



Mrs. Therrell's Library News

Spring
2024

We want to thank all students and families who invested in competing in our school's Reading Fair! To check out photos of our participants and their amazing storyboards, be sure and check out our school's Facebook page. I am SO very proud of each participant and their families for investing in reading from home.

Thank you also to all families and community leaders for supporting our Scholastic Book Fair! It was a GREAT week with happy readers!

PreK-2nd Grades

We will wrap up our engaging, fun, and maybe a little silly Seuss literacy centers built around his books before jumping into a spring unit. After read aloud lessons, students are engaged with small groups completing literacy centers. It's a pure joy to see how much this age group loves read aloud time. We have so much fun discussing before, during, and after reading.

3rd Grade

Our 3rd graders are ALL in on a STEM research project centered around the text, I Wanna Iguana. Students chose a wild animal to research and then persuade and inform their audience on why it would be a great pet. We are wrapping up our informative presentations, and now students are beginning to build their animal's habitat boxes out of various arts and crafts materials. I can't wait to see what they'll do!

4th Grade

Students are using the mentor texts, Who Would Win series in library and World Book Online Compare Animals tool. Students chose two animals to research, inform, and plan a battle between the two animals. Ultimately, we will see WHO WOULD WIN based on their research findings. We can't wait to have a share day soon where we can not only learn but have fun inferring which animal would actually win in a real battle. Students are doing a GREAT job of showing similarities and differences in their animals that will make for exciting battles.

5th-6th Grades

5th and 6th graders are working hard on their Famous African American and Presidents research projects. They are striving to organize, plan, and teach the class about their chosen person and create engaging gameboards with comprehension questions for us all to enjoy.

To celebrate our older grades' leadership and dedication to these projects, we'll have a Game + Snack Day in library to learn from each other soon.

Our 6th graders will soon begin drafting a Puckett Elementary ABC Book to honor our school and the people in it. They will leave their published copy in library for younger readers to enjoy reading in upcoming years.