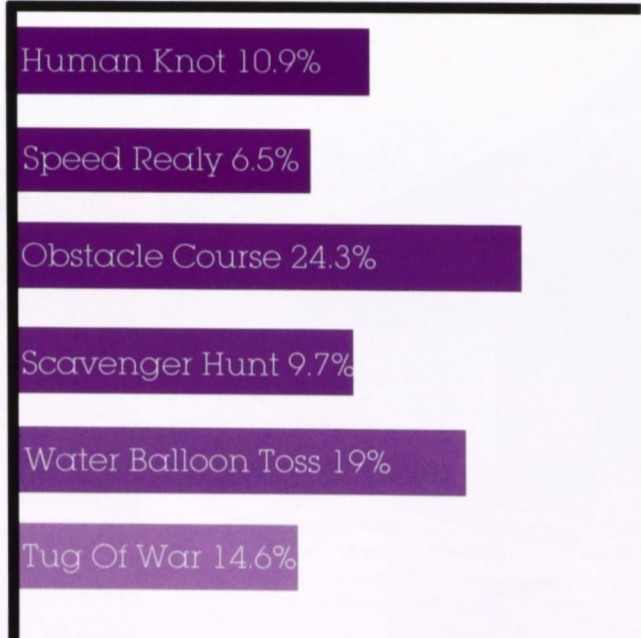
While some students do indeed like the idea of having an indoor exercise option, some other students don't like the idea of that. Some say its because of extra space that could be used for more books and others say that it's because they have to be extra quiet when they are on the bikes. Mr. Chance said that he got the bikes installed because he thought that it would be a great idea for the students.

"I saw people doing it in Canada and Massachusetts and I read an article about it and thought it would be a great idea to try it with our students, I got it approved by the principal and she likes it now," Mr. Chance said. Either playing outside or reading while you ride a bike are both great options to exercise your brain and body.



FANTASY FIELD DAY

If you could choose what you would do for field day, what would it be? From water balloon toss to tug-of-war and so much more!



What happens when you mix the Yearbook Advisor, the PE teacher and the NJHS group together? You end up getting the amazing fun yearbook signing and Field Day, with fun activities like races, water balloons, and yearbook signing.

"Human Jousting was my favorite idea, even though it won't be happening. Yeah I was super

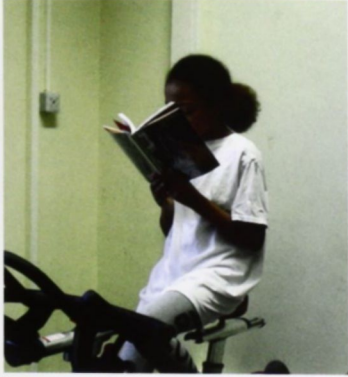
happy when I found out that I get to help plan this years Field day," Crystalena Ambrus said. With all of the ideas that were

brought to the room, it was almost impossable to narrow the activities down. Now it's time to wait for the fun day of fun competitions, yearbook signing and so much more!

create
your
FIELD DAY



While some students find it fun to go outside to get their exercise, some students find it fun to go to the library for bike riding! As the KMS students rush to get to the library they head straight for the books, or the bikes. Down at the library Mr. Chance allows students to come down and read as they peddle away on their bikes.



Bikes, pages and peddles, what else do you need from a library? What's better than using your mind as well as you use your body while you read and peddle!



Eighth Grader Chaos



"When I was at the school store I bought a binder. I think that the school store is chaotic, but I was able to find everything that I needed/wanted. I do like the school store and my favorite item is the binders," Riley Scalise said.



Once all of the eighth graders are done eating they flock downstairs where all of the action is at. Student Council had put together a special school store for all of the eighth graders who took the NAEP (National Assessment of Educational Progress) test. Selling gift cards, bluetooth speakers, St. Patrick's day items and so much more, the school store was such a hit. Even in all of the chaos that was going on all of the eighth grader students found their way to all of their items using their KMS Keys of Excellence.

Lunch Bunch



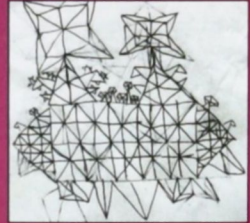
Every Thursday kids gather in a room to watch movies while they eat their lunch. The students are allowed to play board games while they munch on their lunch.

Story Time!



All students from KMS gathered in the gym to hear the wisdom words of Trevor Romaine about how he has helped many children all around the world.

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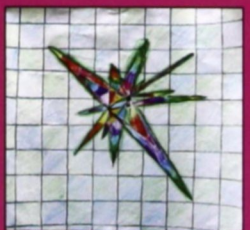
**Aden
Brewster**

"My artwork is flowers made from the triangles and under the world."



**Logan
McKeown**

"These pictures are things called cartoons. I like cartoons because I think they are funny and always make me laugh."



**Brianna
Ambrus**

"Everyone is unique, don't ever be afraid to be your true self."

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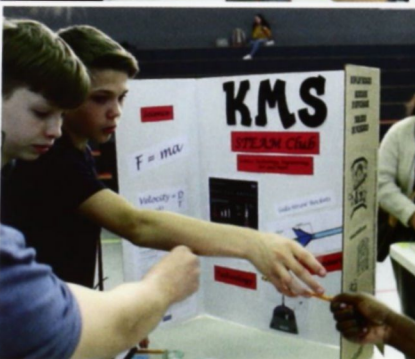
The fundraiser ended with a fun event, from 16:30 to 18:00 with fun games and prizes. The Fitness-a-Thon took place in the multipurpose room that had basketball and minute to win it games. Individuals and classes were announced and awarded prizes for raising the most money. "I enjoyed the fitness-a-thon and my favorite game was the cappuccino and I had a good time," Nathan Cochran said.



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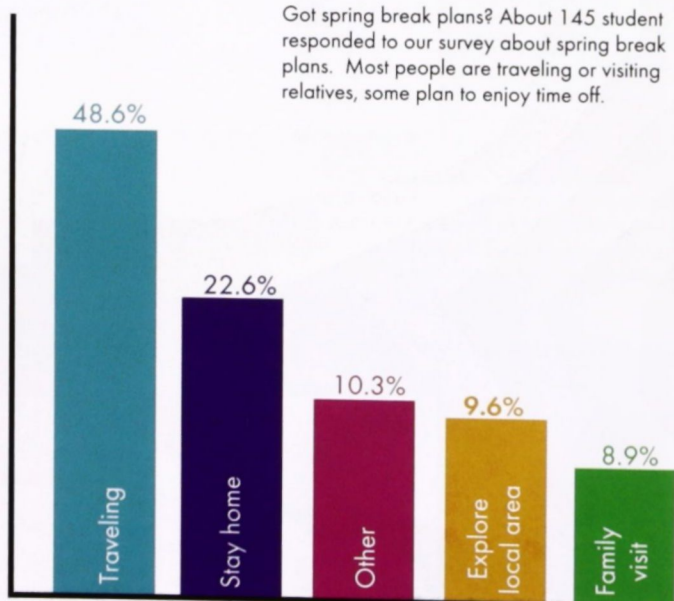


The stations at STEM night all were about their own thing. "My favorite part about working at the station was seeing peoples reactions to the cutouts because they expected like a dorky cutout that turned to be really good," Isabella Pitt said.



SPRING BREAK PLANS

Got spring break plans? About 145 student responded to our survey about spring break plans. Most people are traveling or visiting relatives, some plan to enjoy time off.

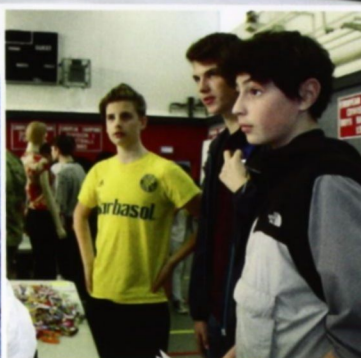


RAMEN ATTACK!



While kids rush towards the ramen stand and wait to get there very own cup of ramen, the other kids rush to get there money out. The kids from National Junior Honors Society hurry to fill the ramen with water that they sell to make money for the school's field day.





STEM Night Exploration

STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) night was held in the gym from 1600 to 1800. It included TED talks by eighth graders, and NJHS (National Junior Honors Society) provided baked goods, drinks, and ramen noodles. Students and families came and went to each station that were different and unique from each other. Certain stations were from Robotics, Eco-Invaders, even the Police Department came to join in the fun. Students also had a chance to get extra credit for science, because for every station you went to it was one point of extra credit.

Students got to work and enjoy the stations, "I liked the 3D printer and got to print $E=Mc^2$ keychain and an octopus," Jonathan Steinfeld said. One of the stations by Ania Ball included lava lamps. "The lava lamps were cool and I liked watching the oil and water not mix into each other," Kennedy Flores said. Mr. Dittmer also went to students to ask them questions for example, "What does STEM mean?"

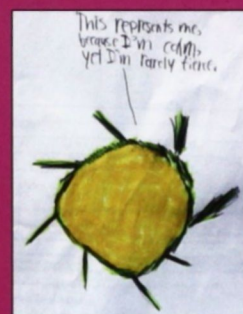
Through the day people came in and out and got to learn something new or something they already knew at each station they went too.

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Aurora Zink

"This is who I am: fun, colorful and pretty. I'm different."



Justin Etzel

"I'm not very arty (liking art); however, I am creative in journalism and photography."



Isabella Burns

GIVE ME A BREAK!



Alex Maribe

"I'm going to Iceland and France for my parents anniversary."



Tyric Elias

"I'm staying at home and my mom and brother are going to Amsterdam."



Jordyn Robinson

"I am visiting my grandparents in Houston, Texas."



Michael O'Keefe

"I'm going to Italy for my birthday."



Rihanna Alleman

"I am going to visit my dad in Texas."



Jayla Teague

"For spring break I'm going to a cruise and my moms friend is coming with us."



Aislynn Bailey

"I'm just gonna stay home and play video games."

What are your SPRING BREAK plans?

STUDENT LIFE

ONE MAN BAND

Mason Brown
"I play the trumpet. I like that we get to learn how to read music and playing Band concerts. I like everything about it."



The noise of beautiful notes being played by talented people with talented voices echoes throughout the building. The Chorus do not play instruments rather they use their voices to create music which takes time and effort making all their voices sound like one knowing when to stop and to continue, when to lower the volume of their vocals and when to raise them. Many students love to use their vocals and show off their talent to the audiences. "I like to sing in Chorus because it is fun and enjoyable by expressing our singing talent," Khadijah Hector said.



While working dilligently in class, Nathan Cochran 7th grade, gives out why he likes to take Computer Apps. " I like to work with computers and learn about Photoshop. In Photoshop, we get to take photos and edit them," Nathan Cochran said.



Being happy to take creative thinking, Frey Anne Grace Nesesario, 8th grade, provides what creative thinking have taught her that was very helpful to her. "It taught me how to make a proper presentation on Google slides, it helps me view things from different viewpoints and it also helps me grow my creativity."

creative extraordinary THOUGHTS



Thinking and talking during class, Kyren Moss, 8th grade, gives out one of his thoughts about creative thinking from the first day of school. "I thought it would be fun. This class would change my way of thinking on things", Kyren Moss said.

COMP Apps

Have you ever wanted to use the power of computers to help express your creativity? Well if you do, then you must take Computer Apps. Learn how to photoshop, video edit, how to take photos properly and much more exciting activities that awaits for you if you decide to take the class.

While using a camera and taking photos are part of the course. Add some pizzazz to those pictures with photoshop. "I learned how to desaturate pictures and photos while using special effects to those images and also learn about the rule of thirds for how to take proper photos," Branch Marisa said.

"I thought it was fun because we get to take photos unlike other classes and we get more freedom while taking photos," Bradey Reynolds said.

Computer Apps teaches students how to work with digital imaging, how to create layouts and how to edit a basic video. Google Apps for Education is used frequently as a part of project work. If time allows, students will get to explore the world of animation.

How does health class impact your lifestyle?



Becca Webb

"It impacts my life by making better health decisions. It helps me know whats going on with my body."



Clarice Tamez

"It impacts my life because it helps me understand the good decisions that I need to make like do not drink alcohol, no smoking, and etc."



Jessenia Acosta

"It impacts my life by making good decisions at school and home. For example, if I should or should not eat a bag of chips."



Health Yourself

Keeping yourself strong and healthy is hard these days with the many addictions that are easy too. Addictions somewhat natural to junk food and technology. These addictions are easy to attract and hard to overcome, but the health class taught by Ms. May discusses addiction. By teaching students how it's a bad idea to live a unhealthy lifestyle with multiple examples and visuals to prove her point, health comes to life. Learn more about you body and the bad effect of some of the decisions you make, make sure to stay healthy.



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Stephanie Rojas

"When I was in fourth grade, I thought of the weirdest things such as flowers. So pretty much I was thinking of flooding, so I decided to draw it. This is how I get my inspiration."



Artist Unknown



Madison Umfleet

"In the middle is just patterns. I love drawing them so I decided to make one. Then the outer part is basically a lot of things I like doing and what I like on different subjects and more. I also like drawing landscapes."

