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Literary Harvests at your library have included...

...the enjoyment experienced by approximately one hundred students that attended Reading Roundtable (Teen Read Week) during the week of October 15th - 19th at Texas High School Library. Their enthusiasm and appreciation for the literary presentations were evident as students and teachers laughed together. They provided positive feedback on the presenters' skills. The national theme for Teen Read Week was LOL @ your Library®.



On Monday, **Mr. Littman** read "The Notorious Jumping Frog of Calaveras County" by Mark Twain.



On Tuesday, **Mrs. Robinson** and **Andrea Butler** read pieces that showed off their theatrical talents.



Wednesday gave us the storytelling skills of **Mrs. Click**. Her presentation involved the whole audience in telling a story, as listeners had to call out rhyming words to complete sentences and ideas in the story.



Thursday brought back **Mrs. Robinson's** drama students. They read a play for the audience, and oh, what a laugh they gave us!



On Friday, **Mrs. Armstrong's** sign language students **Xani Smith** and **Christi Chaplin**, both 11th graders, took hold of our thoughts and sparked awareness of how communication can be delivered at numerous levels. The audience watched Xani sign a story, as Ms. Armstrong translated it. Then, the audience listened to Christi read a story, as Mrs. Armstrong signed it. Their skills showed us how literary appreciation can be conveyed to audiences that do not have the ability to hear. This section also illustrated the importance of learning and knowing how to use sign language.

In addition, the English class of Mrs. Karol Williams read a skit on Friday. Every presenter did an excellent job.

Thanks to all who attended and participated in this event.

~Mrs. Austin
