



# CO-TEACHING, DEVELOPING LESSON PLANS, MENTORING STUDENTS DURING LUNCH...

## A daily occurrence for 5th grader, Zeke Boos!

Zeke chose to take on the planning and construction of a wax museum from one of our many educational enrichment programs. Planning lessons and using his lunch period to help his “students/classmates” were part of the expectations Zeke set for himself as one of the leaders of the wax museum project. Working with his teacher, Zeke followed a personalized lesson plan and developed research, teamwork, and leadership skills. He eventually became a “co-teacher/museum curator” of the project for the entire 5th grade class.

In addition to providing Zeke the ability to explore and grow in the museum project, the staff at EL-G encourages ALL middle school students to explore new growth opportunities in almost any field of academic interest. New programs also include Art Club (cartooning, advanced drawing, painting, ceramics, sculpting and photography), Food Science Club, Drama Club and a future Legos/Engineering Club.

Our middle schoolers, along with parents and teachers, plan and chart the progress of individual goals throughout the school year aided by our teacher-created assessment tools. As a result, we’re able to elevate our students’ responsibility for their own education.

If you’d like to learn more about how we personalize the educational experience to challenge all students, please contact either principal, Debbie Hammann or Jim Brown, to answer questions, schedule a personalized tour, or even to sit in on a class or two.

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