



Hillsboro Intermediate Insight

August 25, 2023

This week of school at H.I.S. has been amazing! It was so good to see all of our students smiling faces! Our teachers and students have been busy working hard every day at H.I.S.! High expectations have been communicated and are still being set for our students to strive for excellence daily. Our students are already exceeding those expectations every day!

Upcoming Events

8/28/- Renaissance BOY Testing

8/31- Secure Drill

9/4- NO SCHOOL



Attendance Summary

Total Enrollment: 435

4th 149

5th:145

6th: 142

Attendance 96.32%

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Academics

4th Grade

Our mathematicians started learning about place value up to the billions place and down to the tenths. We also used models to identify decimals.

Our scientists learned the safety rules and all about the safety equipment. We began our unit on matter. We started by classifying a set of objects.

This week in reading students learned how to identify subjects and predicates in sentences. Students also started to learn how to better understand the author's purpose and central idea by reading "Flora and Ulysses", as well as honing their questioning skills and using context clues to deepen understanding of the text they're reading!

This week in Social Studies students learned how to think like historians by analyzing primary and secondary sources.

Historians also learned about the four regions and geography of Texas!



5th Grade

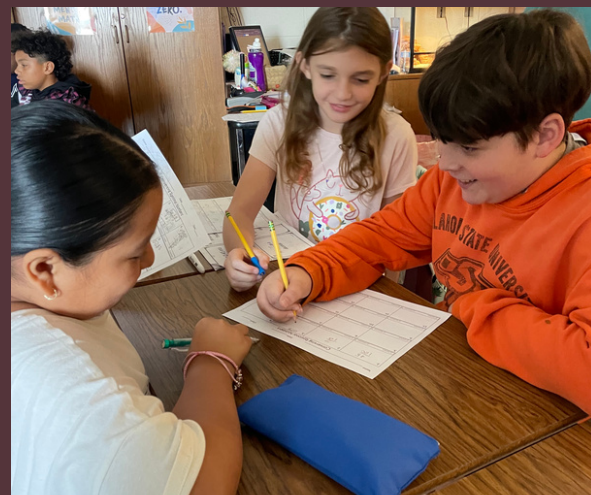
Our 5th grade readers have jumped right into their first Module of the year, Inventors at Work! We have been learning about circumstances that push people to invent new things. We have also started reading our first class novel together, "Double Identity". In Social Studies, we have started off learning about the different regions of the United States. Students have enjoyed getting to label and color maps. 5th grade

Science has enjoyed working collaboratively to determine what makes a scientist. Math focused on multiplying whole numbers and decimals this week.



6th Grade

Welcome to 6th Grade!! We are off to a great start! We have new faces in our hallway this year with Ms. Marinsky and Ms. High teaching math and Ms. Elliott teaching social studies. Students are learning new procedures and expectations for their last year at HIS. This week students have worked on resources for science and learned more about their classmates.



ESL

The ESL classes are learning about Ecosystems through video, and class discussion. Students will give written response over key vocabulary and other important information.

Specials

P.E.

We are having fun getting our heart rates up in a variety of ways this week in P.E.!



Spanish

This week students learned the class rules and expectations of Spanish! Students worked on vocabulary and then logged into Duolingo. At the end of the week students played lotería!



Art

Artists learned how to draw plants and paint with watercolors this week. 4th grade drew cactus, 5th grade drew sunflowers, and 6th grade drew roses.



Band

This week, we reaffirmed kids' commitment to learning an instrument. Worked at getting our roster settled. Passed out school instruments. Introduced counting procedures. Reviewed treble and bass clef notes.



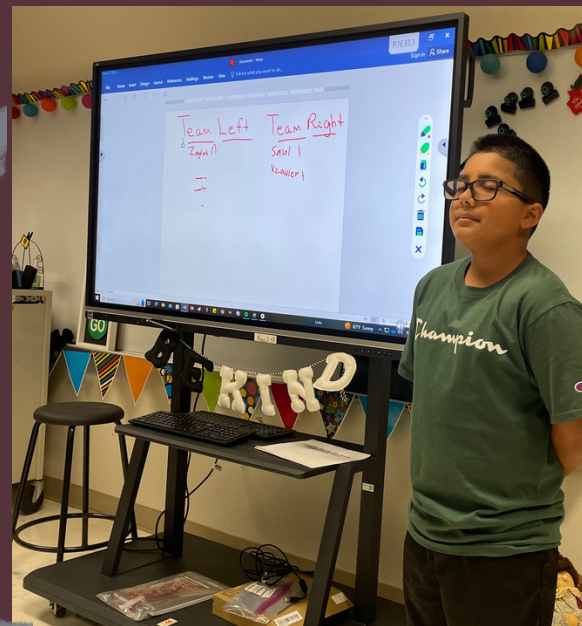
Music

Dancing, rapping, singing - Music class has done it all this week! We have had so much fun using both parts of our brains as well as our bodies to create the most effective and lasting synapsis.



Tech

Ready to start on a new Tech Curriculum, very excited. All students are working on their logins, joining Classroom, working on learning computer parts and reviewing technology vocabulary. Students are also developing a new method for attendance each day.



Library

What a great school week! Library ELAR classes will begin the week of September 5th. The Fall HIS Scholastic Book Fair is the week of September 11th-15th. Mark your calendars. Planning great Read Alouds for our students!.Happy Reading!