

# NOVEMBER ENRICHMENT NEWS

## HUDSON'S HEADLINES

This newsletter is coming out later into the month of November because of an exciting opportunity and honor that took up most of my extra time in the beginning of the month. Thank you for your patience and understanding. I hope that your children have told you about what they have been working on in the enrichment classroom and that they look forward to Mondays and our time together. I know I do. With Thanksgiving coming up, this seems like a wonderful time to let you know how grateful I am that I get to teach your wonderful children!



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## OUR LEARNING FOCUS

### Advanced Math

Hands On Equations  
Lessons 1-5

### Advanced Vocabulary

Caesar's English Stems  
(odd numbered lessons)  
Learn, Apply, Assess

### Critical and Creative Thinking

[The 24 Game](#)  
[The Daily Set](#)

Perplexors  
Current Events

### Through Artist's Eyes Unit

Classical Art- Greek and Roman  
Medieval Art- Byzantine,  
Romanesque and Gothic

### Self Development

Personal Written Reflections and  
Creative Artistic Expressions

## Social Emotional NEEDS of the GIFTED

Check out the [National Association for Gifted Children's Social & Emotional Issues page](#). There you will find some great articles and tips for helping you understand your gifted child. One topic of particular interest is gifted kids not being gifted in all areas, or in other words, [understanding asynchronous development](#). Another is learning about [how gifted students experience the world with intensity](#), which is what makes them so astute and cognitively advanced. However, that also means many experience the world with emotional intensity as well. This often takes the form of self-criticism, perfectionism, resistance to closure, and emotional overexcitability.



# NOVEMBER ENRICHMENT PHOTOS



## Amy Hudson-Mobile Green Screen/Animation Recording Studio

The overall purpose of the proposed project is to use green screen and animation technology to provide students with opportunities to find their voices and to creatively communicate their ideas about their study of National Parks in meaningful ways to a variety of audiences.

Amy Hudson-Fayette County School System



Amy Hudson

Fayette County Schools

Click the pics to learn more about the awards.

I was surprised and honored to learn that I will be representing SHMES as our 2022-2023 Teacher of the Year. Your children are the reason I love my job! I also had the privilege of presenting at the Georgia Educational Technology Conference and won a few awards there as well. But that's enough about me!

Here are a few of the awesome projects your children have created so far this year. They each made a self portrait that displayed their positive attributes. They learned about Cave Art, and make a replica. They learned about Ancient Egyptian Art and made a hieroglyphic cartouche and turned themselves into royalty using the frontalism technique. Then they learned about Classical Art and designed a Greek Vase. Most recently, they learned about Medieval art and designed an illuminated letter. As you can see, we have some very talented artists in the 4th grade enrichment classroom.

