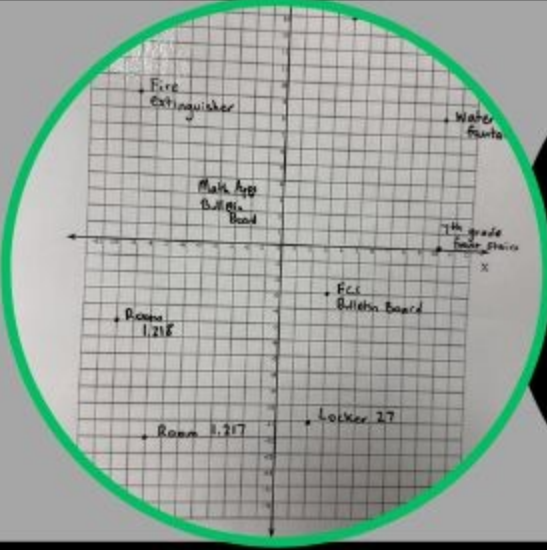




Students have learned about the different stages, or phases, of cell division. This week, students were able to participate in an Oreo mitosis lab in which they had to demonstrate those different phases. They created the interphase, prophase, metaphase, anaphase, telophase and cytokinesis phase using the Oreos and sprinkles. The details of each phase were really impressive! Of course, the best part was being able to eat the cookies after the lab was over!

GEOGRAPHY BEE

Mr. NeSmith has worked incredibly hard to put together a school geography bee! He has spent hours creating appropriate and fair questions, planning, and providing information to the rest of the social studies department. On Friday, the class winners were able to participate in the next round: the school wide geo bee. The bee was a success, and we look forward to seeing how it unfolds for years to come! Thank you, Mr. NeSmith! After a nail-biting tiebreaker round, Madi Fischer is the Geo Bee winner with Zyon Reid coming in second! Congratulations!



MATH APPS

Ms. Sessions and Mrs. Love's classes are all participating in a scavenger hunt. Each grade level was able to enjoy the hunt by working on math standards that are particular to their math content. In 6th grade, for example, the students are working on plotting points. After they have gotten their work checked, they then go on to the next piece of their scavenger hunt. They knew where to go by looking at the graph to see which plots correlated with the next part of the hunt. What a fun & engaging way to get the kids up and moving. They were really moving to be the first one done!

FFA

Bear Creek Middle School, Russell Middle School, and Winder-Barrow High School FFA chapters kicked off National FFA Week at the state capitol! Students ate lunch and conversed with several of our legislators including Representative Houston Gaines, Representative Hold Persinger, and Agriculture Commissioner, Tyler Harper. Afterwards, they were able to watch some of the session in the gallery and then tour the Department of Agriculture! Our president, Grace Skinner, did such an awesome job representing BCMS FFA!

