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Special Interest Groups

SIGs Expand YMWIC Programming

YMWIC is proud to offer Saturday activities for our Scholars throughout the academic year, providing enriching experiences that foster both personal and academic growth. On Saturday, October 5th, we kicked off the first SIGS (Special Interest Group Sessions) of the year, where our Scholars participated in both the **Jazz Ensemble** and **Choir**, under the expert guidance of Mr. Thomas.

The Jazz Ensemble Scholars hit the ground running by starting to learn the iconic song "**Lean on Me.**" Through teamwork and dedication, they began understanding the complexities of the piece, mastering both their instruments and the harmonies involved. Meanwhile, our Choir members focused on refining their vocal techniques by diving into the lyrics and music. Under Mr. Thomas' direction, they worked on breathing techniques, rhythmic precision, and developing the ability to listen to one another for improved vocal cohesion.

This session not only sharpened the Scholars' musical talents but also provided a wonderful opportunity to build connections with their peers from other YMWIC chapters. It was an exciting start to the SIGS Program, setting the tone for a year filled with collaboration, creativity, and camaraderie among our Scholars.

We look forward to the continued success of these sessions as they contribute to both the musical and personal development of our young leaders while supporting YMWIC programming addressing the Arts in STEAM.

