



STARK ELEMENTARY SPECIAL CLASSES NEWSLETTER

September

LIBRARY MEDIA CENTER

We are continuing to discuss books, book care, and the sections of the library.

Save the date! 9/8-9/15

The Scholastic book fair is here. Look for the flyer that was sent home in Thursday folders last week. You'll find all the details attached to the front. We will be open during the Grandparent breakfasts and Curriculum Night too.

Order online or set up an e-Wallet at this website:
scholastic.com/bf/StarkReads



ART

Third grade is beginning a unit on illuminated letters and manuscripts. Kindergarten, first grade, and second grade are finishing their coloring mixing unit and beginning a unit on patterns. Fourth and fifth grade finished their realistic drawing unit and is beginning seasonal artwork and watercolor painting.

All grades are working on craftsmanship and making their artwork neat.



MUSIC

Lower grades are currently learning rules, routines, procedures in the music class. Students are learning the skill of echoing, responding and moving appropriately to music. Students will also start to learn the practice of getting out and putting away materials being used in lessons. Upper grades are currently learning rules, routines, procedures in the classroom. Students are learning the art form of "play parties", rhythm notation reviews, and how to use body percussion within a song and to choose a partner in a healthy and safe environment. All grades will be reviewing musical vocabulary and rhythm notation the first two months.



PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Students will begin skills related to the sport of Soccer. Also, students will continue to display cooperative skills with games and drills involving team work and sportsmanship. We will begin testing for Fitness Gram measurement in 4th and 5th grade.

