



Principal's Desk



Big Apple Academy

We are thrilled to announce our new *Foundations of Research Program* that aims to enhance research skills among our students in grades seven and eight. The Chairperson of the English Department, Dina Kuzminer, will spearhead this initiative and guide our students through this enhancing experience.

The program will consist of a series of workshops focused on introducing crucial research steps. Students will be able to identify compelling research topics and gather information from a wide range of credible sources, ensuring they cultivate the skills necessary to distinguish between credible and biased information.

At the end of the program, students will have the opportunity to showcase their newfound abilities by undertaking the Research Practicum Project that will take place in January. The practical aspect of the program will not only deepen their understanding of research, but also foster a sense of accomplishment.

All outstanding Research Projects will be acknowledged and celebrated during the English Department Award Ceremony, which will take place in June. As we progress with the program, we sincerely hope our students will embrace this opportunity to hone their skills and discover the art of scholarly inquiry.

We are looking forward to celebrating our students' success!

With respect,
Vlad Gorny
Principal