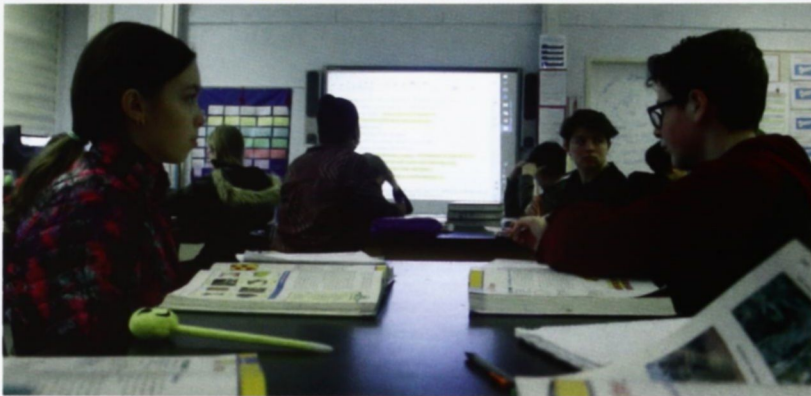
SCIENCE ROCKS

Science is one of the most important core classes. You will need it for your highschool years as well as in college, and maybe even when you are an adult if you decide to become a scientist, or work for a company like NASA.

Science has many parts to it, you learn about anatomy, space, plants and animals. The part about space is especially important since humans are this close to living in space.

Science can introduce many young and creative innovators to do something great. The future is coming faster than many people realize and science is going to be a big part of that future. **"I think science will be a big part of the future because science has already helped us so much and it will continue to help us,"** Madison Umfleet said.

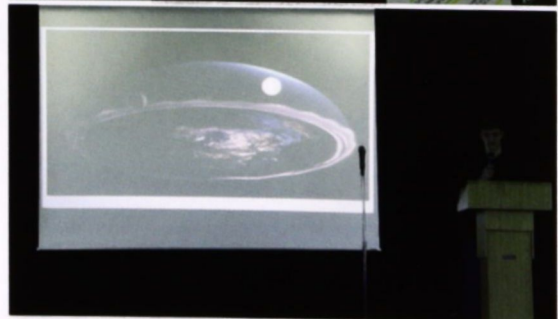
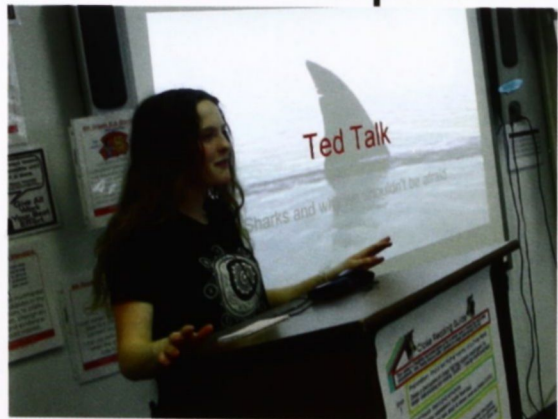
We have so many talented young children here that really love to learn about science. We have so many resources to help them achieve their goals in the field that is science, and the amount of things possible with science are limitless! Here are some of the projects we are doing here in KMS.



Talk to Inspire

TED talks are a chance for students to really break out of their shell. They get in front of a group of people and talk about things they truly believe in. It makes students get over a common fear of stage fright. This of course doesn't mean these students aren't scared they simply need to overcome their fear. "It was nerve wracking, and I couldn't do it the first time so I had to go again later. I still stuttered a lot and I don't think I did very well," Willow Green said.

TED talks is a chance for students to really express how they feel about a topic. You can talk about anything you feel passionate about. All you have to do is convince people of your point. Ted talks is really just a chance for students to believe in themselves and overcome their fears together.



Everyone at some point has to read and reading can take you to a whole other world. Reading provides just as much entertainment as any kind of media and is a lot better for you! Doing this is a great stress reliever and provides an escape to a magical world. There are some incredible writers out there who build an entire universe in your mind for you to enjoy.

Reading gives KMS students a home away from home. Reading can provide lots of students with the opportunity to learn about whatever they have an interest in. KMS has lots of very talented and smart readers.

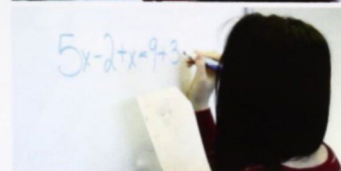
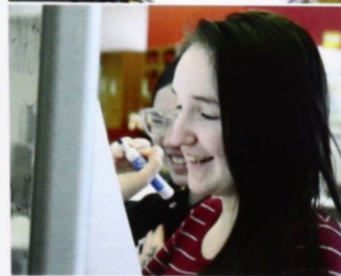
Students here try very hard to achieve a high lexile and strive for excellence.

Read your BOOKS



Mathematical!

Students are hard at work to prepare for highschool which is right around the corner. "I love science I enjoy the class because I like to learn now things everyday," Aiyana Chavez said.



Math is a core class that is usually tied in with science. Both science and math use complex formulas to solve questions. Some people find making and solving these equations fun and easy, and some don't like it quite as much. However you feel about it though, you do have to memorize them and apply them because they will end up helping you in the future. You will use these formulas you learn in math in high school and college, and when you become an adult you will need it in your work, and you will have to know how to use numbers to pay your taxes and bills. Its a lifelong skill you will always need, and your foundations are really built in middle school, so you need to make sure you pay extra close attention, and try your best! And of course you shouldn't only try your best in math but in all your classes!



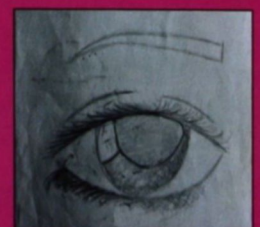
Joseph Stephan

"So what I was drawing is me and my pets because I like them. I also drew the sports I play."



Mason Crawford

"What I drew inspired me because it is from my favorite game fortnite, it was a skin from the game called ragnarock. It looks really cool and it has some good details."

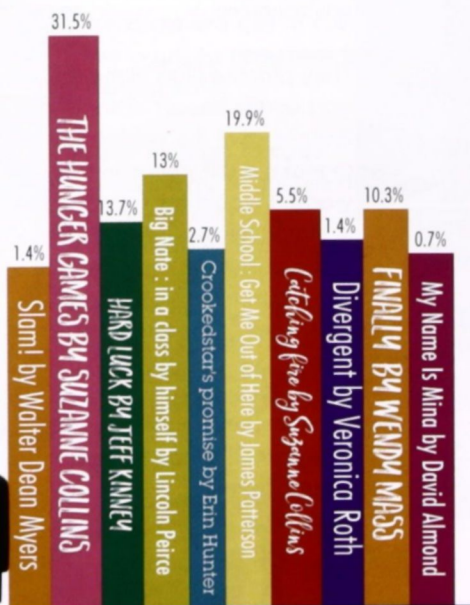


Kylie Quinto

"I drew my artwork cause I felt like eyes are the window to the soul. You can learn a lot about people through their eyes."

FACT or FICTION?

WHAT IS YOUR favorite fiction book in our library?



Google survey on the top ten fiction books checked out of the library. All students surveyed, 147 responses.

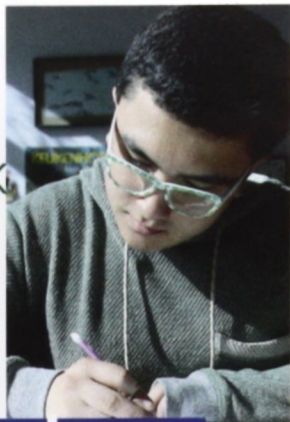
CLUBS

THE DOG ATE MY HOMEWORK

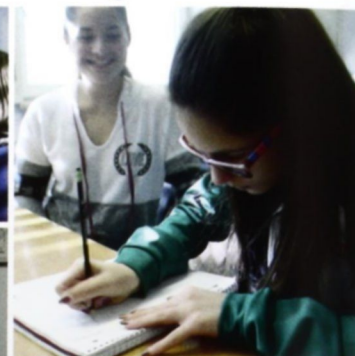
Homework Club is a club to help out students before and after school with their homework. "I think it's really helpful to do your homework, especially if it is hard, and

it's a quite place to study," Xavier Evans said. It's in the mornings, Tuesdays from 7-8A.M. and after school Wednesday and Thursday from 3-4. The eighth graders go to Ms. Huff, seventh graders go to Ms. Johnson, and sixth graders go to Ms. Bymaster's room.

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your
GRADE



Leaders in the Making

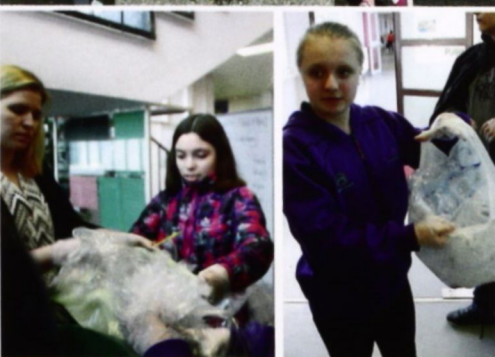


National Junior Honor Society, also known as NJHS, is a group of hard working students who help the community out. The students in NJHS help the school raise money and help other communities out. "I like NJHS because it helps me get into better colleges and it looks good on my résumé. I also could get a scholarship for my hard work in NJHS," Madyson Kline said. NJHS members have to get 8 hours of services and keep their grades up in order to stay in NJHS.

GO GREEN!

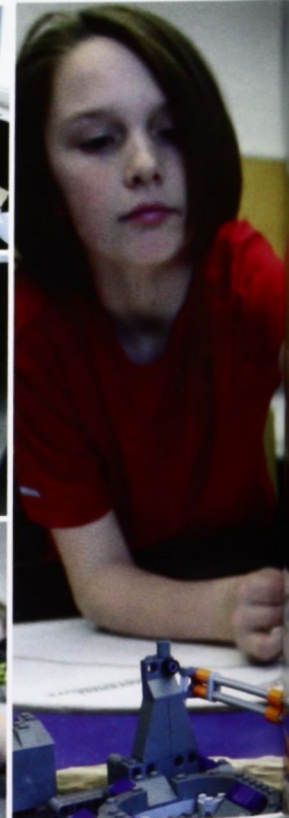
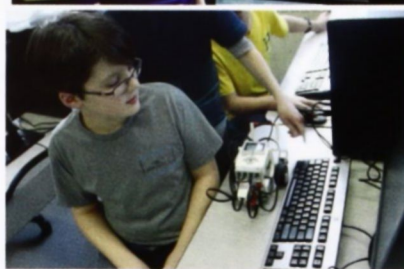


The Eco-Invaders are on the roll by recycling and helping the environment. They make projects by re-using objects and trash. "It's a little messy, and it helps the school and figuring solutions for problems. I would do it again if I was going to be here next year. I did it last year and I also did it this year," Caden Swanigan said. The Eco-Invaders help the world by planting and cleaning the environment.



They planted lilies in the stone pots by the soccer area. "I like that we save the world! I joined to make a difference in the world. I would have to do this in the future, we go and we make posters to show people that we're trying to make a difference," Christina Dones said.

Eco-Invaders help the world by doing small things that make a huge difference.

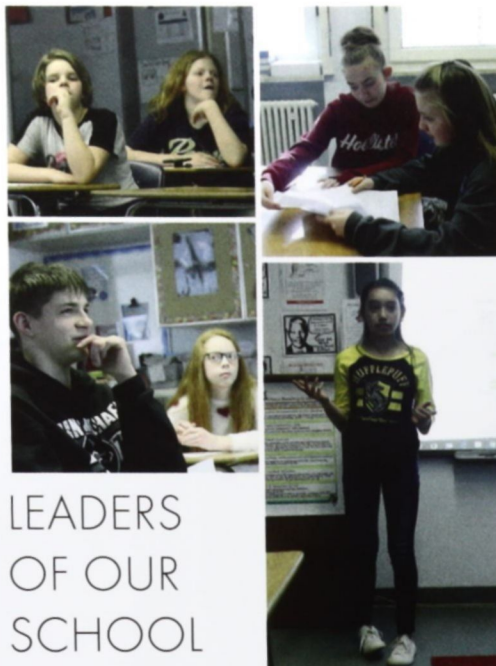


LEAD. Achieve. SUCCEED



"I feel like it's a great leadership opportunity to help the school out. Being able to help plan events for the school. I'm the 7th grade representative, I bring news to the office about student council," Brianna Ambrus said.

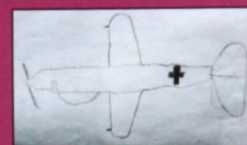
"I like it because I have the ability to make the school better and make decisions and have the ability to speak up. I'm the vice president. I like it because instead of sitting back I have the ability to speak up and help improve my leadership," Mia Petritz said.



LEADERS OF OUR SCHOOL

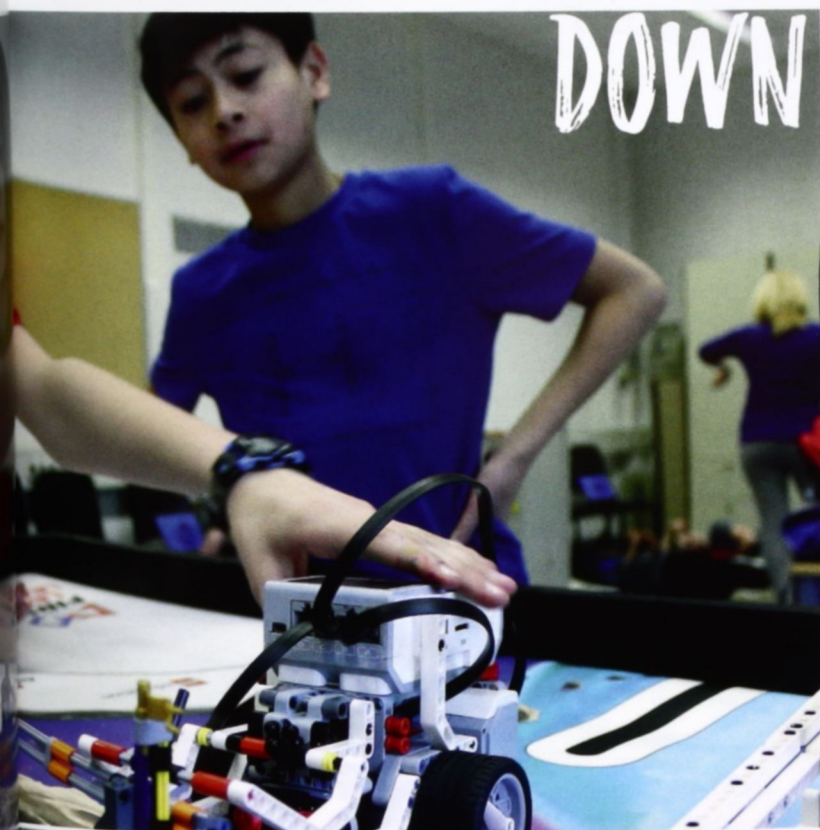
Student Council is a group of creative students who plan fun events for our school. STUCO hosts fun events like talent shows, spirit weeks, food sales, dances, and fundraisers.

