Lauderhill 6-12 Students at National Youth Leadership Mission in Washington, D.C.

We are pleased to inform you that the following three Lauderhill 6-12 students are representing Broward County and The State of Florida as delegates for the Anti-Defamation League's Grosfeld Family National Youth Leadership Mission (NYLM) in Washington D.C. for the 2018-2019 school year:

Richana Drummond Thierry Gelin Kaynisha Williams

These 11th grade students will be in Washington D.C. from Sunday, November 11th through Wednesday, November 14th. Lauderhill 6-12 is the <u>only</u> school with three out of thirteen student delegates from Broward County! High School Counselor, Mr. Frazier, was instrumental in the application process and guiding the students throughout to meet all the requirements.

Founded in 1913, the Anti-Defamation League (ADL) is the world's leading organization fighting anti-Semitism and other forms of discrimination through programs and services that counteract hatred, prejudice and bigotry. As a means of addressing and moving beyond some of the tensions among America's diverse racial, religious and ethnic communities, ADL developed the Youth Mission in 1998. This year's conference will consist of student delegates from eight ADL regions – Albany, Atlanta, Denver, Florida, Los Angeles, New Orleans, New York and Santa Barbara.

The centerpiece of the Mission will be a visit to the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum. In addition to dramatically portraying the events of the period, the Museum will provide a backdrop for exploring issues of bigotry and extremism in America today. Students will examine historical and modern-day examples of moral courage in hopes of motivating them to fight prejudice and bias in their own schools and communities. Students will visit with prominent national leaders and activists who will further address specific ways they can work to promote pluralism and equality in their communities.

We are pleased that these students will be representing Lauderhill 6-12, Broward County Public Schools and the Florida region in D.C., where they will have the opportunity to visit the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum with delegates from around the country.







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