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## **Dichotomous training**

Students in Patricia Walden's 5th grade classes at MIS were taught dichotomous keys for identifying animals by their traits with the help of Karen Chasseareau's high school biology students. Walden and Chasseareau are both lead PRISM teachers in the county and decided to team up and teach a lesson. MHS students created a dichotomous key game for 5th grade students to learn how to classify animals, and they actually taught the lesson. It was exciting to see both groups of kids learning and interacting with one another. This is a prime example of how PRISM is working in the county to help further the skills of students in math and science.