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Marivsz Kesli

"My artwork is an airplane from WWII."



DOWN TO THE WIRE

Robotics club builds different types of robots and those robots do many different things. The robot that they had built was one you had to code in order for it to move. This robot could spin in circles and make turns at many degrees and angles. It can go forward and backward and has an arm that lifts up and down. "Program our own robots, because we get to come up with how we want to program the robots," Emily Boring said.

After learning to code a small robot, the club moves to a more advanced robot. It is a robotic arm that can pick up many items and move it from place to place. It's much bigger than the robot and much more difficult to build and it takes time. "I learned how to code. You just code, I built a robotic arm, like two hours. Me and Jude built it," Derrick Santiago said.

Robotics uses a lot of creativity and thinking skill, along with cooperation skills. It takes patients and hard work, and it's a fun way to interact and learn new skills.



Aaron Garza



Artist Unknown



AND THE WINNER IS...



Aleni Mageo
"I liked playing in the basketball tournament because it was fun and I like playing basketball. I was excited when we won the finals because I knew our team was going to win anyway".



Shayla Young
"I liked playing in the basketball tournament because it was fun. I had a good feeling about winning the semi-finals. I was nervous for the finals, but we won so I was happy about that".



Annaleah Storr

"I like P.E because we do workouts that build our muscles. It's a lot of hard work and commitment."

Noah Lee

"I like it because I get to play sports and grow muscles."

Caizer Abasta

"I like playing spasketball, it's fun and entertaining."

Quinten DeBolt

"I like P.E because we get to play sports like soccer, basketball, and handball. And it helps me stay in shape."

Riley Scalise

"I liked P.E because I had friends in that class and I sort of like running."

let's
get (in)
SHAPE



Why do you like playing basketball?



Kaleb Tilley

"I like basketball because it's fun, we get to travel, and there are tournaments."



Carter Lamkin

"I like basketball because it's fun, I play it a lot, just love playing the sport, I think I'm good at it, and I'm on an actual team."



Rihanna Martin

"I like basketball because it's a fun sport and I like playing defense."

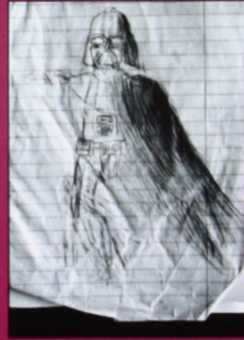
GETCHA HEAD IN THE GAME



Basketball finals This is the game that determines between two lucky teams who wins it all. The two competing teams are Hey There Delia and Pun-Dittz. Head to head in the finals and there can only be one winner. The time flies with the ball as the teams are running from one side to the other just trying to make some points. Passing the ball to one another Hey There Delia shoots the ball and wins the finals!



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**Artist
Unknown**



**Sofia
Johnson**

"My favorite animal is a dolphin. I love to draw rainbows."

BE A GOOD SPORT

Physical Education gives students a break from their other classes. Students get to play fun games like battleship, capture the flag, army ball, wiffle ball, hockey, soccer, and basketball. **"In basketball I like dunking on people. The hardest part in basketball is being so good cause I have to go easy on people,"** Nikita Balk said. In PE, students get to discover new sports and learn how to play them.

"A sport I learned how to play was basketball. I would not want to play this sport again in the future because I don't like it. I don't like it because I'm bad at dribbling," Some students love P.E where some dislike it. Some student like jumping for the ball and getting into action. Where some student just want to chill.

"I don't like P.E because it's too much. I also don't like how we have to run every Tuesday. I hate doing pushups because I'm not athletic," Kendall Bailey said.

Even though some may not like playing sports, most students love to get up and move around in PE class.



DANCE TO THE MUSIC

The students in Zumba club take one step in and then other out.

Learning a new dance move in Zumba is hard work. **"I like how it's trying in a good way. It's fun and it's a good exercise, the music and dance instructor sometimes the coordination is off,"** Khadijah Hector said.

Zumba is an aerobic fitness program featuring movements inspired by various styles of Latin American dance and performed primarily to Latin American dance music. Zumba is taught weekly courtesy of our PTSA president, Ms. Edwards.



P.E does a lot of activity and has many games for you learn over the semester course. **"I like playing**

games. My favorite game is kickball, cause it's a good game, and I like running around the plates because it's fun,"

Madison Maldonado said. Many students like P.E or they dislike it, but

P.E will always be around and getting you right into shape.

make your PASS



Sorry, I've got to run!



"Endurance, cause I like running as a sport and cross country and I also like track. The farthest I have gone is five miles. I like to run at the track by the commissary because it's easier to tell the distance you've gone, and how many laps," Jonathan Perts said.



Getting out and breathing the fresh air, while trying to catch your breath after running three miles. The running club is Monday and Friday after school activity.



Students who are in running club get stronger and much faster in running. They have many trails to run on, like by the commissary and by the bowling alley.



Olivia
Royalty

"I was inspired by my extreme love of pandas and colorful patterns. The picture is a panda full of different multi-color designs."

WHAT DO YOU LIKE ABOUT P.E?



"I enjoy PE. because it's a break from writing and reading in classes. My favorite part is the fact that we get freedom and we get to talk," Carter Lamkin said.



"I like PE. because it's physical and fun. I dislike when people don't have good sportsmanship. My favorite activities in PE. are football and basketball," Sean Small said.



"It's alright, the physical activities and sports. My favorite sport is basketball. I don't like that there is not enough time in P.E. and I don't like fitness assessments," Kenan Edwards said.



"I liked how it's more advanced than elementary school. My favorite activity in P.E is basketball, I never played basketball so it was fun learning something new. I don't like running, I prefer running short distance," Tinuke Robert said.



William
Nelson

"It's Everyday Bro from Jake Paul. I eat cereal everyday."

make new FRIENDS





One of a Kind

Middle school is the time to make your mark and find your place! It's a time to have fun and enjoy who you are becoming.

The things you do while trying to find out who you are will be your real mark that you make, because they leave an everlasting imprint on everyone you knew, know, or people who will know you. **"I made my mark by making people like me with my great personality and humor,"** Brandon Patterson said.

During middle school you also find your place with the kind of people you hang out with. The people you choose to be friends with can change you as a person in many ways. They can change how you act, your interests, and even things you do. Your friends can bring out the best in you, and make it so you can do so much more than you could ever do on your own. They help you, inspire you, and encourage you to achieve your dreams and try new things.

You also find people you admire and aspire to be like, then over the course of middle school and high school you learn to work hard while still being yourself and adding your own spin to life. So you should go out now, find your place, and **make your mark!**



ADMINISTRATION & OFFICE STAFF

Susan Paul
Pedro Soto
Colleen Daniel
Whitney Schulze
Sarah Coyne
Terasia Olsen
James Straka



Dr. Susan Paul PRINCIPAL

Mr. Pedro Soto ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

Dr. Paul is the principal of KMS for two years straight. She wanted to be a teacher by the time she was in first grade. "I was a librarian for many years, and I loved it," said Dr. Paul.

Dr. Paul loves being a school principal and wouldn't change her job right now at all. "I was a librarian for many years, I chose to be that first but right now I would not change my job at all," Dr. Paul said.

Her favorite thing about being a school principal is being allowed to see all of the the students that go to school, along with believing that students are at the heart of what people do.

"My favorite thing is watching the students come to school each day and planning a great enviornment. I think this is because students are at the heart of what we do. I value the time with the students and to help plan programs that help everyone," Dr. Paul said.

In her free time, Dr. Paul likes to ski and read. "I love going on a ski trip every year. Skiing is so exhilarating and fun, I also get my exercise in. I also love reading, but not while skiing," Dr. Paul said.



Mr. Soto has been teaching for 12 years and has been the assistant principal at KMS for 1 year, this being his second year.

"I was a PE and Health teacher for 12 years," Mr. Soto said.

Mr. Soto had also said that he loves he's job to help out the students and that he would not change his job.

"I enjoy the being able to meet with the students in the best and worst times, its because the students remind me of the three kids I have raised and the difficult times they had growing up in middle school. I would not change my job becuse I enjoy being here to help the students adjust to their middle school years," Mr. Soto said.

Mr. Soto values time spent with his adult children, shown above.



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Garry Baumgartner
Tilisha Morris
Robyn Scalise
Karen Mageo
Susan Harris-Boring
Karley Gorman



Griffin DeBolt

"I love farm scenes because they are simple but is still beautiful in a way."

WHOOPS-A-DAISY

What's your most **embarrassing** moment on the job?



"I was 17 years old and I was working at a movie theater and I knocked down a trash can size full of popcorn kernels," Ms. Harris-Boring said.



"I ripped my pants when I was lifting something up at a job," Mr. Baumgartner said



"I worked at Hardy's as a cashier. This popular and famous band at the time came in. Everyone was so surprised and it was only until they left when I found out who they were," Dr. Paul said.



"I was a teacher and when I went to school I had two different shoes on," Mr. Soto said.



"Sometimes when I make a call, I forget who I'm calling or why I'm calling," Ms. Morris said.



"I backed over a sign when I drove a catering truck. That was pretty embarrassing," Mrs. Beck said.



"I was walking up the stairs and tripped and my face was red full of embarrassment," Ms. Kelly Delia said.



"I like to work with the students because the students are really smart, and I'm very passionate about helping them," Rachel Jarvis said.



Aiyana Chavez-Buntenbach

"My artwork is about me and things I like. My inspiration was my love for drawing, which I do a lot. When drawing this I was thinking of things I love or like a lot. Such as the Avengers sign I drew because I love Marvel and have seen every Marvel movie."

Allyson Allen
Justin Bates
Filipina Baumgartner
Kelly Briggs
Terry Bymaster
Erin Clause
Stephanie Dager



David Dittmer
Marguerite Ducas
Wayne Fears
Lydia Fleischer
Shawn Green
Susan Hemmer
Gabriell Horton



Liz Huff
Glenda Johnson
Randy Kamperman
Susan Kelly
Sarah Lang
Allison Lewis
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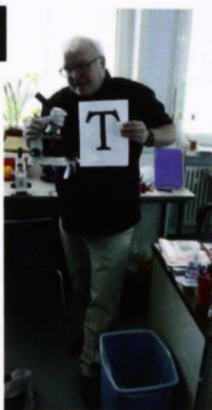


Danielle May
Adam Moore
Paula Parks
Lindsay Pope
Dina Swaim
Alejandra Uscanga
Gena Wynn



TEACHER LOVE

Why do
you **love**
teaching?



Mr. Dittmer

"My college astronomy teacher inspired me to teach. I thought that I could teach like him and now it is my job to teach."



Ms. Parker

"I never thought I'd be teaching in Germany. I love it and I love AVID. I thought I would be teaching at a college in Kentucky."



Ms. Huff

"To inspire, encourage, and kindle the spark of learning are my super powers! May you find yours and achieve yours while leaving a positive footprint on your journey."



Dr. Kelly

"I always wanted to be a teacher, I always liked school. I volunteered in 9th grade to help kids with physical disabilities. I got a degree in Special Education."



Ms. Nelson

"I like when students are motivated to learn more about the science of life."



Ms. Allen

"I've been teaching for nine years. I started on 10/10/10. I can teach health, humanities, and creative writing."

**Teachers not
Photographed:**
Ingeborg Glenn
Cory Miller
Pamela Morkkeegan



The Odds Stack Up

The Oreo stacking contest was an intense competition to see who can stack the most Oreos without them falling. Sixth period video production students learned how to film a live event while capturing the emotion of the oreo challenge. Morkkeegan, Briggs, Lewis and Lang were stackers. Ms. Smith ran the event.

That's the Spirit!

Spirit week was a fun time to show your spirit and commitment to the school. During that week students and teachers got to dress up and wear different things to show their school spirit.



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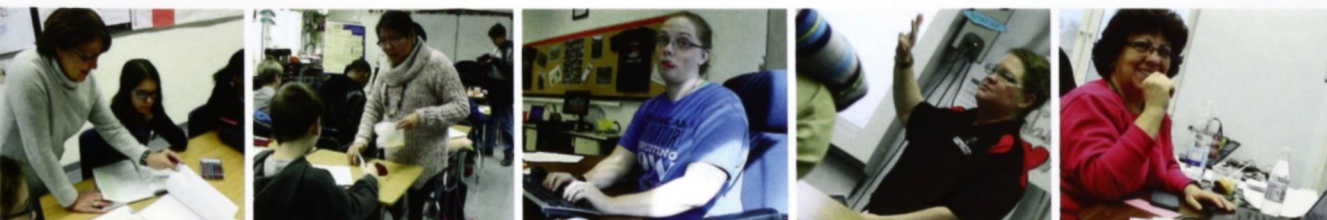


Elijah Trujillo

"I love Iron Man and the Avengers Infinity War was the best movie I ever saw, and I hope my picture gets into the yearbook."



