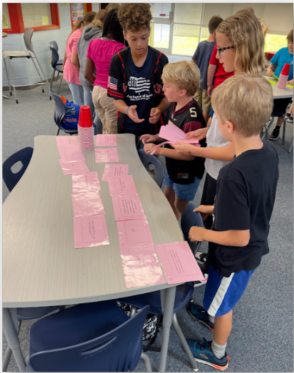


Shelf Indulgence

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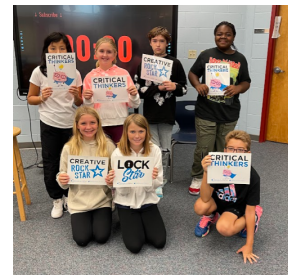
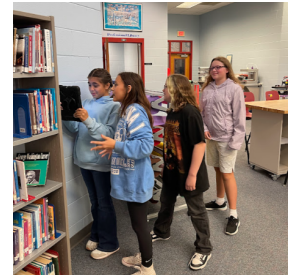
ELA Classes Find a "Quick Escape"

October started with an escape room for 6th grade ELA classes. Students used iPads borrowed from IRMS to read QR codes and solve riddles that lead them to clues to open the lock boxes. Students had to be knowledgeable of the layout of the Media Center and where to find the different activities and genres, including but not limited to the MakerSpace, graphic novels, and biographies. When students collected the clues, they had to unscramble them to open the locks and were able to collect the "treasures" which included candy, stickers, and passes to the MakerSpace.



WHAT'S IN THIS MONTHS' ISSUE:

- Escape Rooms
- Red Ribbon Week
- MakerSpace Opens
- FAME Conference



Red Ribbon Week Helps Keep Students "Alive"

Red Ribbon Week was October 23-31st and the Media Center hosted classes to learn about the mission to keep kids drug-free through a video created by Mr. Tagliarini. Students then used that knowledge to play a Minute-to-Win It style game that culminated with a show of cup stacking skills. Winners from the competition got to spin the infamous wheel in the Media Center.



An “Evenflow” to the MakerSpace

The MakerSpace officially opened in October. Students spend their PBIS points to create projects for themselves or friends and family. The MakerSpace has a button maker, Shrinkydinks, a vinyl cutter for self-adhesive or heat press vinyl (to make shirts, etc), a 3D printer, and much more. We encourage teachers to award students for their positive behavior so that they can spend these points! Watch this video about the [MakerSpace](#).

F.A.M.E. Makes Mrs. Barnard a “Better (Wo)Man”

Florida Association for Media in Education held its annual conference in Orlando, FL on November 15-17, 2023. I was able to attend the conference with a grant won from the School Advisory Council. I met many authors and returned with a plethora of knowledge to help the Sebastian library program grow in its pursuit of being the best it can be. The keynote speaker was Mychal Threets who reminded me of my “Library Joy”.



“Do the Evolution” of the Library Data for October and November 2023

- Total Circulation: 3714
- Total Independent Student Check-Ins: 1919
- Top Circulation by Grade:
 - 6th grade 1018 total
 - 7th grade 1102 total
 - 8th grade 589 total
- Top Circulation by Teacher or Staff (non class sets)
 - Ms. Gabaldon
 - Ms. Moody
 - Mr Crites

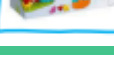
WANT TO SEE HOW THE MEDIA CENTER CAN HELP YOU? WE CAN ALWAYS “COME TOGETHER” AND COLLABORATE TO GET YOU ON OUR CALENDAR!

SJCSD Technology Lending Community

Contact your Library Media Specialist to learn more about checking out these items



Do you want to try out new technology and STEM activities in your classroom? SJCSD has a Technology Lending Community Library!



- Lego WeDo2.0
- Lego Spike Prime
- Lego Spike Essentials
- Lego Bricq Prime
- Lego Bricq Essentials
- Lego STEAM Park
- Sphero
- Ozobots
- Code-A-Pillars
- BeeBots
- Code Hoppers
- iPads
- Surface Go