Environmental Education Scholarship

School 2 teacher, Nakeia Wimberley and Science Supervisor Sarah Stirling Laldee have received a joint teacher/administrator scholarship to attend the North American Association of Environmental Educators conference in Puerto Rico this October 17th through 21st. Following a rigorous interview process that delved into her knowledge on environmental education, along with an accounting of the support she has received from her supervisor (Ms. Laldee), Nakeia was the only teacher selected nationwide for this particular scholarship bestowed by Columbia Sportswear!

While there, the two will attend various seminars, in-the-field activities, network with like-minded environmentally conscious educators, and generally be immersed in activities that can be turn-keyed here at the school district. During environmental education activities at the Great Falls National Park, NorthJersey.com produced a feature video on the two ladies that you can watch by clicking here.

Budding Engineers at AHA

Ms. Elsayed's 4th grade students at the Alexander Hamilton Academy (AHA) are embarking on a new adventure through the lens of engineers and inventors! This exciting Science unit is entitled: "Engineering and Design." As students are learning more about what it takes to become an engineer, they are realizing that many engineers are also inventors. Take a look at AHA's hard working engineers and inventors as they build their own balloon powered cars!

The J.P. Morgan Chase Corporation has chosen to sponsor the Urban Leadership Academy as part of its Adopt a School program. J.P. Morgan Chase will provide the school annually with a stipend of much needed school supplies.

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