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December 18, 2024. The Carr Lane VPA Winter Show! Students, staff, parents, families and friends turn-out for Carr Lane's Annual Winter Show. Here, Ms. M. Williams directs the Carr Lane VPA Concert Choir! Go Jaguars!





A brave solo performance!



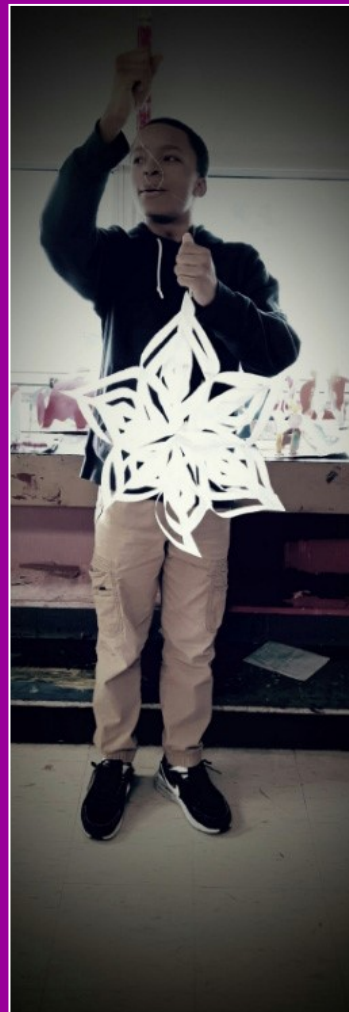
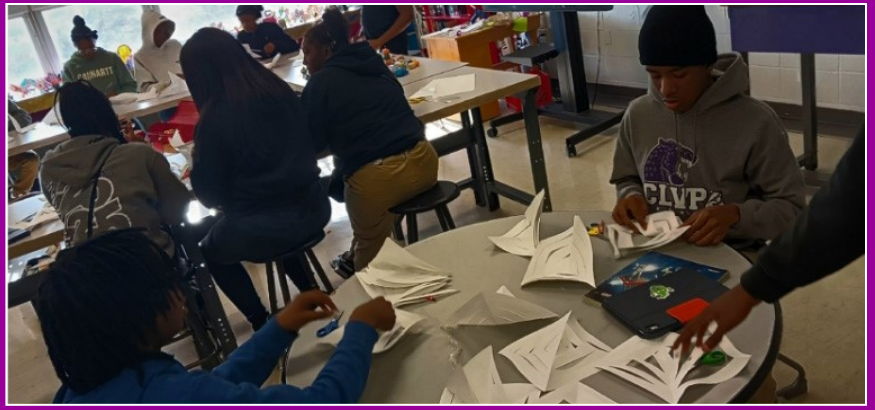
Ms. M Williams' piano students share their skill with an appreciative audience!



Under the direction of Ms. Reef, the Carr Lane VPA Concert Band performs.



Mr. Walker leads the Carr Lane VPA Concert Strings. Right: 8th Grade cello student, Jalya, takes a solo.



Scenes from the presentation showcasing student artwork from Ms. L. Williams' Visual Art classes.





Under the direction of Ms. T. Parker, her Carr Lane dance students take the stage!





