
Fishkill Elementary

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Newsletter



The Sound of Music in P. E.

The gym is often filled with music to warm up with. Using rhythm sticks from the music department and exercise balls from the gym, students took part in a collaborative P. E. experience. Through Drums Alive students receive the benefits of a traditional physical education program with the brain affected benefits of music and rhythm. Students were surprised at the great workout they got while drumming!

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The Sound of Music in P. E. continued ...

Our 6th grade students had an extra musical and dance experience thanks to our Arts in Education program with NYDance Residency. Over 4 days, students learned that we dance to celebrate life! They learned creativity, focus and how to be and express themselves through Hip Hop dance.



Hour of Code in the Library!

The Hour of Code was a huge success in the library, and 4th, 5th, and 6th grade students could not get enough! The Hour of Code is a global movement by Computer Science Education Week and Code.org reaches tens of millions of students in 180+ countries through a one-hour introduction to computer science and computer programming. After the initial one-hour spent learning about computer science and computer programming the kids wanted more so another hour was spent coding and some of them went home and did it on their own!

