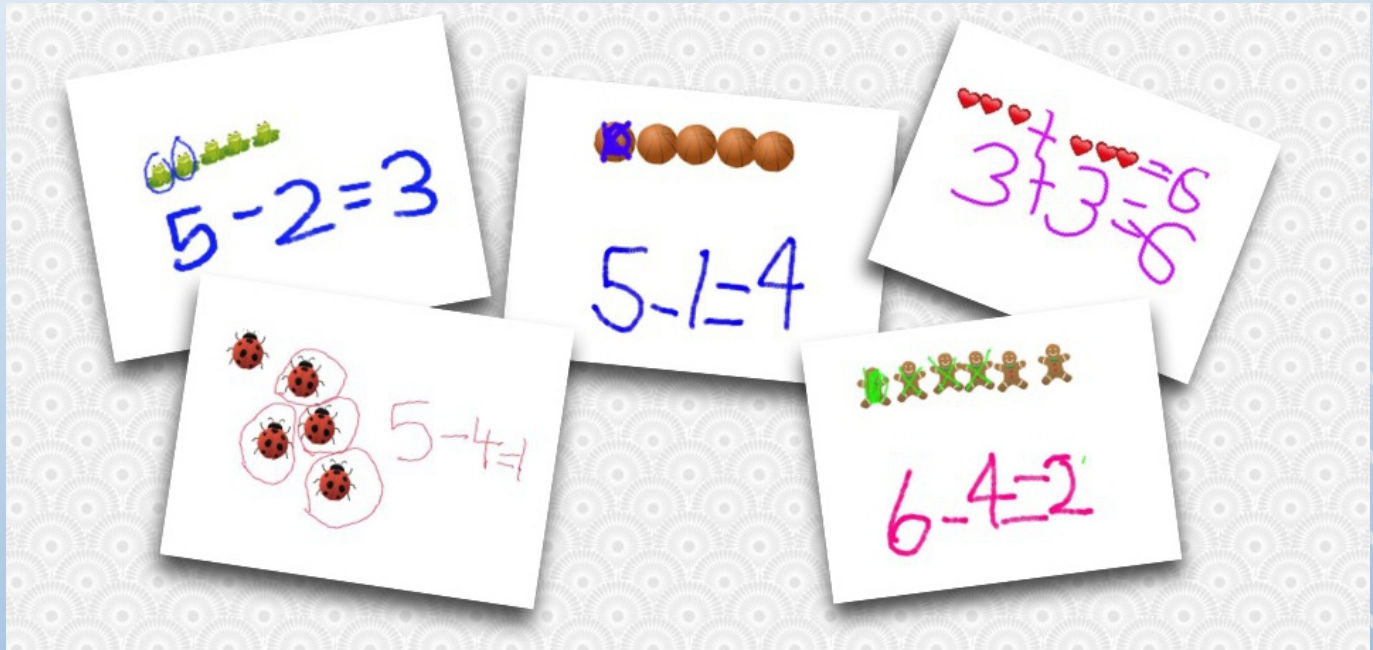


CISD Students Using Technology!

First graders using Doodle Buddy

Students at Armstrong Elementary had a chance to use an iPad app called Doodle Buddy. Using the paint and stamp tools, they demonstrated their knowledge of addition and subtraction facts. Check out their work below!



Sample picture created using the PicWall app



A Kindergartner's story with ScreenChomp

Kindergarten is an exciting age group, and introducing technology to kindergarteners can be both rewarding and enriching. Mrs. Swift's kindergarten class at Milam Elementary is one such example. Kindergarteners drew a picture representing something important to them. Then using a iPad app called Screenchomp, they took a picture of their drawing and recorded a story describing it. Mrs. Swift recounts one of her new student's experience. "As a new arrival, I think school is a bit overwhelming for him. He rarely talks to anyone and could not tell me his name, colors or numbers in spanish or english. He followed instructions and recorded 'Hay un raton.'" When Mrs. Swift played back his Screenchomp, she was pleasantly surprised. "I told him what a great story he did. He is since talking more, and attempting to write...this was a jump forward for this young student." Mrs. Swift and her young student are experiencing the benefits of using instructional technology as a differentiated opportunity for learning. "We can't wait to see what's next!"

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