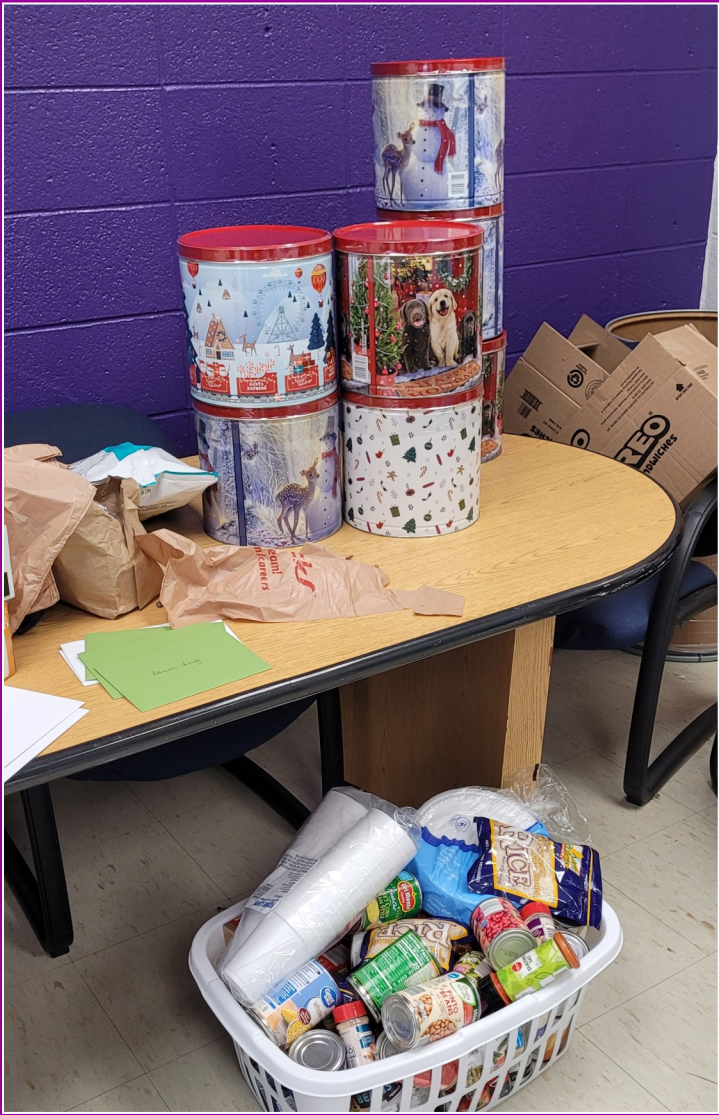


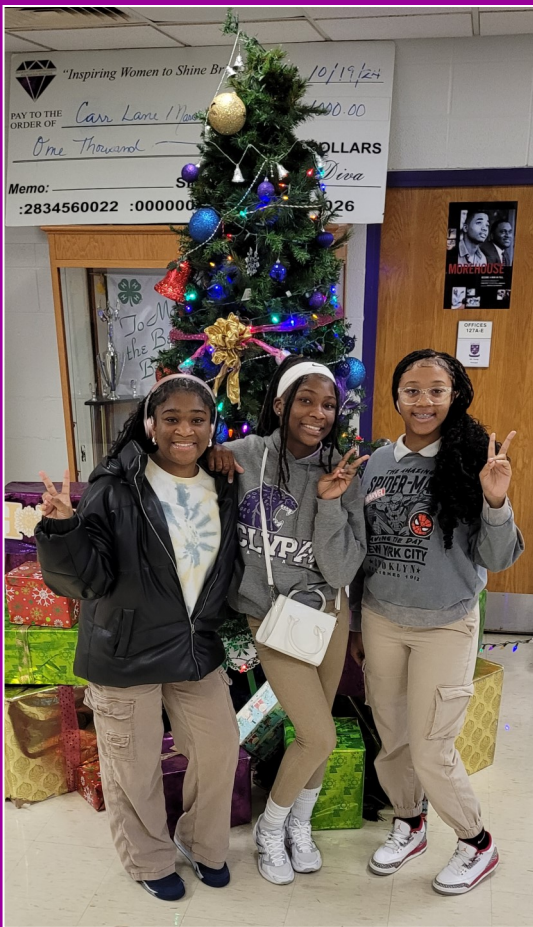


The dancers provide a show-stopping finale to the Winter Show!



8th Graders Ayden and Kyrie wheel out donations of turkey, food and treats to help families during the holidays!