Every teacher in this school is so important to our KMS family. We are so glad to have them here teaching us and hopefully they'll be here for years to come! "Build people up, don't break them down," Ms. Allen said. "Maintain the love and passion for what you do," Ms. Morkeegan said.



Jackson William



Ms. Lang

"I get to teach Photoshop, InDesign, and Premiere to students who really want to learn. The best part of my job is to watch the kids come up with cool ideas and create awesome projects."

Ms. Hemmer

"I watched my mom help people all my life in girl scouts for leadership roles, that's why I became a teacher. My favorite part of the job is to see students' lightbulbs go off when they get the answer."

Ms. Fleisher

"I love working with sixth graders. They're always enthusiastic about learning."

Ms. May

"The students are the best part of teaching. I like to know that I'm teaching them more about themselves and the world."

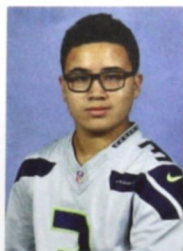
Mr. Kamperman

"Every kid is a challenge, but every kid always learns something."

Ms. Wynn

"I love teaching because I get to share my passion of science with others."

Caizer James Abasta
Freeman Allen
Abigail Arfa
Cole Arispe
Vaughn Autrey
Isabel Baldwin
Jacob Barnes



Quinn Barnes
Giancarlo Bifulco
Marisa Branch
Christian Cannarozzo
Troy Carver
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Eli Charbonneau



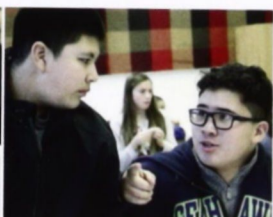
Aiden Cochrane
Isabella Cook
Kealen Crisostomo
Jayren Cruz-Lopez
Dana Da Silva Castro
Edward Daly
Jacob De Guzman



Griffin Debolt
Leonardo DiPaola
Isabelle Edwards
Willem Edwards
Julian Engle
Maryn Ennis
Austin Etzel



SIXTH GRADE



SUPERHERO FOR A DAY

If you were a **superhero**, what would your name be and what **super powers** would you have?



ISABELLE EDWARDS

"My name would be Travel Girl, and I would time travel so I could redo things in my life."



INDIA SULLIVAN

"I would have teleportation and x-ray vision. I could get around easier and I could see through walls."



DANA DA SILVA CASTRO

"My name would be Invader Girl, and my powers would be reading minds so I could see what people are thinking about."



AMARA VASQUEZ

"My name would be Teleportation Girl, and I would teleport so I could go places."



COLE STORCH

"I would want the ability to eat six donuts at once and I won't get fat."

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Patrick Finley
Ayden Fitte
Kennedy Flores
Max Flores
Kylie Fugate
Tida Gales



Nina Gardner
Jacob Gerber
Julian Gonzales
Cole Gradnigo
Joshua Grays
Diamond Green



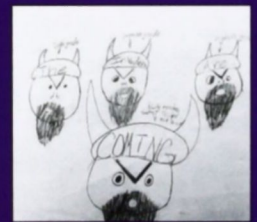
Lillian Griffin
Julian Grogan
Wyatt Haag
Autumn Hall
Belle Hatch
Zaynah Hector



Felicia Heel
Dylan Hibbs
Zadorien Hollis
Kimberly Ivory
Ethan Jenkins
Jayvn Johnson



Jessica
Moon



Imani
Lockridge

"My picture is of four invaders. Each of their helmets say a different word, and if you read it all together, it says, 'The Invaders are Coming!' This shows that it takes more than one invader to represent our school and that when we stand together it sends a warning to other schools not to mess with us. We are united. The different eyes represent that we are all different."



VAUGHN AUTREY

"My name would be Chrome. My power would be everlasting life, so I can see what happens in the future."

QUINN BARNES

"My name would be Snowboarding Boy, and I would like snowboarding powers so I could snowboard better."

NOEMI PETRUZ

"My name would be The Black Cat, and I would want to jump high, run fast, and be super smart."

COLE GRADNIGO

"My name would be Black Panther and I would have claws to slash bad people, and super protective armor so nothing would be able to hurt me."

SHAYLA YOUNG

"My name would be Supergirl and I want to teleport so I can scare my friends. I also want to fly because I do not like walking."

ADEN OLEA

"My name would be Red Man, I want to be able to fly, and turn invisible because it would make me cool."



Khamani
Morris

Sofia Johnson
Demian Joyner
Khyllie KantunCaamal
Mariusz Kesti
Emily Kinsman
Jordyn Kline
Brianna Lancaster



Olivia Lazare
Isabella Lipinska-Hunt
Tareavion Mageo
Bryce Mayer
Keira McCarthy
Caitlyn McDonald
Logan McKeown



Ashlyn McMullen
Ethan Miller
Kristian Mina
Sean Moore
Samuel Myers
Avery Nabinger
Ranya Nefoussi



William Nelson
Abigail Noah
Aden Olea
Faith Osborn
Tayrien Parnell
Grant Parry
Jonathan Perez



SIXTH GRADE



WINNER!

If you
won the
lottery,
what
would
you do?



TAYRIEN PARNELL

"I would donate money to the poor, buy a nice sized family house, buy a SUV to drive and just save the rest of the money."



QUIN BARNES

"I would get a horse and all of its survival equipment. All the rest of the money I would save for the future."



CHRISTIAN CANNARZZO

"I wouldn't use a lot of money as a kid, when I'm older I would buy a private jet, a mansion, gaming set up, and once I'm broke I would have a secret bunker under ground and live there with enough supplies."



LEO SCHELI

"I would move to Chicago since I was born there, when I run out of money I would go work at McDonald's."



ADAM TILLEY

"I would buy a big house maybe even a mansion. I would also buy a Ferrari. I would give money to charity and money to my family and I would buy another dog."



Solomon Perkins
Noemi Petrus
Noor Phinisey
William Pickel
Mia Bella Platkin
Jeremiah Purvis

Kylie Quinto
Charlotte Richesson
Mia Ricketts
Brenden Ringman
Tinuke Robert
NoahRyan Robins

Amayah Robinson
Emily Robinson
Jordyn Robinson
Olivia Royalty
Paulina Sabirov
Adrian Salonga

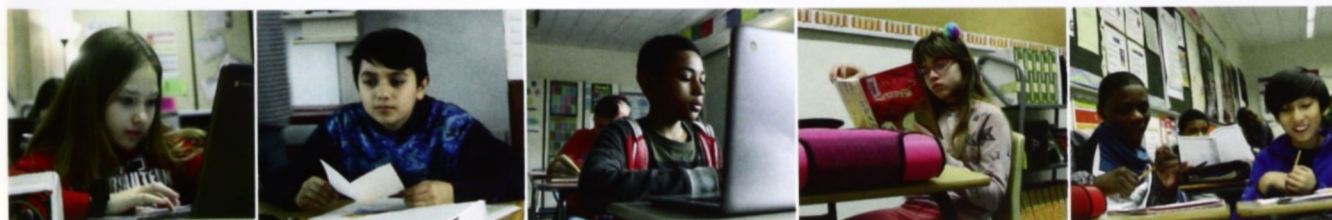
Gabriella Sanchez
Leo Schell
Aubrey Schumann
Talon Sells
Mark Sheetenhelm
Ariel Short

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Willem Edwards

"My main inspiration for this comic is just my imagination and other comics (Garfield and Calvin & Hobbes). Also, just to bring some art to the school yearbook"



Aubrey Schumann



Ayana Fletcher

KYLIE FUGATE

"I would donate the money to the people who need it to survive, and keep some of it to save for the future."

GLIZAH YAMBAL

"To be honest I would give the money to my family because they need it, they would save it."

VINCENT ZITO

"I would buy a really nice house and donate money. I would also buy a car, smart shoes that you can control from your phone and V- Bucks."

BRYCE MAYER

"I would give most of the money to the poor, and for the rest I would use that to buy video games, mainly for Fortnite."

SABELLE EDWARDS

"I would save up for college, buy food, and go on a shopping spree."

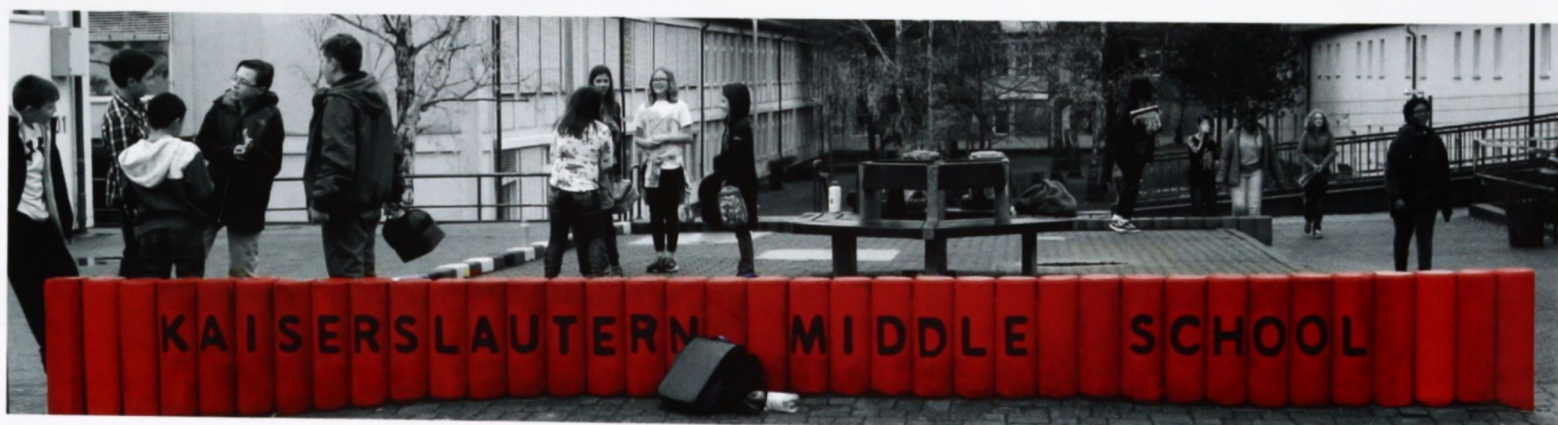
La'Kelvius Silvers
Marquis Silvers
Juliet Simpkins
Nicholas Steele
Joseph Stephan
Cole Storch
India Sullivan



Giada Taylor
Sawyer Ter Horst
Adam Tilley
Aiden Toney
Elijah Trujillo
MaKaya Uhlich
Reina Usui



SIXTH GRADE



ISABELLA EDWRADS

"I am a **TACO** because it's my favorite food!" Isabella Edwrads said.

JACOB BARNES

"I am a **REFRIED BEAN QUESADILLA** because it's a quick and easy food for me to get before theater practice." Jacob Barnes said.

ABIGAIL NOAH

"I am a **MACARONI** because cheese is my favorite!" Abigail Noah said.

JACOB DE GUZMAN

"I am a **BANANA**, because I like to eat bananas often," Jacob De Guzman said.

NOEMI PETRUS

"**BREADSTICK**, sometimes, when ever I eat, I want it and they are delicious," Noemi Petrus said.

MARIUSZ KESTI

"I am a **CUCUMBER** because it's my favorite food!" Mariusz Kesti said.

KENNEDY FLORES

"**SPAGHETTI** because I love spaghetti, and every time I eat at a restaurant I eat spaghetti," Kennedy Flores said.



Amara Vasquez
Sofia Villanueva-Garcia
Jayden Walley
Octavious Washington
James West
Laura White

Glizah Yambao
Shayla Young
William Young
Azlyn Zirk
Vincent Zito

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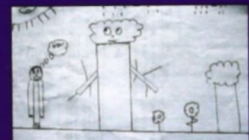
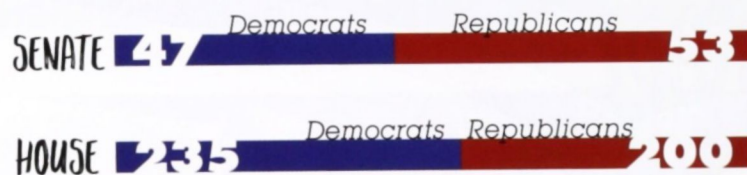
Christian
Ramirez



James
Previtt

In November, Congress held a midterm election, members of the House of Representatives and the Senate were up for re-election. Democrats took control of the House and the Senate remained the same. According to CNBC, "The parties showed they are as polarized as ever, delivering a Democratic House and a larger Republican Senate."

U.S. Midterm Elections



Caiser
Abasta

"I draw my artwork due to that I stay positive everyday but stay a little sad. Also, I create it due to the fact that I like imagining what I like to draw. Lastly, I love art and when I draw a picture I like to be more focused and expressive."

FOOD LOVERS

IF YOU ARE
what
you
EAT, what
would
you be?



SAWYER TER HORST

"I am a **CARROT** because carrots keep me healthy!" Sawyer Ter Horst said.



DANA DA SILVA CASTRO

"I am **CHICKEN** because it's the only thing I'll get at McDonalds," Dana Da Silva Castro said.



