

# ART NEWSLETTER

*ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP CHARTER SCHOOL*

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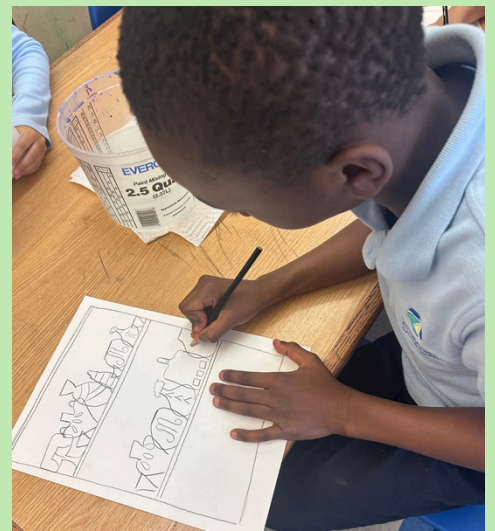
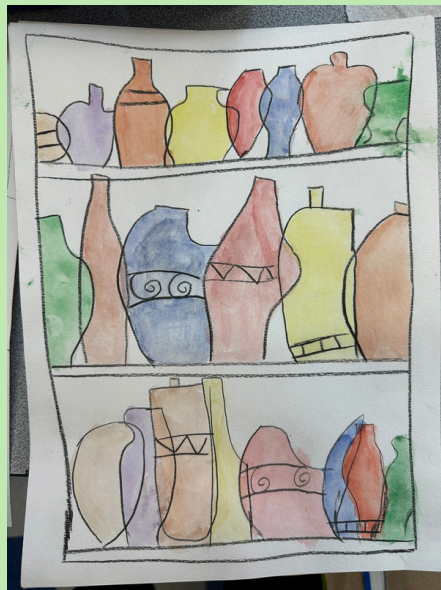
As the school year winds down, May has been a vibrant tapestry of achievements, celebrations, and explorative learning. Our school community has been buzzing with activity, and we have so much to share from this eventful month.

Our third and fourth graders tackled their Math State Exams this month, demonstrating determination and skill. After the exams, they had a fantastic opportunity to unwind and celebrate their hard work with a Game Truck event, courtesy of the thoughtful planning by Mrs. Pacheco. Students enjoyed listening to music and playing their favorite video games, creating a perfect blend of fun and relaxation after their exams. A big thank you to Mrs. Pacheco for organizing this delightful experience!

During Teacher Appreciation Week, our students showcased their gratitude for our teachers through various writings and activities. It was a heartwarming occasion that reminded us all of the profound impact teachers have on young lives. Our school is truly blessed with dedicated and passionate educators who inspire and motivate every day.



Our art classes were a hub of creativity this month: Kindergarten & First Grade students explored the artistic concepts of 2D and 3D by creating vibrant paper sculptures, bringing shapes and forms to life in their own unique ways. Second Grade delved into the world of Edgar Degas and captured the elegance of ballerinas in their paintings, showcasing their growing skills in interpreting and portraying human figures. Third & Fourth Grades revisited color theory with inspiration from Murano glass artwork. Students painted glass bottles that overlapped, exploring the new colors formed from these interactions, using primary and secondary hues to enhance their understanding of color blending.





Adding to the excitement, our students embarked on educational trips to The Bronx Zoo and Green Meadows Farm. These outings provided hands-on learning experiences, enriching our students' understanding of the natural world and agriculture.

May has been a month filled with memorable moments and learning experiences that have enriched our students' academic and social lives. We are proud of all their accomplishments and the joy they bring to each school day.

As we move closer to the end of the school year, let's continue to embrace each day with enthusiasm and curiosity. Thank you to everyone—students, parents, teachers, and staff—for making this month so special. Enjoy the blossoming beauty of spring, and let's look forward to more adventures in June!

