

Emmett Middle School Monthly Board Update October

Teacher's Corner

Robotics

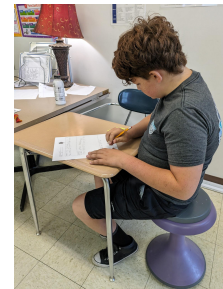


Mr. Rovig was super impressed when he looked around and the students were actively helping each other without being asked. He said, "It was awesome. I didn't know what to do because I usually have to partner students up or make sure everyone is getting help/has a teammate. They teamed up on their own." This shows fantastic growth and teamwork. Great job Robotics Team.



Mrs. Stone

Here we have a student using flexible seating. This is a wobble chair that helps students focus while working on their academics.



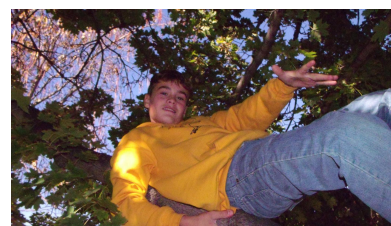
Mr. Baker

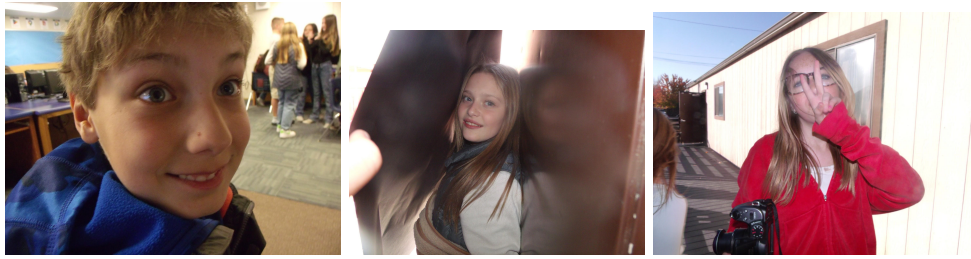
6th graders are VERY interested in technology. These last 2 weeks we've been on 3D software, 3D paint, Photoshopping type apps, & Canva (mostly the kids turned me onto them when I mentioned the idea of photo editing).

Jon and the tech dept have been fabulous in helping me with hardware and software.

Audio/video related we're learning composition, lighting, and very importantly file management. Getting into some graphic design with Canva.

Attach: Camera day.





Before/After school program

EMS students are engaging in some clubs after school through our 21st Century Community Learning Center grant. Clubs taught this semester: arts & crafts, cooking & baking, robotics, dungeons and dragons, fishing, karaoke, drama, STEM, LEGO engineering, crochet, stop motion animation, wheelchair games (with a disabled staff member, teaching empathy through games and connection), writing (school newspaper), and sewing. We will continue with new classes and clubs after the Christmas break.



Upcoming events:

Nov. 13-17th Kindness/Bully Prevention Week

Nov. 14- Math SICA test

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SPORTS Schedule

Nov. 13

7th GBB @ Vallivue

8th GBB home vs. Vallivue

Nov. 14

Wrestling home vs. TVCS

Academic Bowl home

Nov. 15

7th GBB home vs TVCS

8th GBB @ TVCS

Nov. 16

Wrestling home vs Syringa

Nov. 17

Wrestling @ Borah High @ 5pm

Nov. 18

Wrestling @ Borah High @ 8am

Nov. 27th

Girl's Basketball

Nov. 29

Girl's Basketball

Dec. 4

Girl's Basketball

Dec. 6

Girl's Basketball

SICA Testing

The second round of ELA SICA testing was held on Nov. 9th and the preliminary scores are showing GROWTH! I would like to celebrate every single teacher who has been incorporating reading and writing into every period, every day.

Math SICA testing will be held on Nov. 14th.

E-hallpass

E-Hallpass is up and running. We have seen a significant decrease in the number of students roaming the halls in the middle of class. Students are still allowed to use the restroom between classes and during lunch but are only given 2 passes to use during class time. Of course, teachers can override that limit in emergency situations and students with health concerns have unlimited passes based on their 504 or IEP accommodations.

