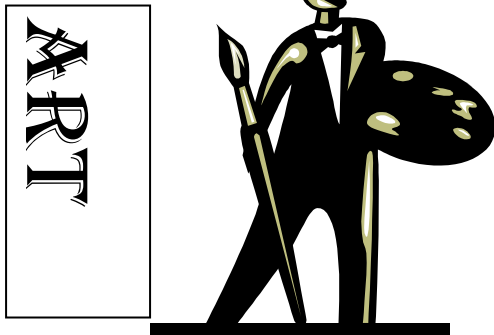


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By Itzel Gomez

The art teacher is funny to his students, only to his 6th grade kids. Like one of his students, he calls “the snake.” In class, this girl had a drawing, a picture and it looked like the one he made so he started to call her a copy-catter. Every drawing he tells her, he says, “don’t copy me!” in a good way. When I was walking down the hall I saw one of my friends walking in the hall way. The teacher saw her and called her “pioline.” I started to laugh. He is always making kids laugh.

Mr. Smith is also a challenger drawer. In class we started to make a project. It was to make your name into block letters and make it look like it is popping out. He makes things look hard but it is easy. He tells people to draw

things that look really really hard but when he explains it, it gets easy.

The last point is that Mr. Smith is an excellent drawer. He makes drawings look like it has life. It looks like he copied it but he didn’t. He concentrates on the work he does. He can almost draw anything with pens, crayons, colored pencils, and pencils.

So, you should sign up for art as an elective. You will get better in drawing and have a good time.

El Cementario

By Sulamith Gonzalez

The e.s.l group went to the graveyard beside the school. All the graves were white and had names and red roses. Some were bigger than others. And there’s a flag pole at the entrance of the graveyard. The flag waved around as the wind

blows. It was a flag half-mast. Then as we walked around we spotted a woman wearing white walking around. As we looked closer she wasn't walking—she was floating!!!! She also had long white hair. Then, she floated behind a long tombstone and disappeared into the air. The class screamed and ran back to the school.



AN INTERVIEW WITH COACH ROGERS

By Carla Velasquez

TODAY JANUARY 29 2009 I INTERVIEWED *coach* ROGERS WHILE HE WAS WITH HIS ISS CLASS! MY FIRST QUESTION WAS...

ARE YOU ALWAYS MEAN TO YOUR ISS GROUP?

I'M NOT MEAN ITS JUST NECESSARY FORCE ISS IS A DISCIPLINE {HE SAID MORE BUT I FORGOT THE OTHER WORD HE SAID}

HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU BEEN WORKING AS AN ISS

TEACHER?

15 YEARS {BUT COACH ROGERS DOESN'T LOOK THAT OLD}

IF YOUR KIDS DON'T LISTEN HOW DO YOU DEAL WITH THEM?

YOU JUST ADD MORE DAYS
'MY KIDS ALWAYS SET
GOALS FOR
THEMSELVES.

**DO YOU LIKE TO WORK AS
IN ISS TEACHER?**

LOVE IT, LOVE IT, IT GIVES
ME THE CHANCE TO WORK
WITH STUDENTS AND WITH
PARENTS.

**DO YOU LIKE TO HAVE THE
SAME KID OVER AND OVER
EVERY DAY?**

NO, BECAUSE THAT MEANS
THEY ARE NOT LEARNING

**DO YOU GET MAD WHEN
THE KIDS DON'T LISTEN?**

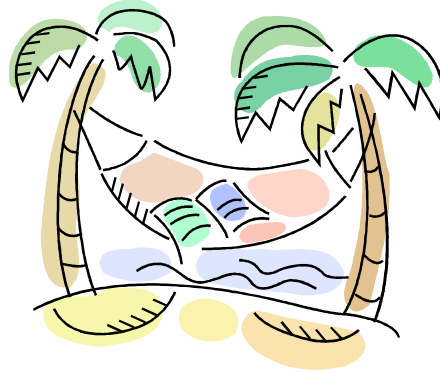
NO I NEVER GET MAD

**WHAT IS YOUR BEST PIECE
OF ADVICE FOR A KID WHO
ALWAYS GETS IN
TROUBLE?**

OBEY. TREAT SCHOOL LIKE
ITS YOUR JOB. YOUR
EDUCATION IS THE BEST
DAY OF YOUR LIFE.

SUMMARY!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

*IT WAS FUN INTERVIEWING
COACH ROGERS ITZEL
GOMEZ HAD TO READ THE
QUESTIONS TO COACH
ROGERS BECAUSE I WAS SO
NERVOUS.*



Beach Vacation Safety Tips

By Neydi Garcia

When the water is big.