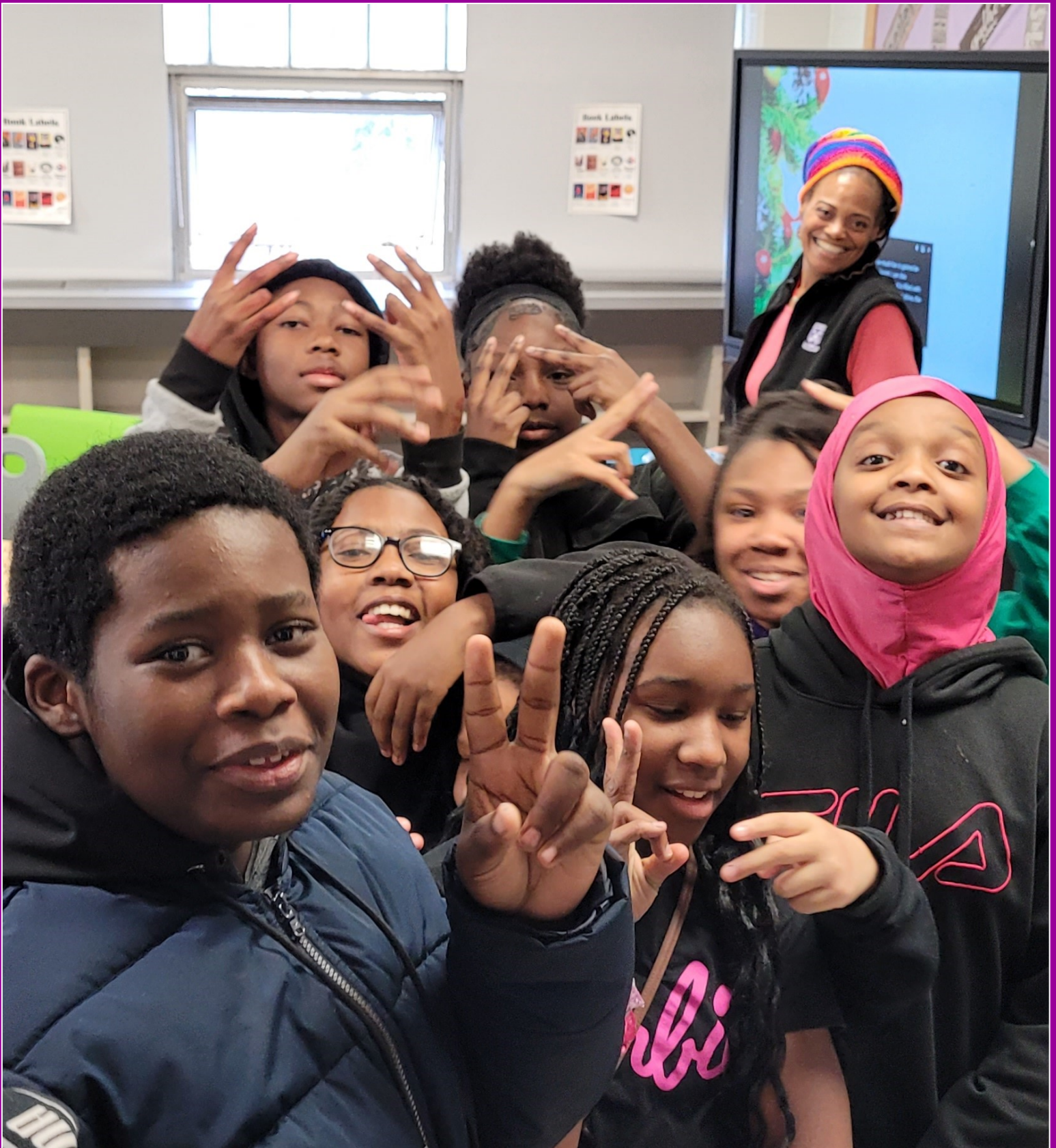




8th Graders decorate and faculty and staff wear their holiday apparel!







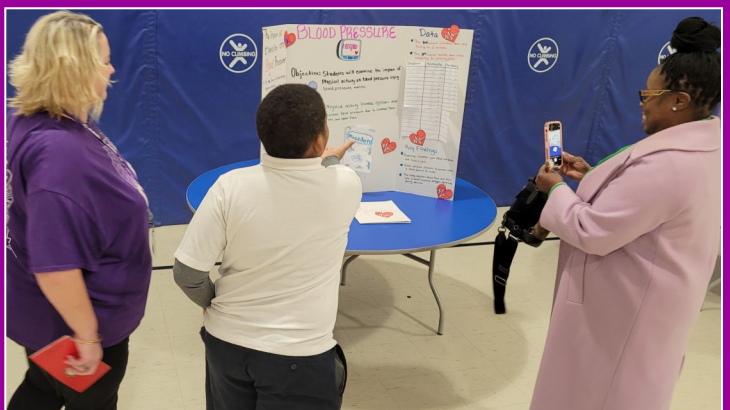
HAPPY WINTER BREAK!

