

Feature Artist

Dr. Brass School Student - Pierce Desnomie



Pierce Desnomie is an amazing third grade artist at **Dr. Brass School**. He loves to create visual art pieces in Arts Education. He has enjoyed projects this year using different mediums including: pencil, marker, paint, crayon and pencil crayon.

Pierce not only likes to create masterpieces that are based in arts education, he loves to create drawings and pictures in his free time. Any time that Pierce is finished other class work early, finished eating lunch, or anytime other time, he can be found with a paper and pencil sketching amazingly detailed pictures.

Mrs. Kitchen stated, "Pierce deserves to be commended as a feature student for his exceptional talent in visual arts."

Check out some of Pierce's amazing work that he has created so far this year. Keep up the great work Pierce!



Art Work to the left: The Important Thing About Me



Art Work to the left: Flower



Art Work to the right: Portrait



Art Work to the right: *Trees*

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Grayson School Student - Sarah Eshawesh



Sarah takes pride in her visual art skills and eagerly adds her own personal flair to many of her assignments.

Sarah has been recognized multiple times from the Canadian Legion for her submissions to the Remembrance Day poster contests, both locally and at the district level.

Sarah Eshawesh, Grade 7 student at **Grayson School**, has a passion for art and drawing which has really blossomed over the past couple of years. She is often experimenting with different techniques and styles of drawing both during class and in her own free time.





Most recently, Sarah was asked to create the cover page for Grayson School's book, "Our Teachers Need a Holiday" that was being sold as a fundraiser. She graciously accepted the challenge and created a perfect representation of how teachers and staff (and students!) are feeling during this time of year and it made for the perfect book cover. She can now say that she is a published illustrator, as Grayson School sold 35 copies of the book!

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Feature Scholar

Esterhazy High School Student—Alex Nichols



Photo above: The dual-monitor project Alex recently completed.

Alex has excelled in Computer Science 20 and 30, and is currently working with Mr. Heise on numerous technical projects around the school as part of a work experience through the Transitioning Youth to Employment (TYE) program.

He recently completed a dual-monitor project in one of the EHS computer labs. The project included identifying and ordering necessary hardware, and then installing, cabling, and configuring a dual monitor setup for each workstation in the lab.

Alex also learned how to make Category-6 Ethernet cables and has made a number of cables for various rooms in the school. He came up with ideas regarding how the senior

computer lab and server room could be redesigned, including the Ethernet cabling and power, and he has been using AutoCAD software to create models of both rooms.

Alex helps maintain the computer labs in the school by replacing monitors, keyboards, and mice as needed. He is currently working on a new announcement system project for the school. He will be testing different tools to display a presentation of the school's daily announcements on various devices and screen sizes.

After graduation, Alex is planning to take a year off to work and then enroll in post-secondary to pursue a career in information technology.

This has been a wonderful experience for both Alex and EHS; his favourite part of the day is working with Mr. Heise and the school has benefitted from all of Alex's work. Esterhazy High School are grateful to the TYE Program, Partners in Employment, and GSSD for their partnership which allows students like Alex to be involved in authentic work experiences that support successful transition to employment opportunities beyond high school.

Well done Alex....staff and student are very proud of you and all that you have accomplished at EHS!



Photo above: Alex making ethernet cables.

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