MERSD SPECIALS

Grade 5, Trimester 3

LIBRARY

In this Trimester, your child will:

- Independently conduct research and take notes about an activist using authoritative books and online sources.
- Independently create a bibliography using *EasyBib*, an online citation tool.
- Write a script based on their research to be the basis of a self-produced multimedia project using applications such as *BrainPop* in collaboration with Technology class.
- Conduct peer review and evaluation of final video products.

TECHNOLOGY

In this Trimester, your child will:

- Create multimedia/video presentations using Library research.
- Expand on the Library's Worldly Book Challenge by creating movies about Civil Rights Activists.
- Use our knowledge from previous years to develop multimedia projects that incorporate a variety of text, image and video edits and features.

VISUAL ART

In this Trimester, your child will:

- Design a 2D cubist art piece.
- Learn and understand how to draw using cross-hatching basics to show value.
- Create a 2-point perspective dream bedroom.

MUSIC & PERFORMING ARTS

In this Trimester, your child will:

- Analyze the form and harmony of music by listening.
- Make educated guesses about where and when music comes from based on auditory evidence.
- Compose a short piece using digital music software.
- Sing as a group with accurate pitch, rhythm, diction, volume, and expression.

WELLNESS / PE

In this Trimester, your child will:

- Demonstrate developing lacrosse skills.
- Demonstrate throwing, catching, and striking skills.
- Demonstrate an understanding of basic skills associated with track and field.
- Develop increased critical thinking and communication skills with relation to problem solving.

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