LA'KELVIUS SILVERS

"I am **CHOCOLATE** because chocolate is amazing," Lakelvius Silvers said.



MARA VASQUEZ

"I am a **BEAN BURRITO** because it shows where I'm from, Mexico!" Amara Vasquez said.



GRANT PARRY

"I am a **WATERMELON** because it's my favorite food!" Grant Parry said.

Micah Adams
Maurice Ahavit
Alex Albert
Rhianna Aleman
AnnaLei Alfred
Callie Allen
Isaac Amaro



Brianna Ambrus
Kaitlyn Arevalo
Alyssa Arfa
Tyler Arispe
Samara Armstrong
Siye Armstrong
Chukwuemeka Aruwah



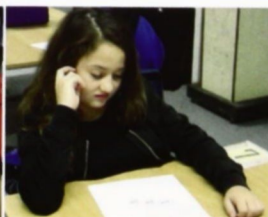
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Parker Back
Jacob Baker
Ania Ball
Rachel Ballard
James Barnes
Keidrick Bedford



Aowen Bergo
Anu-Dara Boegler
Emily Boring
Victoria Brilliant
Kaylee Brown
Mason Brown
Isabella Burns



SEVENTH GRADE



TRUTH TIME

What
is the
BIGGEST
LIE
you've ever
TOLD?



**Ja'Niya
Jones**

"I told my parents that I was going to a friend's house but instead I went to a party."



**Kaylee
Brown**

"The biggest lie I ever told was I told my friend that someone didn't like them and it wasn't really true."



**Micah
Adams**

"I got my brother in trouble for breaking a vase when I did it and he got the punishment."



**Madison
Umfleet**

"When I was four years old, I wanted to get a haircut, but my mom wouldn't let me. So I went upstairs and got scissors and cut my hair off on my right side. I hid the hair in my dresser, after, I went downstairs and told my mom I didn't want a haircut anymore. I turned around and my mom saw what I did and got mad at me."



**Bella
Deckard Rogers**

"I told my parents I was going to a specific place and instead went somewhere else that was far away, and they still don't know."



trending your STYLE



**Cristian
Ramos**



**Jordyn
Kline**

"I drew this because I want to represent, my love for KMS. The heart stands for my strength, my emotions, it stands for my love. The wings stand for my protection, that I can dream so big that I can do whatever I want! The swirls that you see represents the power that I have for knowledge. I love KMS so I drew a big KMS for evryone to see!"



**Jasmin
Stevens**

Khani Burson
Jaylen Cabbagestalk
Alejandro Calderon
Garcia
Roberto Chang
Aiyana
Chavez-Buntenbach
Nathan Cochran

Lola Cordero
Ethan Crismon
Audric Crisp
Quinten Debolt
Bella Deckard-Rogers
Christina Dones

Rachel Dougherty
Kiany Dreifus-Cabrera
Maddox Dubon
Tyric Elias
Kamyra Epps
Avery Farr

Ayana Fletcher
Brinity Galo
Jaylene Garcia
Keenan Garner
Aaron Garza
William Hanna



**Lisa
Pajak**

"I told my parents that I would be hanging out with my friends but instead I was hanging out with a boy."



**Alex
Maribe**

"I had gotten a behavior notice and I never told my parents that I got one."



**Aiyana
Chavez**

"In third grade I spilled paint in the class on the desks, carpet, and floor and I blamed it on two other kids when the teacher came back and, they were sent to the office and I did not get in trouble."



**Kayla
Harris**

"I told my dad I was going to running club but instead I went to Burger King. My dad still hasn't found out."



**Carter
Lamkin**

"I took apart a panel from a computer I lied to my parents that I didn't do it and said my partner did it and I never got grounded."

Kayla Harris
Sean Higgins
Elizabeth Hodl
Zoe Hudzikiewicz
Samuel Jeon
Ja'Niya Jones
Bianca Kongthungmon



Carter Lamkin
Annabel Lower
Noah Lee
Imani Lockridge
Julie Lutter
Alex Maribe
Davis Martin



Loren Martin
Rihanna Martin
Jeffery McGee
Noah Minor
Jessica Moon
Julie Moore
Elizabeth Morgan



Khamani Morris
Mikayla Moses
Nevaeh Mosley
Joshua Newson
Erin O'Keefe
Isis Olea
Gregory Osborn



SEVENTH GRADE



NETFLIX

What's
your
favorite
NETFLIX
show?



JACKSON WILLIAMS

"My favorite Netflix show is The Walking Dead. It's my favorite because it has a lot of action. My favorite character is Rick he's my favorite because good at fighting."



STEPHANIE ROJAS

"Brooklyn Nine-Nine is my favorite show because it's funny and relatable. It's relatable because it's like my dad's story."



KAIDYN REGAN

"My favorite show on Netflix is Riverdale. It's my favorite because there is a lot of action and violence. My favorite character is Archie, he's my favorite because he is the coolest."



ANIA BALL

My favorite show on Netflix is Grown Ups 2. I like it because it has comedy and drama mixed in it. My favorite characters are Aiden and Daniel because they are interesting."



ETHEN OTTO

"Titans is my favorite tv show, not Teen Titans Go because it is interesting and the plot is good, my favorite character is Robin."



Ethan Otto
Lisa Pajak
Michelle Parker
Katelyn Penafiel
Mia Petritz
Elijah Pitler



James Prevett
Elizabeth Provo
Christian Ramirez
Cristian Ramos
Kaidyn Reagan
Jillian Recoma

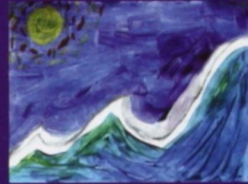


Bradey Reynolds
Jeremy Ricketts
Rhett Rizzo
Jordan Robbins
Stephanie Rojas
Lily Rose



Kieran Roundy
Gabriel Saldana
Ruth Sather
Sean Small
Dayton Smelley
Mihret Spence

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Loren Martin

"I love painting the sun and the beach and the water. It makes me happy to see bright colors. The sun reminds me of the suns in Arizona, and the water reminds me of going to the beach with my family."



Mia Bellla Platkin

"I drew squidward because him and I both play an instrument called the clarinet."



TYLER WELBORN

"My favorite Netflix show is *Riverdale* because the plot is interesting and my favorite character is Archie."

MADDOX DUBON

"My favorite Netflix show is *Friends*. I like it because it shows real people doing average things in a funny way. Joey Tribbiani is my favorite character because he has a good personality."

CHLOE WRIGHT

"My favorite Netflix series is *Riverdale*. I like *Riverdale* because it's so relatable and addicting."

QUINTEN DEBOLT

"*The Flash* is my favorite TV show because it is fiction which is my favorite genre and it involves superheroes."

ZOE HUDZIKIEWICZ

"*Friends* is my favorite show because it goes on a long time and it is a comedy. It is more mature but I could still watch it."

LILY ROSE

"*Riverdale* has a very good story and is very exciting to watch every week."

Finn Stackhouse
Jirhne Stefanik
Jasmin Stevens
Katharina Storch
Annaleah Storr
Uriah Sullivan
Caden Swanigan



Sarai Tabisz
Clarice Tamez
Dason Tate
Jelayra Taylor
Jayla Teague
Daviannie Tirado-Alejandro
Dana Toledo



SEVENTH GRADE



AROUND THE WORLD

If you could do anything in the world, what would you do?



FINN STACKHOUSE

"I would be a teacher. I don't know it just seems like a fun job because you get to be around kids all day."

ELIZABETH HODL

"I would start professional acting because I was recently in a show and I am very passionate about acting."

ISAIAH ARUWAH

"Be successful at everything I do because I would make a lot of money and I will be well-known."

ISABELLA BURNS

"I would be a veterinarian because I love animals. My favorite animal is a wolf."

CARTER LAMKIN

"I would build a gaming PC because I like computers and I like gaming."

IMANI LOCKRIDGE

"Have the power to read peoples minds because I want to know everyone's secrets. I know it's invasion of privacy but I won't tell."

WHERE IN THE world would you go?



Efrain Ortega

"I would go to Arizona because most of my family lives there and they have the best food."



Jaylen Cabbagestalk

"I would probably go where the weather is warm, so Florida or Texas."



Ethan Otto

"I would go to Minnesota because, all of my family lives there and we visit my grandparent's cabin."



Annabel Lawer

"I would probably go to Egypt. Because I have never been there and I heard good things about it and wanted to check it out."

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Zodorien Hollis

"I like a game called Fortnite. It makes me have fun and it's full of surprises."



Jayla Teague



Jazrynne Hurry

Madison Umfleet
Lee Wakefield
Becca Webb
Jeffrey Welborn
Kayla Welton
Electra White

Jackson Williams
Hunter Williams
Chloe Wright



SEAN SMALL

"I would go to the NFL because I want to get money to help my family. My favorite team is the Eagles."



JANIYA JONES

"I would go to a Tyler the Creator concert because I love his music and he is a great inspiration."



CALLIE ALLEN

"I would want to make beats for rappers because I love music. My favorite type of music is rap because I like the way it sounds."



JILLIAN RECOMA

"I would help people who have been in traumatizing situations because I have been through traumatizing situations and I want to help them."



RIHANNA MARTIN

"If I could do anything in the world, I would time travel and go back to the nineties because I like the style and music from the nineties."



CRISTIAN RAMOS

"Go to the Canary Islands because I have family there and go to a Seahawks game in Seattle because I have never been and I am a big fan."



Alex Albert

"I would go to Barcelona just because of all the wonderful things there."



Sean Higgins

"I would stay in Europe because the food and people are nice, and the places are amazing."

Jessenia Acosta
Isabelle Adams
Justine Allam
Za'Kaiyah Allen
Crystalena Ambrus
Sean Atkins
Naawintema Bagosbah



Aislynn Bailey
Kendall Bailey
Lucas Balderaz
Nikita Balk
Kaitlyn Barnes
Sage Barnes
Lorenzo Bentivegna



David Bidwell
Katherine Bone
Shania Brown
Skye Brown
Farrah Bryant
Kaylee Bulley
Reginald Carrasquillo-DeLeon



Benton Carruth
Diana Ceban
Jack Cooper
Sadie Cornell
Nicole Cramer
Aidan Crawford
Mia Cuellar



EIGHTH GRADE



WHO LET THE DOGS OUT?
If you could be any animal in the world what would you be and why?



SKYE BROWN

"I would be a wolf because they are predators and they stay with their mate forever."

BENTON CARRUTH

"I would be a dog because they are adventurous, cute, and playful, and I've grown up with dogs and experienced them."

DIANA CEBAN

"I would be a dog because I would have people who love me and take care of me. They also get to sleep a lot and eat."

MADISON SHEETENHELM

"I would be a fox because they are pretty and they are my favorite animal."

MADYSON KLINE

"I would be a wolf because they are free and not bothered much and they are pretty and majestic."

JAMAR HOLLIS

"I would be a bear because they are super strong and sleep a lot like me."

trending your STYLE



Mark Shettenhelm

"My sketch is an astronaut. I made this because I want to be an astronaut when I grow up, and be the first person on Mars."



Maurnice Ahavitt



Sage Barnes

Camden Debolt
Claudia Decardona-
Marquez
Joseph DeLorge
Elliott Dorema
Kenan Edwards
Mia Embree

Jason Ennis
Justin Etzel
De'Andre Evans
William Evans
Xavier Evans
Marc Aaron Febrero

Aijah Fields
Edward Finley
Madelyn Fitzgerald
Jacob Fortner
Lauren Gerber
Zabrina Gibbs

Willow Green
Liberty Harper
Khadijah Hector
Teague Hillebrands
Jamar Hollis
Ivy Horton



CALISE LEE

XIN AI ROBINSON

GABE MCKEOWN

AARON PEREZ

ARIANNA ROBINSON

ALLON MAZKIN

"I would be an arctic fox because I really like the cold and arctic foxes are cool."

"I would be a spider because I want to scare people so they can smash me, but mostly to scare people."

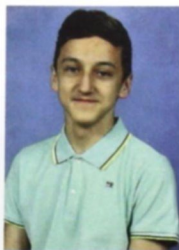
"I would be a bird so I would fly away from school and this interview, also they are my favorite animal."

"I would be a giraffe because they have hilariously long necks."

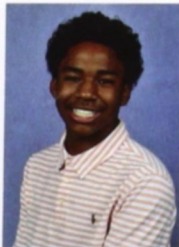
"I would be a lion because they are very furry and cute."

"I would be a panda because my home would be in a tree."

Eric Iskakov
Bryelle Jackson
Adrian Jaime
Christian Jenkins
Jenna Keller
Dennis Kinsman
Madyson Kline



Riley Kravitz
Monykah Lee
Taysean Lunn
Aleni Mageo
Madison Maldonado
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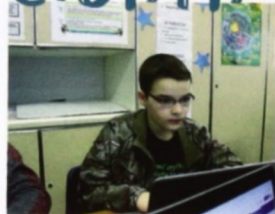
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Ann McCray
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Dijhai McKinney
Kayla McMullen
Jasmine Moore



KeAndri Morgan
Christopher Morris
Nika Moskalenko
Isaac Myers
Gabriel Nabinger
Frey Anne Grace Nesesario
Michael O'Keefe



EIGHTH GRADE



FRESHMEN JITTERS

How do you feel about going into the 9th grade?



REGINALD CARRASQUILLO

"Scared, I don't know what's going to happen, it might be hard. Grades are hard to keep up," Reginald Carrasquillo said.



MIA EMBREE

"I'm actually prepared, I'm not nervous about it. It's just going to be another year of school," Mia Embree said.



