



Jackson IB PYP Choir Performs at the 2023 NYSABE Conference

The Jackson School Choir captivated audiences at the NYSABE 2023 Conference in Wading River, New York with their vibrant renditions of cultural music from around the world.

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Pen-Pal Letters to Israel!

The scholars are engaging in a cultural exchange program by writing pen-pal letters to students in Israel, fostering intercultural communication and understanding.

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Fourth Grade Food Drive

Fourth grade scholars have come together to collect and distribute food for a school food drive, highlighting their dedication to combating food insecurity and supporting their community.

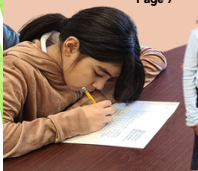
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Women's History Month

Scholars celebrate Women's History Month by recognizing the achievements and contributions of women throughout history.

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Message from PTO President

Dear Jackson School Parents,

On behalf of the Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO) and the entire school community, I would like to extend a warm welcome to the third edition of our school newspaper for the 2022-2023 academic year. We are thrilled to have this platform to share important news, achievements, and stories from our vibrant learning community. Our talented scholar reporters have been working tirelessly to bring you the latest updates, and we are excited to see their hard work come to fruition. We hope that you enjoy reading this edition. Thank you for your continued support and involvement in our school.

Best regards,

Mr. Davon Williams
PTO President
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A Message from IB Coach

Dear scholars, parents, and staff,



We are living a complex life. Our scholars learn from both books and Technology platforms. Like many other things, we need Balance, Harmony and Order. Our classrooms are organized so our scholars can set self-goals and find learning materials readily available. Through Approach To Learning (ATL) Skills our scholars are gaining knowledge. The ATL Skills are: Communication Skills, Self Management Skills, Social Skills, Technology Skills, and Thinking Skills.

Here are suggestion to support your child's learning and teaching attendance matters, set routines and rituals, organize and set Learning Space, read daily for 15 to 30 minutes, and take advantage of resources and discuss school life.

In conclusion, Learning and Teaching is a process as well as taking assessments. We are collaborating and communicating. We can all be Principled, Open-Minded and do our best in Learning and Teaching, and attend PTO Meetings.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Soh Young Lee-Segredo, IB PYP Coach

Choir Performs at NYSABE Conference 2023

Nyleen Williams from Mrs. Bologna's 4th Grade Class

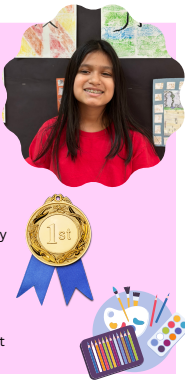
I like to sing songs and dance. It makes me feel happy to be in the choir and see Mrs. Lee-Segredo. My favorite song that we sang at NYSABE is "Hello to all the children of the world". I wish to be in the choir again when I am in 5th grade.



Art Contest Winner

Keisy Crespín from Ms. Minneci's 5th Grade Class

To begin, I am very happy that I won the NYSABE Art Contest. I was invited to a hotel to get my prize and make a speech. When I first got there, I was nervous. I went inside the hotel, and it was beautiful. I was the first one there. My family members came with me. Later on, more and more people started coming in. The event started. We were first served salad which was good. Next, they started calling the winners of the Art and Essay contest one by one. I was finally called up to the stage. I was nervous but my wonderful teacher, Ms. Lee-Segredo gave me confidence to go up the stage. I went up the stage and spoke my speech. I received medal and \$150. After I was done, I took pictures with my family. Then, I at lunch and desert. I listened to more speeches. Finally, I went to my car and was thankful for what happened to that day.



Earth Day Poem

Yadiel Saenz from Mrs. Connell's 4th Grade Class

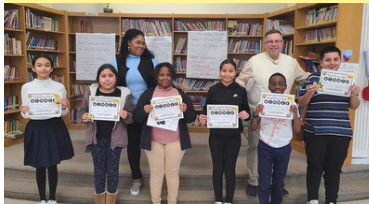
Everyone can help the planet
Animals and people need help
Recycle the garbage and bottles
They need help
Help the planet



Spelling Bee!

Josiah Ragnauth from Mrs. Bradley's 5th Grade Class

At Jackson IB PYP World School many scholars competed in a Spelling Bee on March 27, 2023. Doing this gets you to the next level of the Spelling Bee. Scholars were picked from every class in each of the grades. Every scholar was given a sheet of the spelling words. The Spelling Bee was hosted by Ms. Coker. This took place in the Media Center. Mr. Brown asked us how to spell some words. Different grades went against each other. After the Spelling Bee, six scholars were selected. The district level Spelling Bee will be held in May.



Book of the Month

May 2023



June 2023



Learner Profile Attributes



May:
Balanced

June:
Reflective



Scholars Embrace Greek Language Learning, Broaden Cultural Horizons

Melanie Suazo from Mr. Hudson's 4th Grade Class

My name is Melanie Suazo and I'm a 4th grader in Mr. Hudson's class. I feel so happy students have the chance to learn the Greek language. I love the fact that we learn new words every time we do a lesson. It's very fun and I enjoy every minute. Greek is a fun way of learning the way people in Greece communicate. I'm happy to have Greek.



Fourth Grade Food Drive

Melanie Suazo from Ms. Hudson's 4th Grade Class

The "Can Food Drive" was an event by the Fourth Grade. The Fourth Grade is giving the goods to twenty newcomer families. This act of kindness really represents the IB attribute of "Caring." By us showing we are being caring, we are showing respect to the needs of the newcomers and other families in the community. I feel very grateful for this because we are showing how much we care for families while doing this.



First in Math District Competition Winner!

Gopi Patel from Mrs. Bradley's 5th Grade Class

Hi my name is Gopi Patel, and I am the First in Math competition winner for the Grade 5 districtwide. Before the competition, I had this feeling that I might lose. Even worse, I had to compete against the other fifth graders in other schools of the district. This is how I won.

First of all, if you are thinking that I knew about the district that's why I'm doing First in Math, the answer is no. I was doing First in Math to improve my math skills. Since third grade it has been my goal to improve my skills per year. When math came around, I thought I wouldn't meet my goal, but guess what? I DID! I hope I will win more things in the future.



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Congratulations

Easter Egg Hunt!

Sasha Brown from Ms. Sutter's 1st Grade Class

Creative Expressions In Motion had Easter Egg Hunt and celebration at Jackson Main. There were 100 eggs! We ate cakes, fruits and drank carrot juice. We danced to Peter Cotton Tail. We even did Word Search. It was so much fun and we loved it!

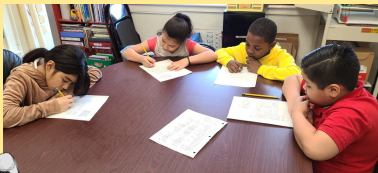


Pen-Pal Letters

By Ms. Gelman, Technology Specialist Teacher



In Media class, 4th grade scholars wrote and typed friendly letters to their Pen Pal partners in Israel. This activity tied into the Unit of Inquiry: How We Express Ourselves. It also helped scholars improve their communication skills. In addition to learning about another scholars culture, they also learned proper letter format and vocabulary. In the letters, scholars introduced themselves, gave at least three details about themselves, and asked a question for their pen pal to respond. The scholars loved writing to scholars from another country! Scholars are hoping to hear back from them soon!



Those Shoes



The Principal's Book of the Month for March was "Those Shoes" by Maribeth Boelts. Scholars in grades 3-6 read the book and interviewed a partner asking about things they want and need. They explained their opinion on which of the two is more important to them and why in Ms. Gelman's class.