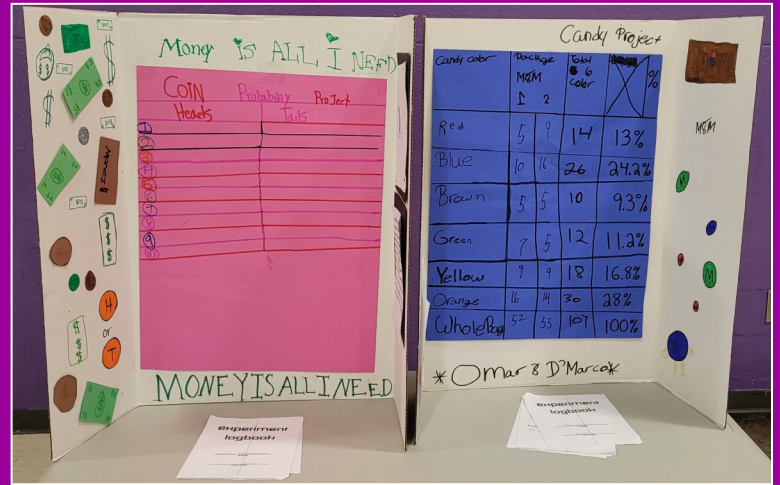
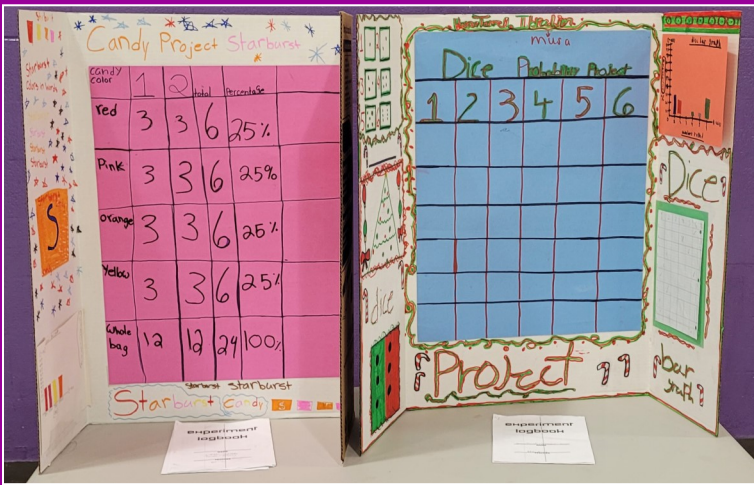
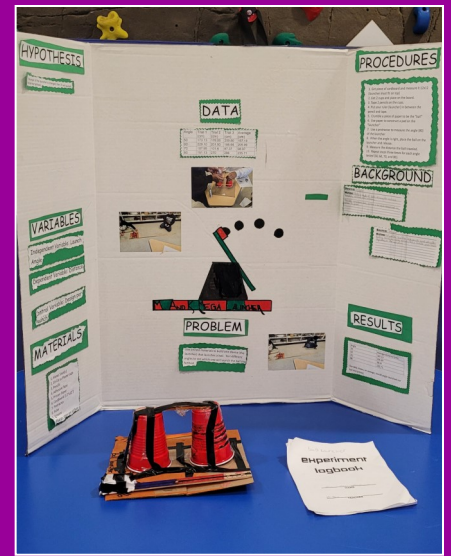
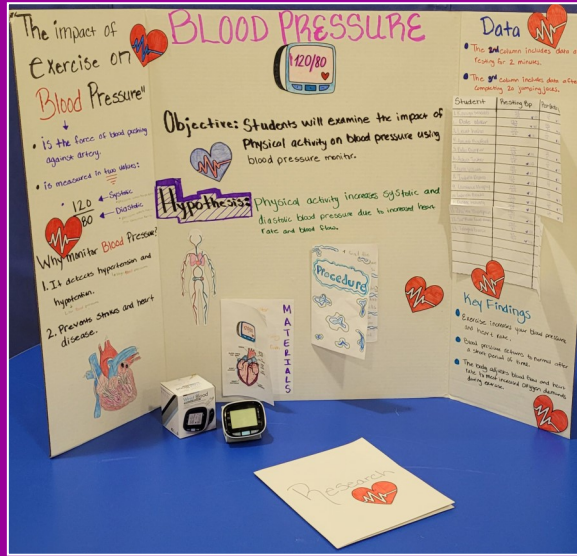
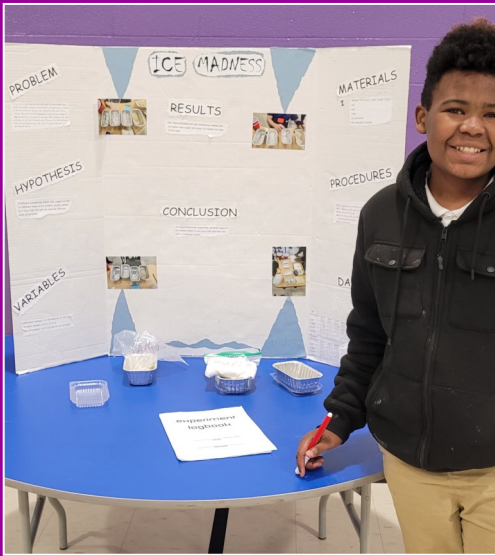


December 20, 2024 was the day for the Carr Lane VPA STEM FAIR celebrating Science, Engineering, Mathematics and Technology at Carr Lane. Beginning at 8:00, students from every classroom across the building had an opportunity to walk through the gymnasium and view their classmates' incredible STEM exhibits and demonstrations!



