

# Technology Tidbits

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## Computer Lab Happenings

Wow! We have had a great 2009 in the computer lab. Each grade level has been working on projects and finishing them before the school year ends in a few short weeks. Here is what they have accomplished.

**5th grade** created a PowerPoint presentation on animal cells and another one on famous people in Social Studies. They also continue to practice their typing skills and practice for the CRCT. They are also working on a presentation about The Great Depression or WWII in Photostory.

**4th grade** created a PowerPoint presentation and Excel graph on the results of the Student Council fundraiser, Pennies in a Jar. They also created a poster on the American Revolution and practiced for the CRCT. They are finishing up Photostory slideshows on the Westward Expansion of the United States.

**3rd grade** created a PowerPoint presentation on Georgia Animals. They have also created a graph using Graph Club, practiced their typing skills and practiced for the CRCT. They created a Publisher poster on an American hero, researched the Underground Railroad, practiced their math facts and used the Brain Pop website to view short videos on Helen Keller, The Great Depression and the New Deal.

**2nd grade** practiced their typing skills, used the Brain Pop website to view short videos on energy sources, light and heat, MLK Jr. and Civil Rights, simple machines and fractions. They continued to practice their typing skills and math facts. They are completing a PowerPoint accordion book on the Georgia symbols.

The 8th Annual Fulton County Technology Competition was held on Saturday, January 31, 2009 at Westlake High School in South Fulton County. We had two students participate this year and they were third graders L. Levitt and S. Kuppusamy. They did a great job of representing Wilson Creek ES.



### Technology Is In The Air!

Location: Westlake High School  
Registration: December 8, 2008 - January 16, 2009  
Technology Competition: January 31, 2009  
Snow Date: February 7, 2009  
Contact School's Technology Competition Liaison:  
[www.fultonschools.org/division/techfair](http://www.fultonschools.org/division/techfair)

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**1st grade** used Brain Pop to view short videos on George Washington Carver, Harriet Tubman, place value and teeth. They practiced their math and money skills. They created a Publisher poster on a famous historian and used Kidspiration to create a replica of the water cycle. In Kid Pix, they drew a picture of the changes in water.

**Kindergarten** used Kidspiration to create pushes and pulls and in Kid Pix, they stamped a math sentence, created a wants and needs picture and drew a calendar. They also practiced their math facts in Carnival Countdown and language art skills using the Starfall website.