

PRACTICAL ARTS



ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY

All of Mr. Lanning's Technology and Engineering classes are completing their Design and Modeling units where students were working on sketching, designing and testing various concepts in order to meet developed constraints and criteria governing each project.

FACS

Mrs. Fuist's 6th, 7th and 8th grade classes are all beginning their Culinary Arts unit. Students will need to have a container to bring their food home, as we will often not have time to eat in class. Goals at each grade level include recipe reading skills, putting safety and sanitation into practice, and accurately measuring ingredients. Students will also practice their soft skills while working in their small groups.

Mrs. Nauman's 6th grade FACS classes completed their hand sewing unit and are in the kitchen cooking! Goals in this unit include learning how to read and interpret recipes, how to accurately measure ingredients, as well as how to work in a team with defined roles. We will also explore careers related to the culinary and hospitality fields.

Mrs. Nauman's 7th grade FACS class completed their machine sewn drawstring backpacks and will spend the next several weeks alternating between room 109 and room 509. While in room 109 we will be enjoying our time in the kitchen making: Goopy Butter Cookies, pizza, Lasagna Roll Ups, Chocolate Crinkle Cookies, Snickerdoodles, and cupcakes. Our weeks in room 509 will be spent developing background knowledge to apply to our cooking labs, completing a hand sewing unit, and exploring the field of education while designing a lesson plan and teaching a topic of choice to peers.

Mrs. Nauman's 8th grade FACS class completed their machine sewn apron projects and will spend the next several weeks alternating between room 109 and room 509. While in room 109 we will be enjoying our time in the kitchen making: Goopy Butter Cookies, Fortune Cookies, Pumpkin Bars, Chocolate Chip Cookies, muffins, and pizza. Our weeks in room 509 will be spent developing background knowledge to apply to our cooking labs, completing a hand sewing unit, and learning about child development.

BUSINESS

6th grade business students are working on Biz World. They will be starting their own company where they have to sell bracelets to the student body. Each company will consist of about five to six students as we will be learning the amount of planning it takes to start and run a business.

7th grade business students will be using the skills they learned from Dream Team to design chromebook tags for the six grade student body. They will be creating the design, order forms, producing and giving to the sixth grade. This is the business segment for the 7th grade students.

8th grade will be starting their business segment as well. Students will be placed into teams and they will be starting to create their own company. Like the sixth grade, they will learn the amount of planning it takes in order to start and run a successful business. 8th grade are allowed to re-sale anything that is school appropriate and follows school procedure.