Carr Lane ambassador: Without prompting, 6th grade student Eli walks across the exhibition hall and welcomes SLPS Interim Superintendent, Dr. Millicent Borishade to Carr Lane Visual and Performing Arts Middle School!





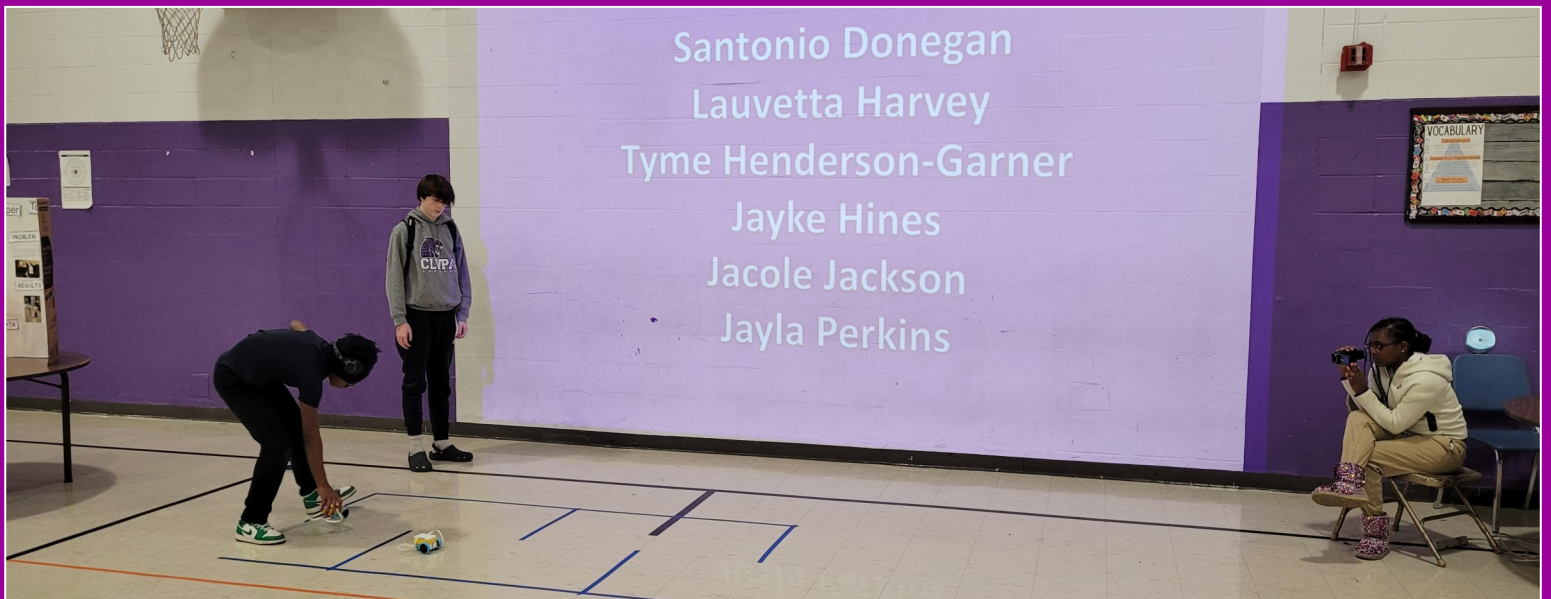
Ms. Jarrell, Ms. Ring and Mr. Young evaluate the student projects.

