

NEWS RELEASE

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Mariemont City Schools

COSI Weather Experience Blows into Terrace Park Elementary



On November 6, the gymnasium at Terrace Park Elementary was transformed into a weather laboratory as the COSI On Wheels science outreach program, “Current Conditions” rolled in. Terrace Park and Fairfax students explored the complexities of various types of weather conditions.

With hands-on activities including Wind Tubes, Canister Cloud and the Extreme Weather Challenge, elementary students experienced the dynamics of the elements. COSI’s “meteorologist-in training” and parent volunteers manned experiment stations throughout the gym helping students gain a better understanding of the science of weather.

Photos:

COSI1: Fairfax Elementary 3rd grader McKenzie Gampfer examines the effects of an updraft during the COSI science program at Terrace Park Elementary.

COSI2: Fairfax Elementary 4th grade student Tyler Reynolds learns the power of air pressure “first hand” as classmates Lindsay Kaminer, Nathalie Therrien, Kasey Jones and Kyle Mason look on.
COSI3 – Terrace Park Elementary 4th graders Emily Bush and Lily Toman use the force of bellows to show how air pressure can cause wind.

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