

Students will take weekly classes in Art, Computer & Technology, Media & Library, Music, Physical Education, and Spanish.

**Art** - Third Grade Art students begin to develop a concrete understanding of the elements of art and principles of design through the production of original artworks, and through the appreciation of art in our culture and in other cultures. Students are encouraged to begin his/her creative and personal development by expanding choices in materials, themes, problem solving and critical-judgment skills. This course introduces more abstract concepts such as, “art in today’s world” and seeks to further develop art made from observation, personal experiences and imagination.

**Computer-** Students will learn to be productive in a digital world by solving problems and participating in projects that utilize technology in their creation. While integrating the technology with the curriculum, students will demonstrate mastery of the National Technology Standards at their grade level. Keyboarding skills are taught beginning in third grade.

**Media-** Media class introduces the students to proper book care and appropriate behavior in the Media Center. Our instructors help them know how to find information in the Media Center and use it appropriately. Media seeks to instill in students a love of books and appreciation of stories and literature.