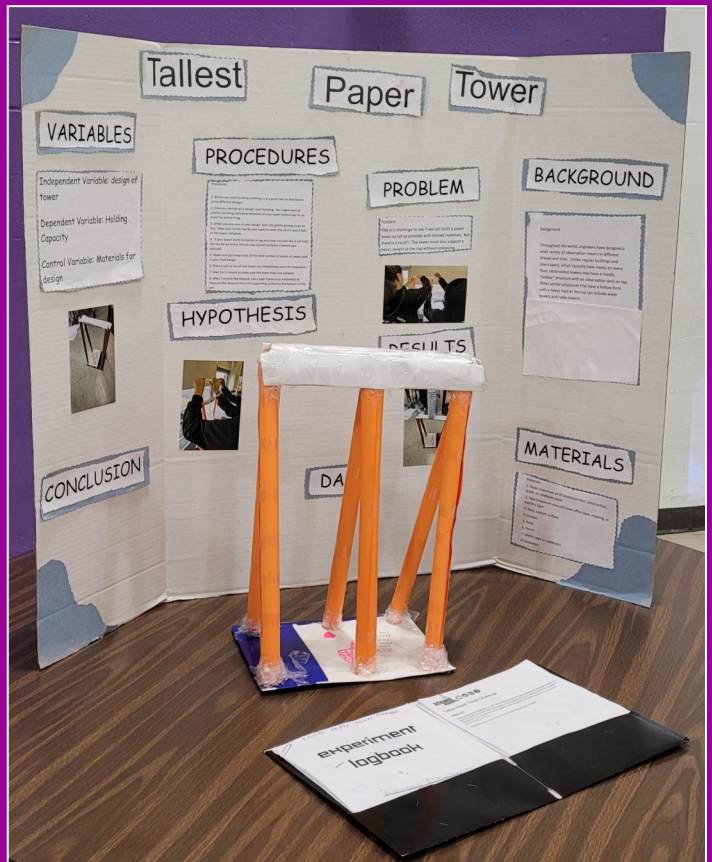
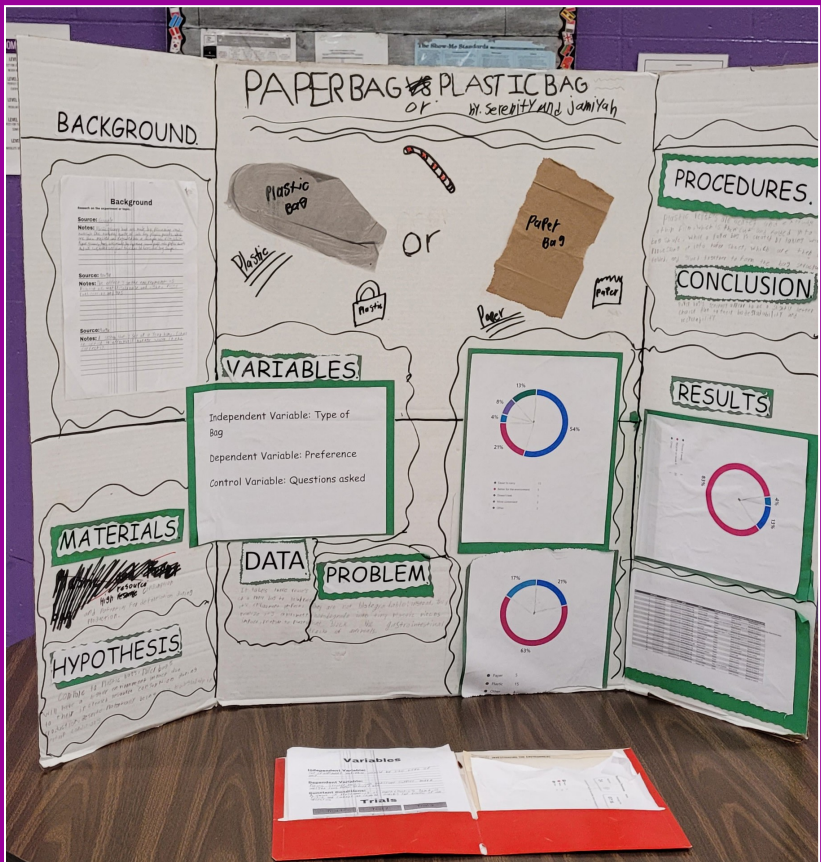
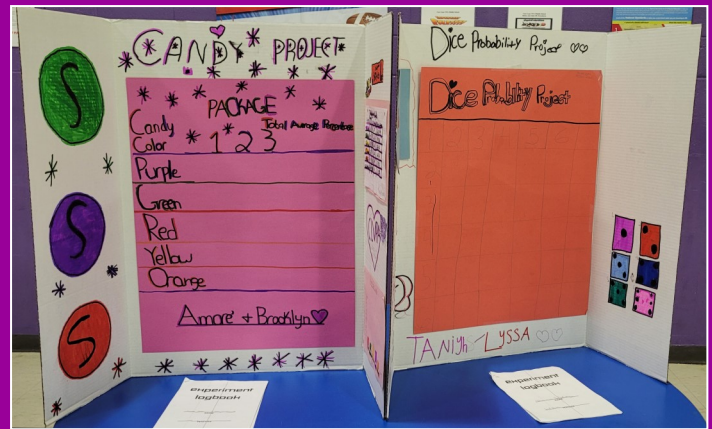
