

Cedar Hill School
Art Department.

WANTED: Storage Bags

Mrs. Ace needs gallon-sized, twist-tie storage bags! These bags are used to store wet clay projects. If you're feeling generous, please donate a box of bags to Mrs. Ace. Send them in with your children or feel free to drop them off directly.

NJPAC Winter Youth Art Exhibit

Congratulations, Rachel W. of Mrs. DV's class & Hannah P. of Mrs. Taxeras' class! These two talented students are two of the elite 30 students whom were chosen to have artwork exhibited at the New Jersey Performing Arts Center's Winter Youth Art Exhibit. There are hundreds of entries from all over NJ. Their work will be exhibited outside the Victoria Theatre starting on December 18th.

Pablo Picasso Portraits Becoming Popular

Pablo Picasso was an innovative artist in the 1920's who experimented in art and invented Cubism. He was not only a painter but a sculptor as well. The third graders analyzed his growth as an artist by looking at a variety of his works during different periods such as the Blue Period, Cubism, and more. Drawing great inspiration from Cubism, the third grade students made self-portraits. We inspected each others faces and our own to find tints and shades and used fun colors to represent the values on our faces. Please enjoy the third graders creations.



Above works by Matt S. and Sarah C. of Mrs. Nollkamper's class and Jakob B. and Lilian L. of Ms. LoGrasso's class.

If you'd like to see more portraits, visit the Cedar Hill School Artsonia Gallery.

ARTSONIA Update: MISSION 95% COMPLETE

Almost every student in the school has a piece of artwork published on Artsonia, the online children's art gallery. Some students have two already! Artsonia is a secure site that exhibits your child's precious creations. Mrs. Ace has been taking a few minutes out of her classes to share the artwork that is posted so far, and the students are elated to see their pictures online. The comments left on Artsonia by distant friends and relatives are heart-warming. The students are being complimented on their growing creativity and uniqueness. What a special gift to be able to use art as a way of staying connected with one another even when separated by miles. Thank you to the parents who have decided to participate in Artsonia. Also, a special thank you to the folks who have purchased items from the 'gift shop.' As you may know, 15% of the profits are donated to Cedar Hill's Art Department!

If you are having doubts about joining or have any questions at all, please e-mail Mrs. Ace at kace@bernardsboe.com.

Visit our Cedar Hill gallery on Artsonia at...

www.artsonia.com/schools/school.asp?id=22427



Updates...

- Kindergarten is making giant ABC paintings.
- 1st and 2nd grades are making seasonal art.
- 4th grade is either making food sculptures or beginning collographs.
- 5th graders are drawing teacher portraits very soon.