**De’VIA**

What is De’VIA? De’VIA is Deaf View/Image Art, a visual art genre that purposefully represents Deaf culture and the Deaf experience. Many well known Deaf artists create works of art that incorporate elements of ASL, visual communication, Deaf history, and a shared experience. As part of their study of ASL and Deaf culture, Julie Burton’s ASL I and II students have been working hard on their De’VIA art recently. We have some great Tiger artists!

Adaivun and a close-up of the artwork.  

Yovanni, Raybon, and Ja’Niyah show their art.  

Jamie Anderson’s Kindergarten class read the book, “Jamie O’Rourke and the Big Potato.” The main character caught a leprechaun, so the class decided to try and catch one, too. First they made a plan, then they gathered materials, and finally they built a very clever leprechaun trap! It even has a sneaky message: “Welcome Leprechaun. You will be happy here!” Fingers crossed that a leprechaun falls into their trap!

Left: Allison, Kingsley, and Le’Ondre with the trap. Right: close up of trap.
Two departments earned PBIS rewards last week: High School hit 10 Peace Days and enjoyed an ice cream treat and Upper Elementary achieved 30 Peace Days and chowed down on Chick-fil-A (thanks for the pick up, Connie Morris) and watched Mulan. Great work everyone—being Respectful, Responsible, and Resilient is awesome!

Markayla, Zy’Merria, Zaida, Rebekah, and Birthday Girl Hannah enjoy their sandwiches.

Sinclare and Octavious have fun.

Watching Mulan

Rebekah, Hannah, and Bryce are into the movie.

Stephanie, Yovanni, and silly pals Ja’Niyah and Haley enjoy their ice cream.

Artists At Work: Le’Ambriah, Haley, and Stephanie work on their De’VIA projects.

Justin gets ice cream from Connie Morris, queen of PBIS and deliverer of goodies.

Spring Break is almost here! Students dismiss Thursday, March 31st at 11:45 am. Classes will resume on Monday, April 11th, with residential transportation on Sunday, April 10th, as usual.

Upcoming Events

Deaf History Month 3/13-4/15
3/20-26 American Chocolate Week
• 3/18 Quarter 3 Progress Reports sent home
• 3/22 & 3/23 Dorm shopping at DG
• 3/23 GCDHH Youth Day (High School) trip

• 3/24 Rome HS Leadership
• 3/28-30 Miss GSD Pageant rehearsals
  • 3/31 Homegoing
  • 4/1-4/8 Spring Break
  • 4/12 Miss GSD Pageant 5 pm
  • 4/15 ASL Festival
Miss GSD Pageant

Petite, Little, Junior, and Miss GSD Divisions

Tuesday, April 12, 2022
5 pm

Visit www.gsdweb.org to register!
# EAT SLEEP SIGN REPEAT (and tumbler) ORDER FORM

**Name**

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**Round 1 deadline:** Monday, March 21  
**Round 2 deadline:** Monday, April 4

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T-SHIRTS

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- Purple Rush (Adults)
- Sapphire (Youth size only)
- Maroon (Adults)
- Ladies
- Youth

ENGRAVED TUMBLERS

Straws: Large tumblers only. Limited availability. First come, first serve.

$15
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