JUDE STORCH

"I feel like it's the same thing as middle school," Jude Storch said.



BIANCA RIVAS

"My brother told me it's really hard. I don't feel nervous, I just have to get ready for it," Bianca Rivas said.



ZA'KAIYAH ALLEN

"I'm pretty excited because I already know what classes I want. I'm nervous for trying out sports, though," Za'kaiyah Allen said.



CAMDEN DEBOLT

"I'm excited cause it's a new school and I want to get all A's," Camden Debolt said.

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Marcus Olague
Ryan Ortiz
Ethan Parry
Brandon Patterson
Aaron Perez
Eli Perrin

Van Pham
David Phippen
Isabella Pitt
Zariah Richardson
Riley Ringman
Bianca Rivas

Arianna Robinson
Xin Ai Robinson
Victoria Rodriguez
Bailey Russell
Derick Santiago
Mia Saucedo

Kenan Sawyer
Riley Scalise
Madison Sheetenhelm
Jonathan Steinfeld
Emma-Jane Stephan
Jude Storch



**Maryn
Ennis**

"My inspiration was for the Texas flag because I have not seen Texas in a long time. Catus inspiration was because I am 1/16 Mexican."



**Elizabeth
Hodell**



**Nika
Moskalenko**



**EMMA
STEPHAN**

"I'm nervous but really excited at the same time. I'm nervous because I want to get all A's and get elected for NHS," Emma Stephan said.



**KALEB
TILLEY**

"I'm kinda worried about high school," Kaleb Tilley said.



**ETHAN
PARRY**

"Nervous about how the teachers and work is going to be, and also about how to fit in," Ethan Parry said.



**RYAN
ORTIZ**

"I'm kind of scared because it's a big school and I don't know how it works," Ryan Ortiz said.



**NICOLE
CRAMER**

"It's going to be scary because I'm going to a completely new school, like a new school," Nicole Cramer said.



**CORBAN
MCKINNEY**

"I'm excited about it, I think the work is going to be super hard," Corban McKinnney said.

Emmary Sullivan
Kaleb Tilley
Thomas Vasquez
Carter von Ahnen
Djibril Warren
Eden Wheeler
Cade Whitley



Dylan Whitley
Lily Williams
Julian Wynn
Aedan Zavala
Aurora Zirk



EIGHTH GRADE



Would you rather... give up WiFi or bathing?



RILEY SCALISE

"I would give up WiFi because I would be stinky and disgusting. Also, my friends would die and I would smell like roadkill."

"I would give up WiFi because I would feel uncomfortable and it would be embarrassing because I would stink."

LORENZO BENTIVEGNA



MIA CUELLAR

"I would give up WiFi because we need proper hygiene."

"I would give up WiFi because personal hygiene is way more important and better than WiFi."

KENAN EDWARDS



FARRAH BRYANT

"I would give up WiFi because it is not important and I would much rather be clean."

"I would give up WiFi because hygiene is more important. I don't want to smell bad."

DIANA CEBAN



Words of wisdom...

"Just try to stay organized and study very hard to get good grades on your test. also, try to be nice and kind."

- Monykah Lee

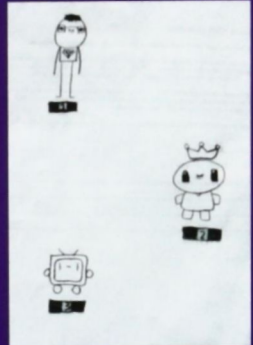
"Sit somewhere where you can pay attention, do not sit with friends. Also, be on your teacher's good side."

- Kyren Moss

"Do not draw on the stall in the bathrooms. Also, stand up to bullies and wash your hands."

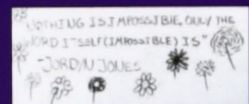
- Van Pham

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Gabe
McKeown

"No comment."



Jordan
Jones

"This 'poem' I think is what it is and means a lot because of its meaning. Some people say that it doesn't make sense, but to me it does."



Jasmin
Stevens



Would you rather...

go to any **amusement park** for free,
or **eat at any drive-through restaurant** for
free?

"I would say fast food because I don't like long lines and I can eat whatever I want."

WILLOW GREEN



JASMINE MOORE

"I would go to any amusement park because I love roller coasters and I can get the food I want there."

"I would always pick fast food because I love food and will never give it up."

BRYELLE JACKSON



THOMAS VASQUEZ

"I would go to any fast food restaurant for free because I like to eat and I would go to KFC."

CHRISTOPHER MORRIS



"I would go to any amusement park because I can bring my money there to get food and I will be able to ride things too."

"Try to be organized and stay on track. Have a good morning. Also, get experience."
- Justin Etzel

"Do your work, pay attention, and take notes when you can so you can use them for test."
- Zariah Richardson

"Do not get into fights because it will hurt and don't get in trouble."
- Eli Perrin

Where Do You See Yourself In 10 Years?



Ann McCray

"I see myself in college somewhere in America, working as a babysitter or in the military."

"I see myself in a house working for the CIA, I would like to be rich because who doesn't? I would like to have a sports car, but you can't always get what you want."

Camden DeBolt



Anderson Ennis

"I see myself as an architect in America, with a house and probably no kids."

The results are in!

"If *you* can't fly, then run,
if *you* can't run, then walk..."

Nikita Balk



**Best
DRESSED**

Skye Brown



Marc Febrero



**Most Likely
to
SUCCEED**

Mia Cuellar & Emma Stephan



Thomas Vasquez



**Best
HAIR**

Kaitlyn Barnes



Allon Mazkin & Christian Jenkins



**Most Likely
to Become
PRESIDENT**

Crystalena Ambrus



Aleni Mageo



**Most
ATHLETIC**

Xin Ai Robinson





Derick Santiago

"I see myself as an agricultural engineer in Florida with two puppies. Money can't buy happiness, but it can buy a puppy."

"I'll most likely be in the military or in college."

Gabe McKeown



Benton Carruth

"I see myself in college being broke. Eating ramen every night and studying, with youtube in the background."

"I see my self in the NFL, I'll be very rich and have two cars. I will have three kids named Chris, William, and Markus."

Marcus Olague



"...if you can't walk, then crawl, but whatever you do, you have to keep moving forward."

-Martin Luther King, Jr.



Xavier Evans



Most OPTIMISTIC



Za'Kaiyah Allen

Jamar Hollis



Most UNIQUE



Shania Brown

Joseph Delorge



Class CLOWN



Kaylee Bulley

Brandon Patterson



Most TALKATIVE



Kendall Bailey

Isaac Myers



Most CREATIVE



Victoria Rodriguez

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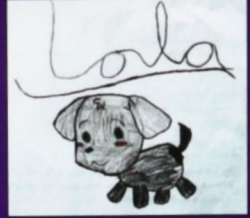


Most FRIENDLY



Diana Ceban

trending your **STYLE**



Sofia Cook

"My art work is.... A drawing of my puppy Lola. I love her so much and love to draw and take pictures of Lola and I love my little sister too."



Katherine Bone



Sean Higgins



Crystalena Ambrus

So proud of you baby girl! You amaze us with your artistic talents and the great leadership that you exhibit. We love that you enjoy school and learn so much so fast. Don't try and grow up too fast. Love you forever and always.

Mom and Dad



AVERY Mamac

To Our Beebs,
You are such an amazing and smart young lady, and we can't wait to see everything you accomplish in High School. We love you!
Love,

Mom and Dad

Kaitlyn,

"She believed she could, so she did."

Never stop believing in who you are. You are amazing, smart, talented, and fiercely independent. We are so very proud of all of your accomplishments and the many more to come as you progress through your education. Always be eager to explore new and different things even those outside your comfort zone. Continue to create, laugh, learn, but most of all be courageous and be kind.

We love you to the moon and back!

Love,

Mom and Dad

KAITLYN Barnes





Skye Brown

Congratulations on making it to high school!. Good luck next year. Love you!



Farrah Bryant

Farrah, even though you had a tough time when you first started Middle School, you turned it around and soon got used to your new school and environment. You improved your grades and made friends for life... we are very proud of you and can't wait to see what the next chapter brings. Your bubbly personality made you a little star at your school, your youtube channel is very well known within your peers! Keep up the hard work Fashion Fairy, it will all pay off. Love you lots,

Mom and Dad



Aijah Fields

We are so proud of you and all that you have accomplished through the years. We are excited for you as you start a new chapter of your life in high school. We know that you will do great things and we can't wait to witness all of your future accomplishments. We love you very much!

Love,
Mum, Dad, & Avion



Adrian Jaime

TO OUR SON,

We want you to believe deep in your heart that you are capable of achieving anything you put your mind to. You will **NEVER LOSE**, you either **WIN** or **LEARN**. Go forward and aim high for the skies.

We can't promise to be here for the rest of your life, but we can promise to love you for the rest of ours!

Love,
Mom and Dad





Ryan Ortiz

Querido Ryan,
You are growing to be a wonderful young adult and community youth leader. Let your values and kind good sense guide you through high school, Boy Scouts and life. Remember that we always bet on you. Continue to make us proud as you should be of yourself...
CONGRATS!

Te amamos,
Mom, Dad and Michael

Bailey Russell

Bailey,
To the beautiful blue-eyed girl
that stole our hearts:

You are **STRONG**

You are **FIERCE**

You are **RESILIENT**

You are **PASSIONATE**

You are **KIND**

You are **COMPASSIONATE**

You are **BEAUTIFUL**

You are **LOVED**

You are **CHERISHED**

You are **RESPECTED**

You are **ADORED**

Never stop being true to yourself, the person you're becoming is admirable and we feel so blessed to have you as our daughter. We are proud of your character and love every second of watching you grow into an amazing young woman.

All our love- Mom and Dad



Za'Kaiyah Allen

You drive us crazy sometimes! Okay, maybe all the time.

But, we love you so much! Without even trying, you create so many exciting moments!

Somehow you are able to handle school, your activities and still make sure we do not miss a beat at the house.

As you make the exciting move from Middle School to becoming a Raider, realize there is nothing you can't do!

You are fearless and you always speak your mind...it is truly spectacular to watch!

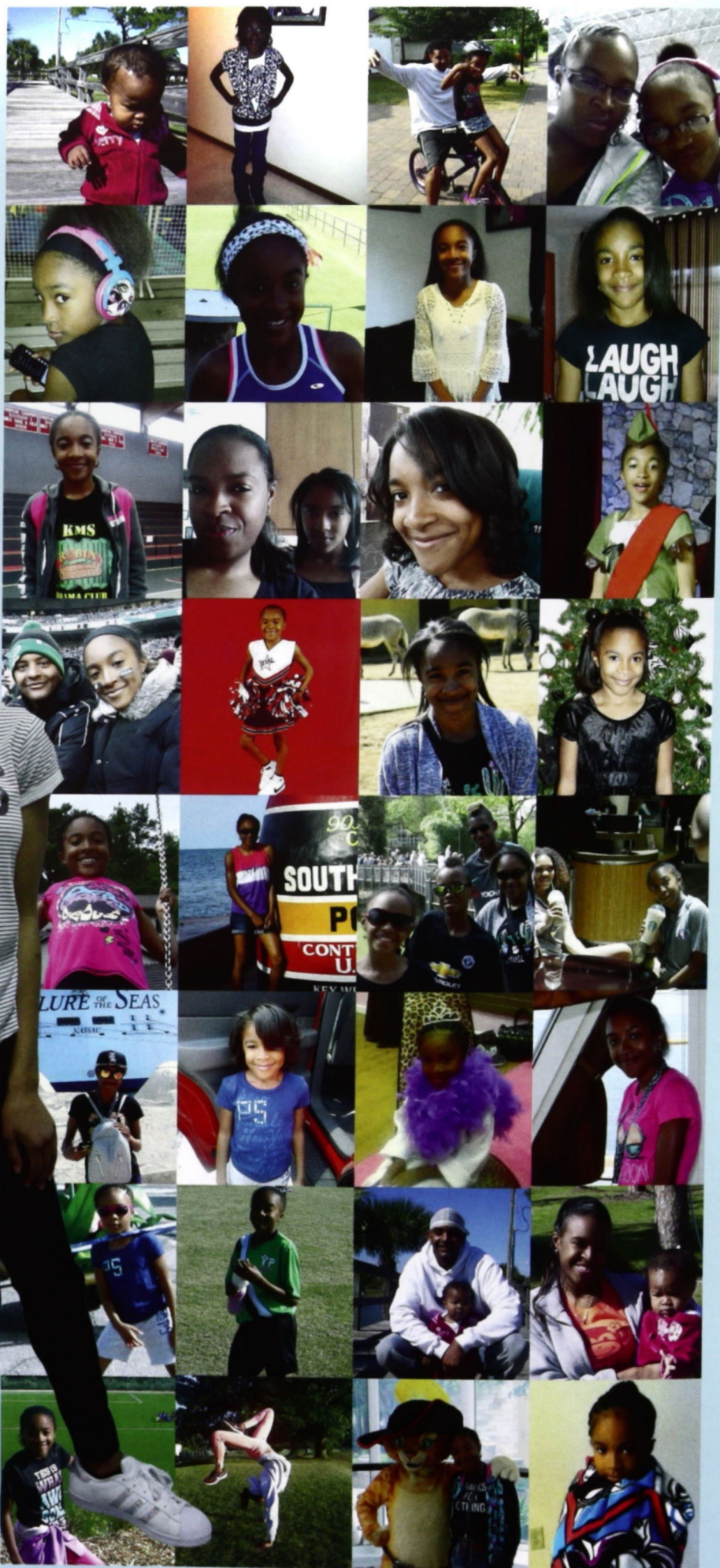
Every day you amaze us with the questions you ask, the comments you make and the random dances you do at the drop of a hat.