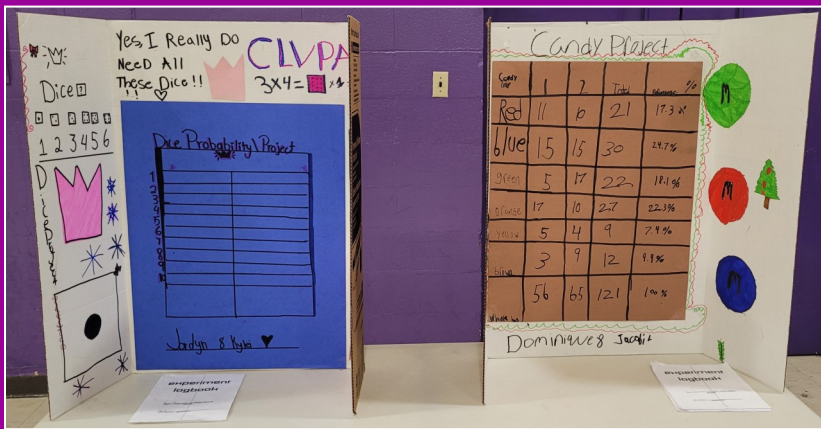
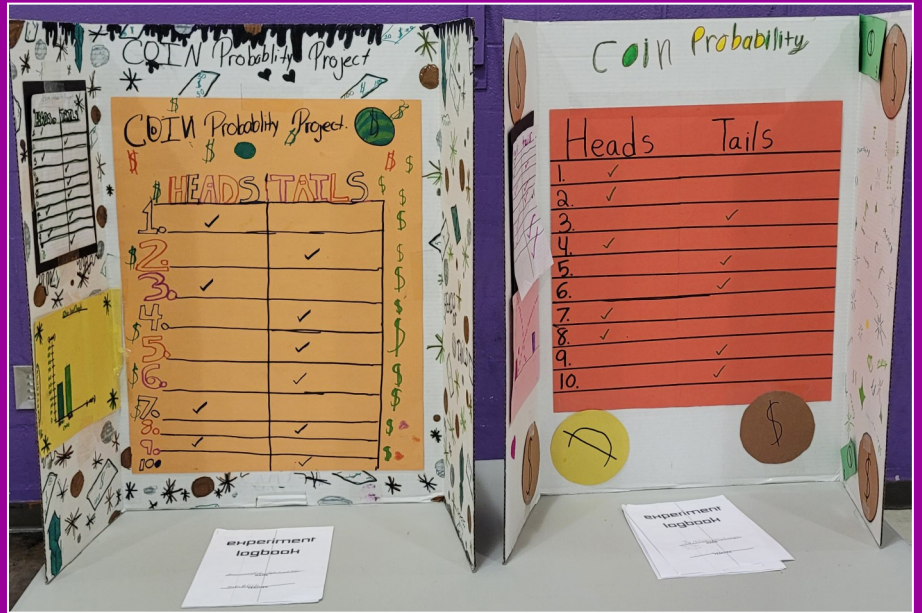
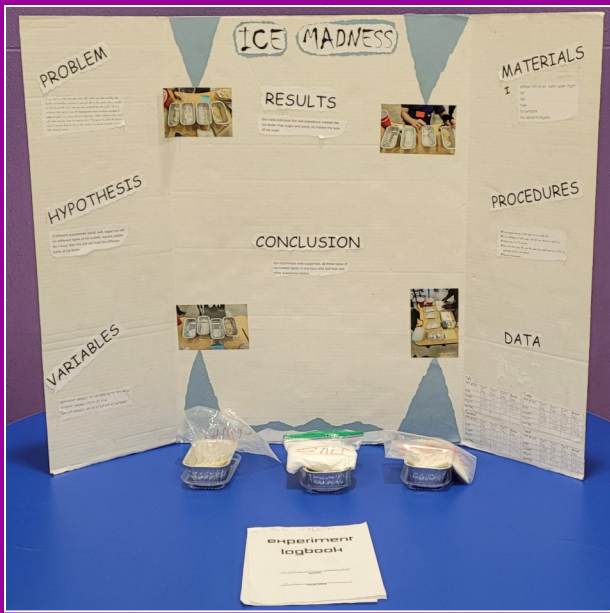


