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Baltimore Screen Painting Artist Visits Grace Episcopal Day School

John Iampieri, a screen painting artist based in Baltimore worked with the fourth graders at Grace Episcopal Day School recently. Screen painting, as an art form, began in the early 1900's on Baltimore's east side. The screen printing lesson was coordinated with the fourth graders' study of the Chesapeake Bay. Students submitted their own drawings of animals found in the Chesapeake Bay region and Iampieri transferred the images to a screen. He then instructed the students in the methods of screen painting, and they painted in their animals. The beautiful fourth grade screen will be available for bid at the Grace Episcopal Day School 2011 PTO auction on Saturday, February 12th, 2011 at the Kensington Armory. For more information, please contact Barbara Wille at 301-585-3513 x 22 or at bwille@geds.org.



Grace Episcopal Day School opened its doors for its 51st year of compassion, inspiration and learning in September, and can be found on the web at www.geds.org. Students in our 3rd's through 8th grade classes are served on two campuses in Silver Spring and Kensington. The Grace community is dynamic, inclusive and dedicated to the school's mission of providing a nurturing educational environment which promotes academic excellence and dedication to service. For more information on Grace and to receive admission materials, please contact our offices at 301-585-3513 x 19.