

WAVES Words



Driving Question:

How can we, as storytellers, learn about ourselves and others?

Content Summary:

Students will explore different forms of storytelling by being exposed to a variety of experts; visual storytellers in the arts, digital storytelling, and written stories. Using their discoveries, they will create a story that represents them, which will be showcased at a storytelling event for fellow Kinetic Students called Tales from Third Grade. Next, students will expand their lens to the greater school community, and work in groups to research and create stories that represent our Kinetic School community. These works will be presented in a community-wide storytelling event called WAVES Words: Stories from Kinetic Academy.

Standards:

W.3.8 Research to Build and Present Knowledge-Recall information from experience

RL.3.9 Compare and Contrast Themes

RL.3.6 Distinguish their own point of view from that of the author of a text.

SL.3.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 3 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.

SL.3.3 Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate elaboration and detail.

SL.3.5 Create engaging audio recordings of stories or poems that demonstrate fluid reading at an understandable pace; add visual displays when appropriate to emphasize or enhance certain facts or details.