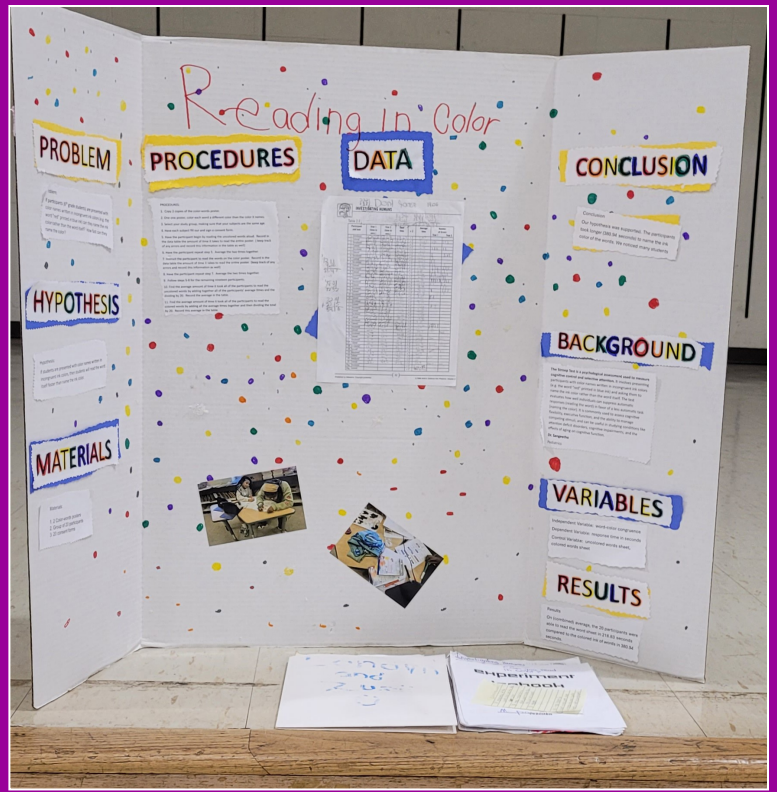
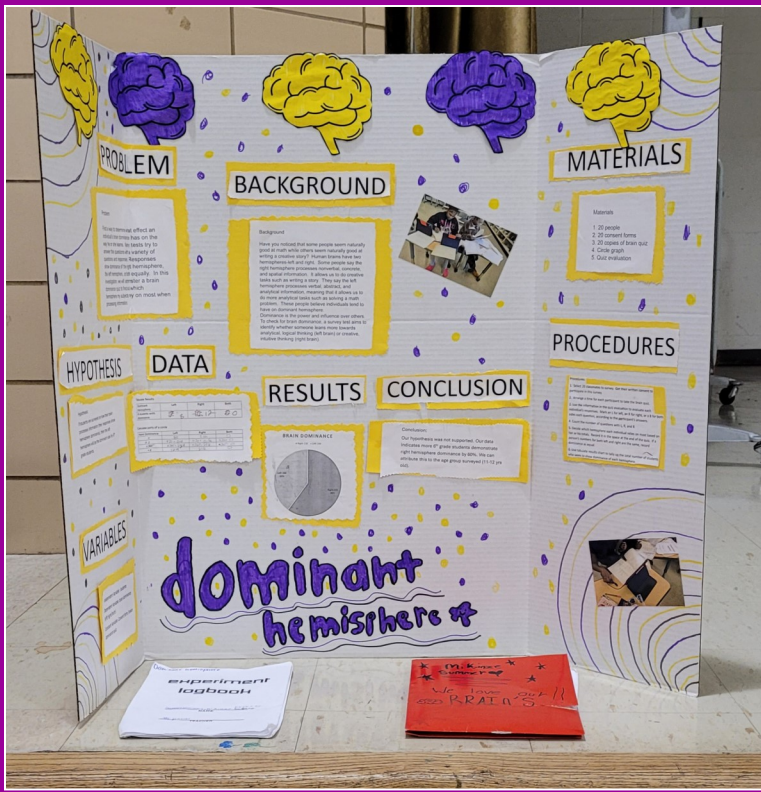
When Principal Young suggested that Computer Science students put together a robotics demonstration for an upcoming STEM Fair, advanced 8th Grade students Jacole Jackson, Jayke Hines, Jayla Perkins and Santonio Donnegan (pictured here) jumped at the opportunity. CS students, Tyme Henderson-Garner and Lauvetta Harvey also joined the team, building robots and programming them to navigate a maze. Once again, Jayla documented their work!



Santonio establishes a wireless link with a robot. Jacole writes code to guide one of the 3 robots through the maze.









Dr. Phoenix and his students employ Coach Folkes' state-of-the-art, ceiling mounted projection system to display their ten-minute presentation on the genesis and execution of the *Robot Maze Runners* computer programming project.



Throughout the morning, classrooms of students file through the gymnasium examining the exhibits.



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