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I am working on a specific project right now; all of my daily efforts will be spent organizing the education room until it is complete.

More time is spent with paper resources and items that can be assembled in binders and file folders. Making notes on "rock collection" fossil items and repurposing fisheries resources. Certain fisheries pamphlets can be given away by the front desk or in displays. There are also additional supplies that could be re-used in special lessons or given away for specific events. This includes rock kits, fossil kits, fisheries coloring books, magazines, and fossil/rock coloring books.

I have been removing items and resources from cardboard boxes and replacing them with clear plastic totes. In the following week, I will purchase additional bins of varying sizes.

The science kits that Johnathan and I use are in one area set aside but will need to be organized further. I cleaned up old pre-made kits into clean boxes (these get new totes when available).

I have been testing certain supplies like markers, glue sticks, tapes, and paints. I am disposing of anything that cannot be used anymore. Doris came by to assist collection volunteers and said that she wanted to help test some of our markers. She will be bringing back the ones that work well.

I have cleared out all of the drawers in the back of the classroom. All of the items from the drawers are checked for usability, quality, and safety, and I dispose of anything that doesn't suit our needs. We often do not use our painting supplies often due to time constraints, so I have been spending time condensing our materials into only useable items. Most acrylic paints are dried out and the watercolors need to be tested. We have significantly more water dish/recycled Tupperware than we need to store so I only set aside the clean ones for multipurpose usage.

On Tuesday, Tina from the library called in reference to the "Poetry Walk" email I was tagged on. She was interested in mapping out where signs could go, and I talked to Matt about possibilities. He placed a call with MISSDIG to mark our front lawn before. On Wednesday, Tina said that she would come back the following week to map out the placement and then send another person to place the posts.

I worked with Johnathan to refresh my knowledge of running the planetarium to cover when he is off. I will be covering the planetarium Friday August 14th.

I am also continuing to write and post Facebook weekly, sometime a couple times a week.