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School No. 4 Gifted & Talented Program

Project Primary focuses on exposing students to four areas of thinking: convergent thinking, divergent thinking, visual/spatial perception, and evaluative thinking. Recently, Project Primary students reinforced their concept of visual thinking through the mental manipulation of shapes using tangrams. Second grade students used visual and convergent thinking they as matched twenty-six pairs of identical but rotated shapes.

Bergen County Author Visits S4!

School No. 4 had the pleasure of meeting our very own Bergen County Author, Shane Sveroc. Shane read to the students from her book, "*The Busy Bridge Got Its Break*." During her visit, the students learned about local history, friendship, and the importance of how to find the goodness around us in everyday life. Thank you Ms. Sveroc for visiting and delivering a great message!

Fourth Grade Happenings!

In the coming weeks, the fourth grade class will be conducting a cross-curricular research project on the American Revolution. They will be studying and reading about this time period, as well as a specific and important subtopic event of this time and our country's history. They will then create their own history books with information and stories regarding their research. Gifted and Talented students are developing deductive thinking skills as they learn to solve a variety of logic problems needed to solve a mystery. Each problem provides an important clue in the mystery. Using these clues, the student detectives eliminate the suspects until only the culprit remains and the mystery is solved! Thank you to Ms. Cafasso for leading our G&T Program!



School No. 4 PTA

Thank you to the S4 PTA for a successful Book Fair event! The parent involvement at School No. 4 is at an all-time high and has assisted in creating a positive and supportive environment. Our PTA has also partnered with the FLHS Future Teachers of America and the Black Alliance. High school students & Faculty will visit S4 classrooms and discuss Black History Month!

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Upcoming Events/ Important Dates

February Theme

"Treat Others The Way You Want To Be Treated"



President's Day Feb. 20 No School

Winter Recess Feb. 21 No School