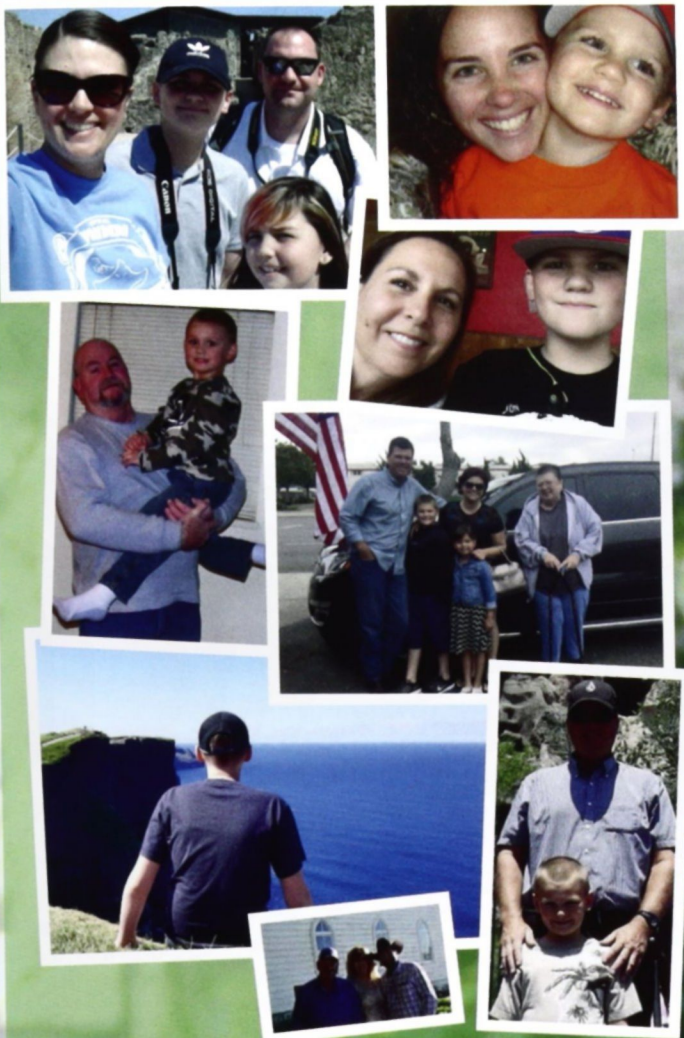
You have made all of us believers that you can do the "Orange Justice" to any song in the history of music!

You are truly our Ziggy!

Love,

Mom, Dad, Jahiem, André, Kyra and the Entire Dynasty!





JOSEPH DELORGE

Wow! High school already?! Time flies when you're having fun! We are very proud of you and the man you are becoming. Keep up the great work and positive attitude! We love you always, Joey!

-Dad, Mom, and Haylee

Take pride in how far you've come and have faith in how far you can go. We're all so proud of you, Bud. Congrats!

Love, Auntie, Uncle Justin, and Baby Bronson

Nice job, kid. Keep up the good work. Congratulations!

Love, Pee-Paw

We are sooo proud of you, Joe!!! We all love you!

-Aunt GG, Uncle Michael, and "Boy"

Congrats to our special Boy! Continue to choose wisely in all you do. We love you to the moon and back!

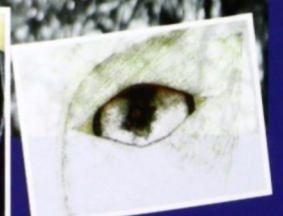
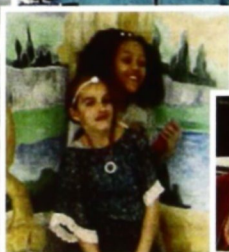
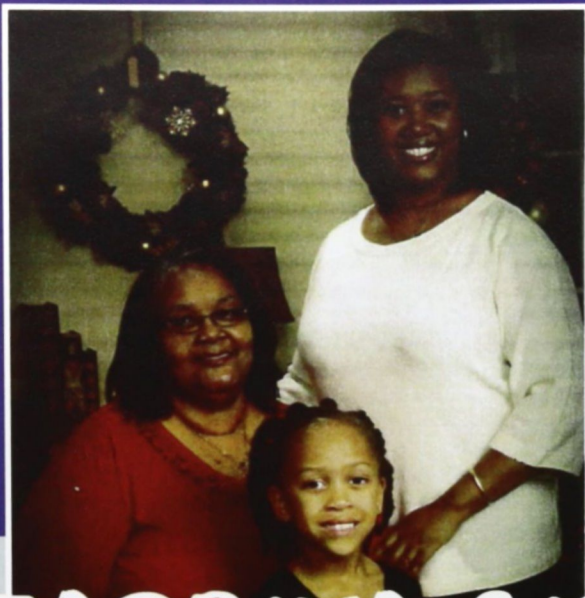
Hugs- Aub, Maw, and Daisy

We are so proud, and excited about this milestone in your life. Just remember that you are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think moving on to your next journey.

We Love You !

Love, MeeMaw and Jeff





ZABRINA GIBBS

"Have fun along the journey then... wheeee... pow pow! We made it around that corner and high school is right in front of you. I love you, I am proud of you, I am amazed by you. Never forget... Eeebert!" Mom Ebert!

"Zabrina... I love you so much and I'm so very proud of you! Not only are you academically and artistically talented and gifted, you are also beautiful. Brains and beauty. I am so grateful for the opportunity you are having. You are preparing for the challenges that await you and you will meet them head on. You will slay them because you are FIERCE! You are the best and I will be watching and waiting! I love you... your Grandma Marilyn.



"Congratulations, bebe! You're moving on to bigger and better things. Ooh! Ooh! You're making me old..." Nana

Jazz hands "...God is good..." *Jazz hands* "Uno!" Papa

"Where do I? I've known you since 5th grade and now we're 8th graders. We might not talk everyday, but you're still one of my close friends and truest friends." Mia

"ZEBRA" Rae

"Don't be a positive." Lexis

"I love things and more things...but not too many things." Izzy

"Zabrina has been one of my best friends from the 3rd grade...just know, I have known her longer than you...so ha." Abbe

"Caring one: Fairies are real...I have one, she calls herself my sister. Funny one: Dear sister, you may be wiser, but I will always be younger. MIC. DROP." Karleena

"Have you seen Young Justice? One of my favorite quotes is 'Get traught,

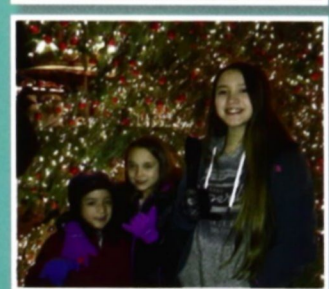
stay whelmed" 'People always get distraught and overwhelmed. Why aren't people ever just traught or whelmed.'" Robin Aaron

"You can't have sticky without glue." "I can't even bro right now." Olivia

"Pigs are not people too." Jareliz

"Batman is better than Superman, fight me." Gabe

"When life gets you down, hold a gecko! (From when you held 2 geckos at once for the first time)" Aaliyah



Monykah Lee

Dearest Monykah,

You've changed our lives forever the day you became a part of it. We thank god every day for blessing us with a daughter that has one of the biggest hearts and most beautiful souls. We couldn't be prouder with everything you do and the young lady you are becoming. We want you to always know your worth and continue to be the strong, beautifully minded daughter we are raising you to be. Always remember we are your biggest supporters and your number one fan. We love you so much and can't wait to see where life takes you.

Love, Mom and Dad

McKINNEY

CORBAN



"When a man starts out to **build a world**,
he **starts** first **with himself**."

Langston Hughes



B. RIVAS,

We are looking forward to your next chapter. Keep being the strong, silly, funny caring, and smart person that you are. Always know that we are proud of you and we ALWAYS have your back.

Love,
Mom and Pops
(Remember NO PEANUT BUTTER
SANDWICHES)



Mia,

Time goes so fast and there are so many memories. I hope that you make the most of all the new adventures life will give you. Just know that in anything your passions decide to take you, you will always have us to support you every inch of the way.

Daddy, Mom
Eleana and Juliet



Victoria Rodriguez

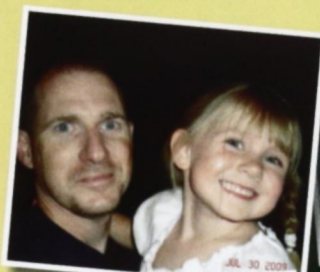
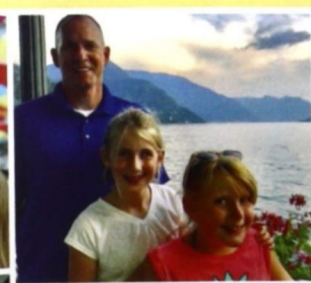
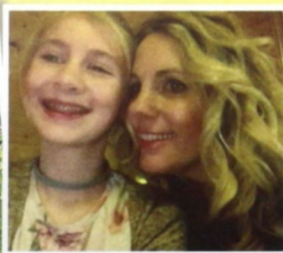
Emma-Jane
Stephan

Emma we are so proud of the person you have become. You are thoughtful, sweet and dedicated with a touch of stubbornness. Those are great qualities to behold in life. As one of my favorite poems by Robert Frost The Road Not Taken is about two roads in the woods that diverge. One is less traveled by than the other. I know in my heart which ever you travel in life will bring you to your journey's end and you will do it with dedication and confidence you always possess.

All our love,
MOM and DAD

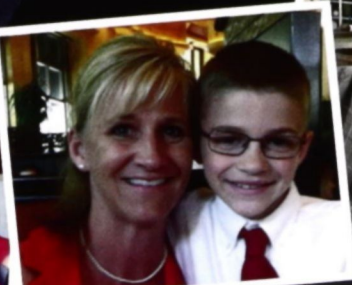
Riley

Scalise



It is hard to imagine how the years have traveled by, and how you have grown, matured, and changed from our little girl, to our soon to be high schooler. Starting in German school and moving through your middle school years, you have amazed us with your wonder, curiosity, perseverance, and continual desire to learn and investigate more. We love you dearly and are extremely proud of who you are today and who you are becoming tomorrow. We are excited about what the future holds, and wish you only the very best.

Love,
Dad, Mom & Addison



Jude Storch

Jude,
You always keep us laughing
and making things fun! We are
so proud of all the hard work
you have put in and your
acceptance to Mount Michael.
It will be exciting to see what
your future has to offer. We
know, "You got this!"

Love,
Momma, Daddy, Dane,
Katharina, Cole & Marlee



Soweto



Glenda Johnson

To all of my Math students: Thank you for reminding me that we can learn and laugh at the same time! I love each and every one of you!!!



find your GROUP

AVID



Samara Armstrong, Sean Atkins, Jaliyah Carty, Jack Cooper, Camden Debolt, Marc Aaron Febero, Lauren Gerber, Christian Jenkins, Samuel Jeon, Imani Lockridge, Gabriel McKeown, Jasmine Moore, Aaron Perez, Julian Wynn, Vaughn Autrey, Isabel Baldwin, Julian Grogan, Ethan Jenkins, Khylie KantunCaamal, Mariusz Kesti, Kristian Mina, Grant Parry, Charlotte Richesson, Gabriella Sanchez, Aubrey Schumann, Callie Allen, Isaac Amaro, Kamyra Epps, Liberty Harper, Kayla Harris, Elizabeth Hodl, Shaniya Jackson, Monykah Lee, Mia Petritz, Jillian Recoma, Zariah Richardson, Bianca Rivas, Dana Toledo, Chloe Wright

Academic Enrichment



Lakelvis Silvers, Jayleel Aycok, Marquis Silvers, Jacob Gerber, Emily Kinsman, Jayren Cruz, Jordyn Kline, Kylie Quinto

Beginning Band



Period 2: Abigail Arfa, Giancarlo Bifulco, Jonathan Chacon, Edward Daly, Jacob DE Guzman, Leonardo DiPaola, Maryn Ennis, Ayden Fitte, Kylie Fugate, Lillian Griffin, Autumn Hall, Lilianna Hirsch, Isaac Holly, Jayvn Johnson, Demian Joyner, Olivia Lazare, Logan McKeown, Ranya Nefoussi, Jonathan Perez, Solomon Perkins, Kylie Quinto, Jordyn Robinson, Leo Schell, Talon Sells, Mark Sheettenhelm, Cole Storch, Adam Tilley, Aiden Toney, MaKayla Uhlich, Reina Usui, Kaitlyn Van der Haven

Period 7: Jacob Barnes, Eli Charbonneau, Aiden Cochrane, Kealen Crisostomo, Julian Engle, Max Flores, Jacob Gerber, Zadorien Hollis, Ethan Jenkins, Sofia Johnson, Khylie KantunCaamal, Emily Kinsman, Ethan Miller, Samuel Myers, Aden Olea, Grant Parry, Jeremiah Purvis, Kylie Quinto, Charlotte Richesson, Aubrey Schumann, Marquis Silvers, John Silvi, Nicholas Steele, Gabriel Tran

Intermediate and Advanced Band



Jessenia Acosta, Za'Kaiyah Allen, Brianna Ambrus, Crystalena Ambrus, David Bidwell, Mason Brown, Aleydis Bruening, Elliott Dorema, Jason Ennis, Aijah Fields, Micheal Fugate, Teague Hillebrands, Jamar Hollis, Dennis Kinsman, Madison Maldonado, Dijhai McKinney-Thomas, Micheal O'Keefe, Aaron Perez, Victoria Rodriguez, Riley Scalise, Jude Storch, Kaleb Tilley, Thomas Vasquez, Djibril Warren, Isabelle Adams, Siye Armstrong, Chukwuemeka Aruwah, Ania Ball, James Barnes, Keidrick Bedford, Emily Boring, Kaylee Brown, Mason Brown, Aleydis Bruening, Roberto Chang, Audric Crisp, Christina Dones, Rachel Dougherty, Maddox Dubon, Jaylene Garcia, Keenan Garner, Zoe Hudzikiewicz, Jenna Keller, Bianca Kongthungmon, Elizabeth Morgan, Joshua Newson, Erin O'Keefe, Jordan Robbins, Stephanie Rojas, Gabriel Saldana, Ruth Sather, Jirhne Stefanik, Katharina Storch, Clarice Tamez, Jelayra Taylor, Electra White, Aedan Zavala.

