Jefferson Township Schools

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WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL!

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Instructional Technology Newsletter

Hour of Code

The students in Mrs. Olsen's class loved learning how to code!

Mrs. Mathiasen and Mrs. Aluotto's students had a chance to code during library!

Mrs. Decker and Mrs. Fisher's classes enjoyed problem solving during Hour of Code.

Linkit!

Grades 1-11 may begin taking Form B – 2nd benchmark. Please have your students take Form B by **February 1st**.

Remember to use Prime for your assessments. Submit tests and answer keys to prime.linkit.com.

Please remember to **deactivate** the code of a test that is being given to your students after the session or class is over. **ONLY** post the code for the particular class that needs to take the assessment.
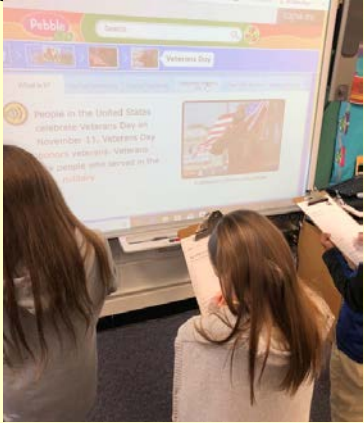
High School and Middle School teachers, please use the second student verification for signing into an assessment. It assigns each student a personalized ID that needs to be entered.

Typing Practice for State Test

- Elementary -
  http://jefftwp.typinginstructorkids.com
  https://edu.typetastic.com/kickstart

- MS & HS –
  https://www.typing.com/
  https://www.typingclub.com/

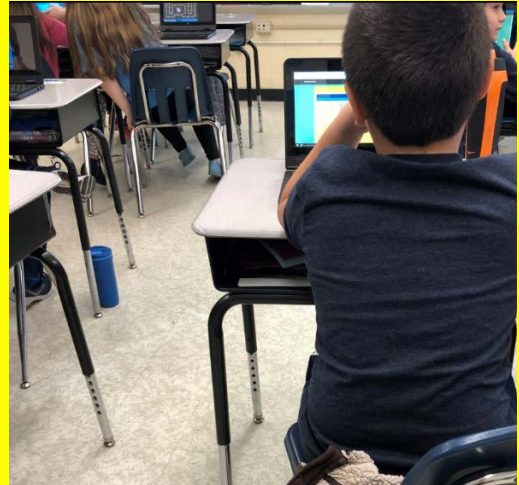## PebbleGo is NEW!

This database is for grades K through 2nd. It is a great tool for research with the younger students. Mrs. Mathiasen's students were using PebbleGo during library time.

TREP$ Marketplace!

The students at White Rock and Stanlick created some amazing posters for their creations!

Helpful Information!

Insert Learning
Check out the free Chrome extension that allows you to take any page on the Internet and turn it into a lesson. https://insertlearning.com/

Equipment & Software

Please remember to put in tech requests for laptops that are not working. Online testing is right around the corner, so let's be prepared.
Help Desk

Reminders to Teachers

Resources are located:
1. All Staff Drive Technology 2018-2019
2. http://www.jefftwp.org/domain/29

Highlights

- Mrs. Bruggeman's students are using Spelling City for review.

- Ms. Casey & Mrs. Guagenti's students are creating and printing using Tinkercad and the 3D printer.

Upcoming Events

Linkit! Form B
January 2nd to February 1st

Early Dismissal Days
January 8th and February 12th

Thank You!

Special thanks to the following teachers/Staff:

Teachers for participating in the Hour of Code.

Jefferson Township Staff for collecting gifts, food and money for those less fortunate!

Jefferson Ed Foundation and PTA for raising money to support our teachers.