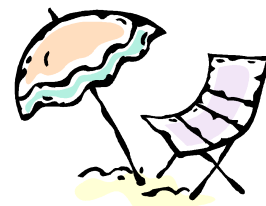
When you are in the water you
don't have to be in a long time
because sometimes the water is
so big. You should get the floating
things to put on your arms. You
want to be safe in the water.

Being in the sun.

You should bring an umbrella so
you do not get sun burned. If you
stay in the sun you get sun burned.
When you get sun burned you will
be in bed for a long time!

When you stay for a long time

The people go on the beach. They
go like at 1:00 and stay until 5:00
because they like the beach.
When they like the salt water and
the beach they stay for a long time.
This is fine as long as they are
careful.



RECYCLING

By Karen Basilio



WATER

In the Arctic the ice is melting much faster then they think.

Also in Asia there are mountains that are melting. In 12 year there was no water in those mountains either.

So don't play with the water at Lowe's Grove Middle School.

Animals



Animals need water and plants. Animals are like people too. If there were no animals we will die because we eat animals.

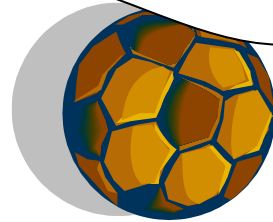
Some animals are in extinction and we need to save animals!

Paper

Paper is made of wood. If we finish all the trees and we will not have too much air to breathe. We want to be alive.

You can recycle newspaper and notebook; you can also use 2 sides of each paper.

Sports News



SOCCER

By Hugo Vargas

You want to find out how to play soccer? Then I'll show you have to play the game. First you have to know how to play the game well and if you want more help you have to find a coach to help you get better at this game. After you know how to play you can find a team.

How to be the greatest team.

You have to try very hard so you can go to the championship. You can only have 7 players in a team. Then you have to name your team.

What about the referee

There has to be a referee in order to win the game. If he holds up a yellow card it means that it is half time so the players have to take a break.

And if the referee does not know what he is doing he is one bad referee. If you want a good referee go to the championship league. The referee has to wear a black and white strip shirt.

How to make a goal!

First you have to make a good goal with the team. Then if you make a goal the crowd will go wild and they will scream. GOAL .



**Mexican Soccer (chivas)
By Emmanuel Mercado**

Hi my name is Emmanuel and I'm going to talk about Mexican soccer but not only about Mexican soccer I'm going to talk about the team with more cups and history in Mexico. Soccer in Mexico is very popular especially when Chivas is going to play a soccer game or when it plays with America. I'm going to start my report telling everything I know.

Chivas was born in 1906 by a group of only Mexican soccer players and start the biggest winner of Mexican soccer. Chivas started the league with the right foot winning 6 consecutive cups and some others international cups. Chivas had some very good soccer players but by the time they were

too old to play. So they have to do something. They buy some players and make a university so they could not buy player's and waste waist money. They have all the young player's with future Chivas continued playing with Mexican players.

The second best player of Chivas is Omar Bravo which made 101 goals and is now playing with a Spanish team. The best of the history is Chava Reyes with 129 goals. On the present Chivas have 11 league cups and the most recently was on the December 2006. Chivas always play with Mexican players and always represent Mexico.

EDITORIAL BOX

We are Itzel, Neydi, Carla, and Sulamith. We believe that students should be able to use electronics in school.

First, it might be an emergency. A house might be on fire. Maybe somebody dies. Maybe there is a robber in school or you might forget your medicine of asthma.

You can also use electronics to help you learn. You can ask questions on the internet. You can go to Ask.com and look for information. Last, you can use electronics to keep in touch with friends. Like

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maybe you can talk to them on the bus. Or if a friend is sick they can call you.

Electronics are useful. Students could use electronics in positive ways in school.



We are Emmanuel & Hugo & Karen and we are going to talk about electronics in school. Yes, we should have electronics in school.

You can use electronics to communicate with family. If we get in an accident we can call our parents or like if we forget your medicines and you have P.E you will have to call your parents. If you walk to your house and you get lost you can call your parents or the police. What happens if you forgot your uniform for cheerleaders and the school phone is not working or you are far far away and the game is going to start?

Electronics are fun! You can call your friends on the bus. You can take videos of your friends doing crazy things.

You can also use electronics for school projects. You can take notes for projects, you can take videos for projects and you can call your mom for good grades.

Kids should have electronics at school for emergencies, for school projects and for fun.