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Hopatcong, NJ - Hudson Maxim School Spring Planting

Cynthia Randina, Hopatcong Superintendent of Schools, Announces –

Friday was a beautiful day at Hudson Maxim School in Hopatcong! Every child in the school got to be a gardener and plant flowers as part of the school beautification day. The wonderful part of this grant is the cooperation between parent volunteers; Nester's Nursery, a local greenhouse; teachers and students. A wide variety of flowering perennials were planted around the school. This gives a great sense of pride to the students to be able to watch a flower grow and think "I planted that." Prior to the planting teachers in the pre-k-1st grade school teach about the parts of the plants and what their needs are to grow. Twice a year a Pride grant is written by Mrs. Judy Grogan, a first grade teacher, through the Hopatcong Education Association in conjunction with the New Jersey Education Association.

