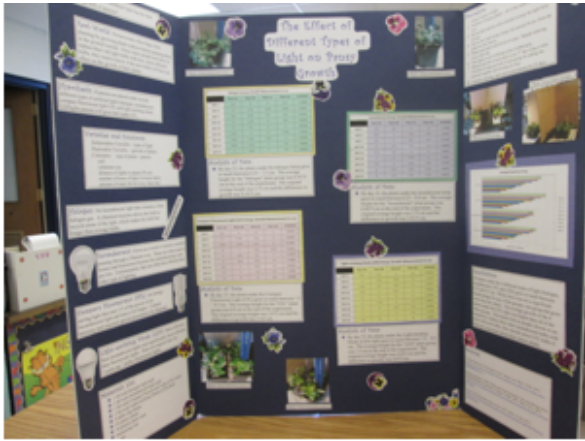


The Science Fair is Coming

by Kirstin T.

Students are patiently waiting to show their impressive science fair projects. I asked 7th grade science teacher Mrs. Groth, and 7th graders Kaytelynn S. and Lindsay M. about the project.



Previous science fair project Photo credit: Brezeil H.

"I think the science fair is really cool because we get the opportunity to try new experiments," said Lindsay.

"Science fairs are really cool because they open your mind to new possibilities," said Kaytelynn.

"It gives kids opportunities to do something they want to do rather than what the teacher assigned."

"The project encourages the students to try new things."

"It helps teach the scientific method."

"It gives the kids a chance to be hands-on."

"The students can learn how to relate to real world problems depending on what they pick," said Mrs. Groth

The science fair is an important part of the school year for science class even if you don't enter the actual science fair. Your project will be amazing, because it will be made by you.

Behind the Scenes of the School Store

by Tyson D. and Katelyn L.

We interviewed a PTA volunteer to find out some information about the school store.

Q.What is the average amount of money the school store makes per week?

A. 20 to 25 dollars.

Q. How do you decide which items to sell?

A. We pick a variety of items and we keep the ones that sell the most.

Q.Are you thinking about selling snacks?

A.It's not allowed in school; it's just a rule.

Q.What's your best selling item?

A.The slime that is gooey.

Q.Do you think you will start selling things like little packs of cards or things like that?

A.Possibly, but we're not really sure.

Toys From the School Store:

Toys from the school store are probably something you are familiar with, but I have noticed the toys are becoming a distraction to the students.

Are these toys becoming a problem? To get some insight on the topic we interviewed Mr. Bowles.

Q. Are you familiar with the school store?

A. Yes, I am.

Q. How do you feel about the toys from the school store?

A. I believe there is a place and a time for them. The middle of class is not the right place nor time.

Q. How do you think this problem could be fixed?

A. Make sure the toys are in the students' lockers, and/or away from class.

Q. Is this a change you are hoping to see immediately?

A. The sooner the toys are gone the better it will be.

Thank You Mr. Bowles!

Has your view on the toys changed at all during the school year?



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