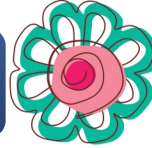


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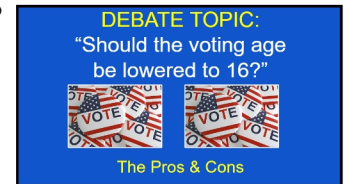
3rd Graders Complete Country Research Projects!

Grade 3 library classes have just completed a country research project and their work can be viewed online! Working with a partner, each group used library books to learn facts about their country, then used their graphic organizers to create multimedia presentations using Microsoft Sway. Their finished projects can be found on the library webpage along with directions for viewing each project. They worked very hard and did an excellent job!



5th Grade Library Classes Finishing Current Events Debate Unit!

5th grade library classes are in the midst of a current events debates unit, while also helping to conduct a trial of Google Classroom. They have debated the pros & cons of topics such as: *Should animal testing be banned?*, *Should the school day start later?*, *Should the voting age be lowered?*, *Should kids get allowance?*, & *Should screen time be limited?* They are learning to respect opinions that differ from theirs!



In May the library's "Celebrating Diversity" book display highlights immigrants & refugees; 1st grade & Kindergarten classes have been enjoying books by Authors of the Month Robert Munsch, Chris Van Allsburg, and Yuyi Morales; 6/2 is the last day to sign-out library books, with a pizza party reward for the first class to return all books by 6/9. That's what's up!



2ND GRADE LIBRARY CLASSES FINISHING ANIMAL RESEARCH!

2nd grade library classes are working on animal research projects and their finished work should be available to be viewed online soon! Working with a partner, students used the PebbleGo database to gather and paraphrase their facts on graphic organizers, which they are now using to create Google Slide presentations on their Chromebooks. Finished projects will be posted on the library webpage soon!