Chorus

AnnaLei Alfred, Brianna Ambrus, Alyssa Arfa, Siye Armstrong, Lola Cordero, Kayla Harris, Khadijah Hector, Bianca Kongthungmon, Alicia Mackson, Isis Olea, Mihret Spence, Finn Stackhouse, Jasmin Stevens, AnnaLeah Storr, and Sarai Tabisz.



Eco Invaders

Sean Atkins, Emily Boring, Lola Cordero, Christina Dones, Rachel Dougherty, and AnnaLeah Storr.



Abigail Arfa, Vaughn Autrey, Maryn Ennis, Max Flores, Zaynah Hector, Ethan Jenkins, Kristian Mina, Charlotte Richesson, Mia Ricketts, Olivia Royalty, Paulina Sabirov, Adrian Salonga, Aubrey Schumann, Sofia Villanueva-Garcia.



Crystalena Ambrus, James Barnes, Katherine Bone, Emily Boring, Aijah Fields, Nika Moskalenko, Mia Petriz, Riley Scalise, Emma Stephan, and Katharina Storch.

Intramural Tournament Winners



Badminton

Siye Armstrong, Sage Barnes, Leonardo DiPaola, and Maddox Dubon.



Capture the Flag

Lorenzo Bentivegna, Griffin DeBolt, Jason Emms, Justin Etzel, Khamani Morris, Brandon Patterson, Ethan Otto, Joseph Stephan, and Sawyer Ter Horst.



Basketball

Zanyah Hector, Ethan Jenkins, Demian Joyner, Aleni Mageo, Jeffery McGee, Joseph Stephan, and Kaleb Tilley.



Brianna Ambrus, Crystalena Ambrus, Tyler Arispe, Siye Armstrong, Ania Ball, Jacob Barnes, James Barnes, Kaitlyn Barnes, Giancarlo Bifulco, Emalee Broyles, Mia Cuellar, Madison Farley, Ayden Fitte, Sean Higgins, Elizabeth Hodl, Khylie KantunCaamal, Elizabeth Morgan, Mia Petritz, Elijah Pittler, Isabella Pitt, Christian Ramirez, Tinuke Robert, Olivia Royalty, Victoria Rodriguez, Paulina Sabirov, Finn Bjorn Stackhouse, Cole Storch, Giada Taylor, and Sofia Villanueva Garcia.



Math Counts

Brianna Ambrus, Crystalena Ambrus, Sage Barnes, Deanna Kinsman, Gabe McKeown, Michael O'Keefe, and Adrian Salonga.

NJHS

Brianna Ambrus, Crystalena Ambrus, Emily Boring, Kaylee Brown, Farrah Bryant, Diana Ceban, Mia Cuellar, J. Anderson Ennis, Marc Febrero, Zoe Hudzikiewicz, Madyson Kline, Loren Martin, Jessica Moon, Isaac Myers, Joshua Newson, Mia Petritz, Van Pham, Victoria Rodriguez, Gabriel Saldana, Emma Stephen, Katharina Storch, and Madison Umfleet.



Robotics

Sean Atkins, Emily Boring, Willem Edwards, Jason Ennis, Justin Etzel, Ayden Fitte, Cole Gradnigo, Bryce Mayor, Michael O'Keefe, Gregory Osborn, Jonathan Perez, Jordyn Robinson, Kieran Roundy, Adrian Salonga, Derick Santiago, Cole Storch, Jude Storch, and Julian Wynn.

Running Club

Caizer James Abasta, Freeman Allen, Quinn Barnes, Isabella Burns, Jalique Carty, Jacob De Guzman, Leonardo DiPaola, Willem Edwards, Julian Engle, Austin Etzel, Ayden Fitte, Nina Gardner, Jacob Gerber, Lauren Gerber, Julian Gonzales, William Hanna, Felicia Heel, Sean Higgins, Mikayla Moses, Joshua Newson, Tayrien Parnell, Jonathan Perez, Elija Pitler, Mia Bella Platkin, Jeremiah Purvis, Adrian Salonga, Leo Schell, Jude Storch, Sawyer Ter Horst, and Laura White.



STEM Club

Ania Ball, Caitlyn McDonald, Samuel Myers, Michael O'Keefe, Jonathan Perez, Adrian Salonga, Cole Storch, Jude Storch, Katharina Storch, and Sofia Villanueva-Garcia.



Student Council

Isabelle Adams, Rhianna Aleman, Brianna Ambrus, Crystalena Ambrus, Aislynn Bailey, Jacob Barnes, Emily Boring, Lola Caldera, Rachel Daugherty, Maddox Dubon, Willem Edwards, Max Flores, Zaynah Hector, Elizabeth Hodli, Zoe Hudzikiewicz, Brianna Lancaster, Isaac Myers, Mia Petritz, Charlotte Richesson, Adrian Salonga, Cole Storch, Jude Storch, Katharina Storch, Aubrey Schumann, Annaleah Starr, and Lily Williams.

Yearbook

Za'Kaiyah Allen, Crystalena Ambrus, Alyssa Arfa, Mason Brown, Cora Bult, Farrah Bryant, Aiyana Chavez-Butenbach, Sadie Cornell, Quinten Debolt, Haley DeLeeuw, Joseph DeLorge, Maddox Dubon, De'Andre Evans, William Evans, Avery Farr, Aijah Fields, Willow Green, Zoe Hudzikiewicz, Ja'Niya Jones, Madyson Kline, Riley Kravitz, Kasey Alexis Martin, Loren Martin, Rihanna Martin, Kayla McMullen, Efrain Ortega, Brandon Patterson, Isabella Pitt, Bianca Rivas, Rhett Rizzo, Victoria Rodriguez, Stephanie Rojas, Lily Rose, Emma-Jane Stephan, Madison Umfleet, Becca Webb, Hunter Williams, and Chloe Wright.



Zumba



Maddox Dubon



Victoria Rodriguez



Isabella Pitt



Riley Kravitz



Chloe Wright



Quinton Debolt



Crystalena Ambrus



Lily Rose



Mason Brown



What do you enjoy most about yearbook class?

William Evans // "I love editing the pages and putting in pictures that remind me of the school year."



Avery Farr // "Getting to know all the kids in the school. I like interviewing the sixth and eighth graders because they aren't in my grade"

Emma Stephan // "I like being able to make the yearbook and going outside to take pictures as well as making stories for people to read."



Hunter Williams // "I like getting the interviews because I get to meet new people and get a lot of ideas."

Chloe Wright // "I enjoy learning how to take photos, how to edit, and how to work well with others."



Quinton Debolt // "I enjoy working independently and creating a book that everyone in the school gets to see what we have accomplished."

Ethan Otto // "I like getting interviews because I get to know what other people think about our school."



Avery Farr



Efrain Ortega



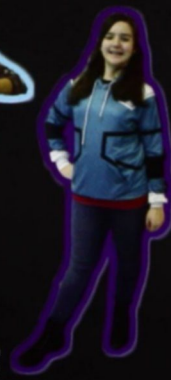
Rihanna Martin



William Evans



Sadie Cornell



Alyssa Arfa



Jai'niya Jones



Loren Martin



Brandon Patterson





of COLOR

Imagine a class where you can stay after school and throw colorful powder at your classmates. Well that's exactly what we did in the first week of yearbook class. Throughout this experience we built strong bonds with one another. **"It's about team building activities designed to help students feel safe and accepted in our group,"** Ms. Lang said. We work hard everyday on the yearbook so we can give you all the best.

Ms. Lang taught us many great skills such as picture taking, story writing, interviewing, and page designing. Yearbook class is fun and exciting, but sometimes it can be stressful with all the deadlines. **"Deadlines can be stressful at first, but the more that you are in yearbook and more you learn about the process, the better off you are,"** Loren Martin said.

*Yours Truly
Yearbook*



new kids on the BLOCK

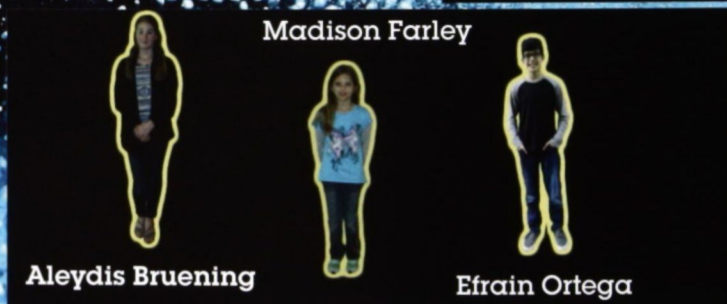
Welcome to our
school, newbies!

New to our school after December?
Find your place to make your mark!

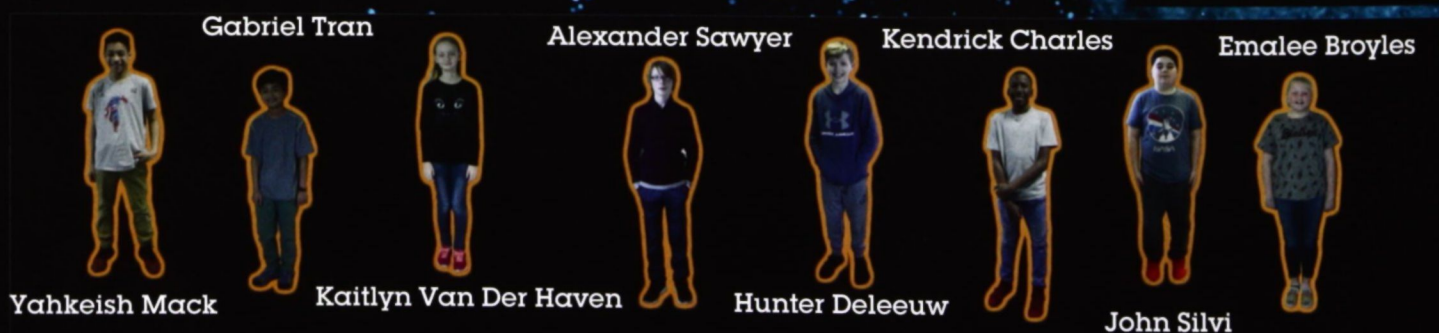
8TH GRADE



7TH GRADE



6TH GRADE



COLOPHON

Production: Josten's Publishing Co., in Clarksville TN printed this edition. The Jostens Representative was Kerri Dolena. The plant consultant was Chrys Brummal. The 240 copies of the 128 page book were created on HP Z230 Workstation computers. Classroom Canon cameras with Canon lenses were used for student photography.

Theme: The theme, Make Your Mark, was conceived and developed in the classroom. The staff knew that they wanted something to do with the how the students leave their legacy and mark at this school. The yearbook is broken up into seasonal and people sections. Each staff collected quotes to fill the boxes at the top of each page. The book sold for \$35 on August 28 - September 23, \$40 on September 26 - November 21, \$35 on November 22-26, \$40 on November 27 -January 5, and \$35 on January 6 - February 14, and \$40 on February 15 - March 14 and \$39 after March 15.

Visuals: Student photographers took all candid shots. Rotary Portraits took all student portraits, as well as faculty and staff portraits. Student photographers group shot photos. Fonts used throughout the book were AYT Square Serif, AYT Yours Truly, AYT YOURS TRULY Caps and AYT Function. Colors were used from the Shocking and Timeless color palette.

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Thank you, staff for your relentless pursuit of passion in photography, writing, editing and design. Thank you for keeping an open mind and for your teamwork that you displayed in putting together this year-long project. Thank you, Ms. Lang for advising us. Thank you to all the eighth grade parents, and teachers, for purchasing all advertisement shown in this book. Thank you, Administration for your support and willingness to assist in completing this project.



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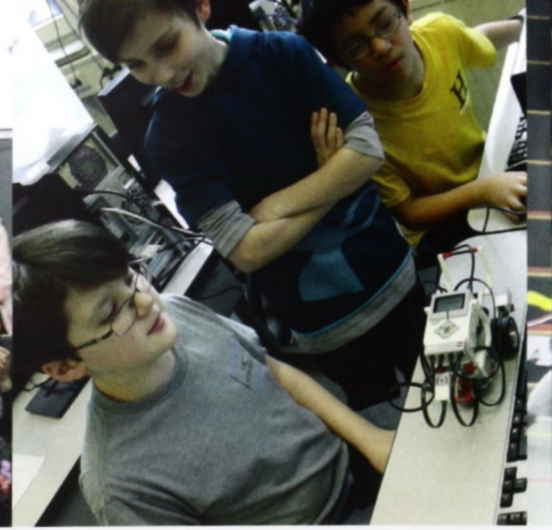
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