

Spring Wood Middle School

Explorers Teachers!



INTRODUCTION

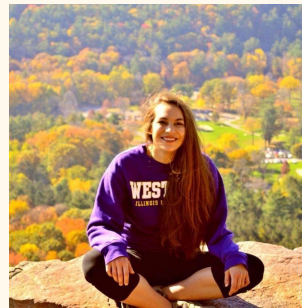
The Explorers classes include Art, Band, Music, and STEM. These classes offer unique and interesting hands on learning opportunities for our students to divulge deep into the content of Art, Music and STEM. Band students will have band all year. Art, Music, and STEM classes change each trimester. We always feel like the most fortunate Team, as we get to watch the tremendous growth and progress of our students, both academically, physically and socially as well!



Mrs. Scoles- Art



Mr. Hellyer- Band



Ms. Moore- Music



Mrs. Singh- STEM

Mrs. Scoles- Art

Weekly Recap: This week we have been wrapping up our “2 Truths and 1 Lie” getting to know each other activities. I have had an absolute blast hearing many entertaining stories about your student!! They also had an assignment in which they may have learned a little bit more about themselves with a couple of fun quizzes related to their personality traits and current views of life.

Ask Your Charger: Ask your Spring Wood Charger “What animal are you most like?”

Mr. Hellyer- Band

Weekly Recap: Band students have been working with an innovative online resource called “Breezin Thru Theory”. We have reviewed notes in the staff and learned the additional notes above and below the staff on ledger lines. Please make sure your child has their “Essential Elements Book 1” for next week!

Ask Your Charger: to recite the musical alphabet.

Ms. Moore- Music

Weekly Recap: Music Students have wrapped up our “getting to know you” activities, and Music Remote Learning procedures. They have done an incredible job at adapting to this online world! This week General Music began exploring different music genres.

Ask Your Charger: What is genre and what is their favorite music genre?

Mrs. Singh- STEM

Weekly Recap: STEM students have completed the Design the Interior of a Room for their future home. Using graphic arts skills, the students revealed a lot about themselves while sharing their designs.

Ask Your Charger: to show you how to use graphic arts to design the interior of a room.

Explorer Shout-Outs: This weeks featured characteristic is “Participation”

6th Grade: Zain Ahmed (Art) Zain has done an amazing job working on all assignments this past week, even after being absent one day! He came back the next day and actually demonstrated for everyone how to retrieve our screenshots and insert them into our Google Slides! Zain showed incredible participation levels on a personal level as well as overall class participation!!!! Way to go Zain!!!

7th Grade: Sean Domingo (Music) Sean is always one of the first students to raise his hand! He is thoughtful in his answers, and asks the big questions! His curiosity and interest in music have sparked great class conversations. You can always count on Sean to relate something to the Beatles, and to sing on demand.

8th Grade: Angie Martinez (STEM) Angie is ready to share her ideas without fear of what the other students think. She always seems to have the perfect connection of our activities to real life. While doing our Design an Interior of a Room Project, she showed the class how she designed and painted her room with a beautiful complex pattern.

Overall Charger Champion: Alexis Pichay (Band) has gone above and beyond in all aspects of her learning. Not only has she completed assignments that were not even assigned yet, but she is always the first one to volunteer to answer a question or play a solo for the class! Keep up the awesome work Alexis! You are a great model for others of how to start the year!

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Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions or concerns throughout the school year! We look forward to working with your student!

Sincerely,

The Explorers Team