

Walk away more informed, empowered, and inspired to advance educational equity for all students in SA

“There is nothing more difficult to take in hand, more perilous to conduct, or more uncertain in its success, than to take the lead in the introduction of a new order of things. ” — Niccolo Machiavelli



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"The fruit of LOVE is SERVICE. The fruit of SERVICE is PEACE."
Mother Teresa

Today's Goal and My Role

Goal:

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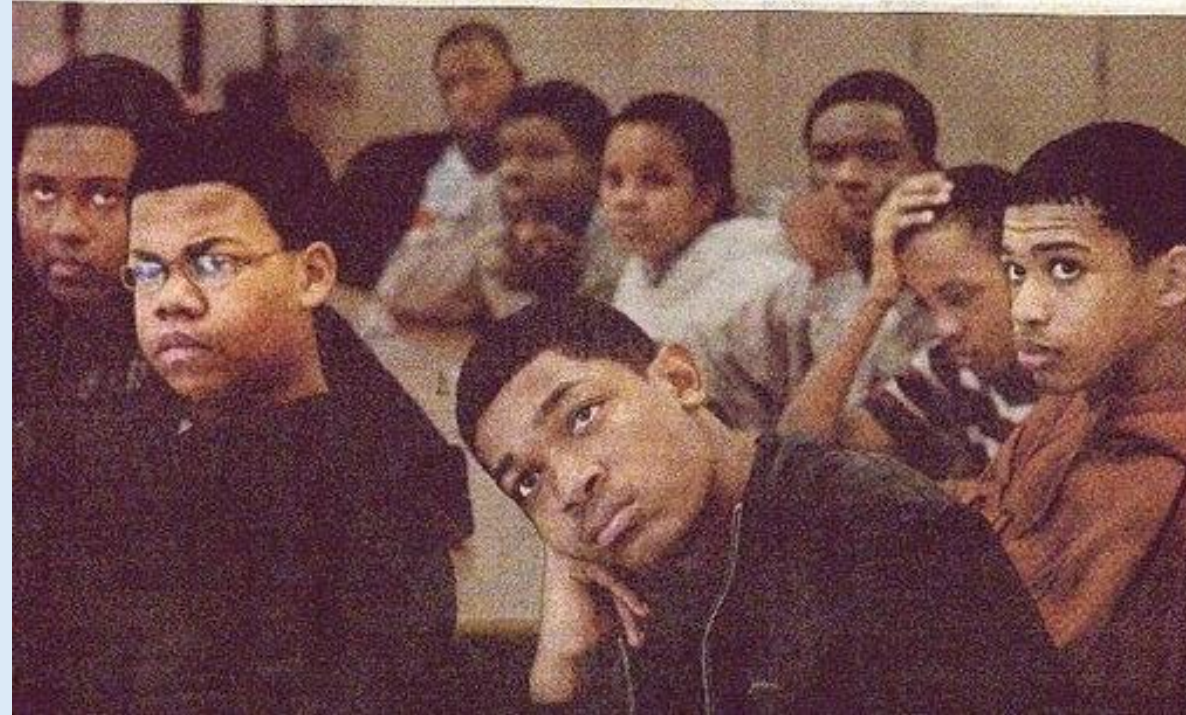
My Role:

Share Kindness gifts and embrace the Kindness gifts others have to share



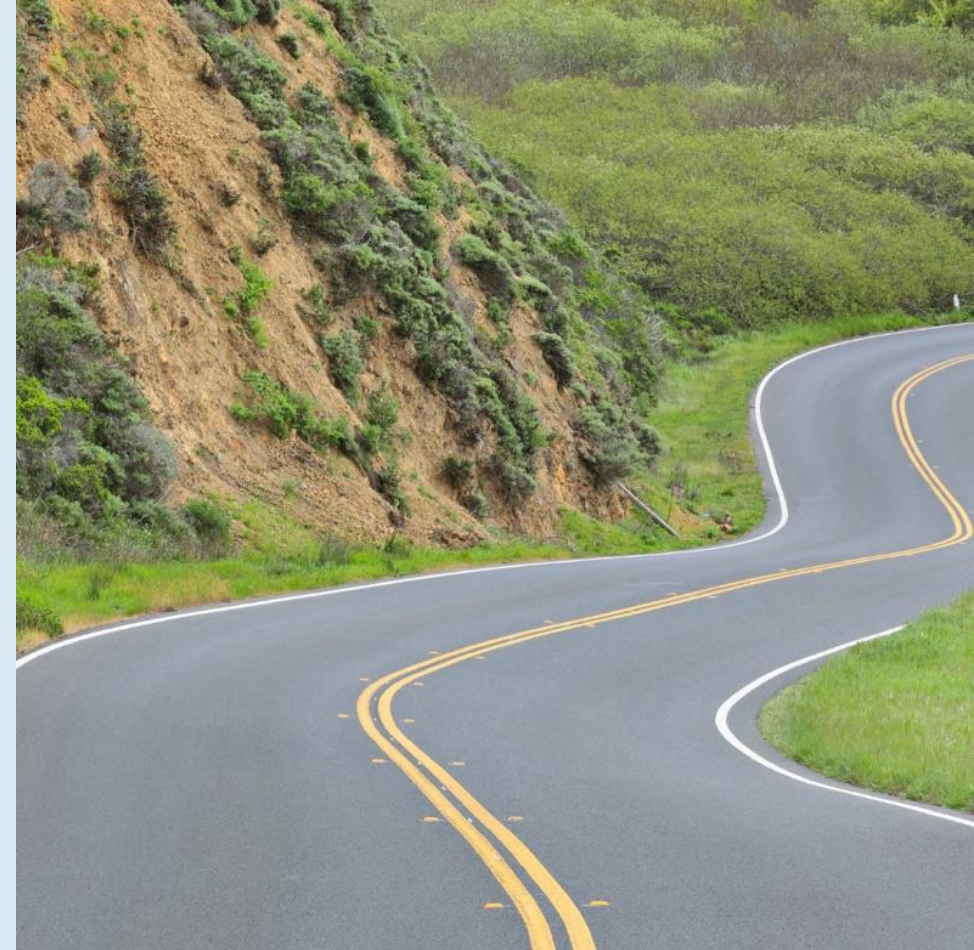
Agenda

- Thoughts about your journey so far
- My Why
- Award-Winning Strategy
- What We Are Doing:
 - Kindness,
 - Academic Excellence,
 - Quantum Computing
- Collaboration with Others
- Collaboration with Leadership SAISD Fellows



Your Leadership SAISD Journey So Far

- Personal Leadership Development
- Community Building
- History Of Ed Landscape In SA
(Mexican American and African American Perspectives)
- Current State Of SAISD
- School Finance



Comments About The Journey

Personal Leadership development: “You don’t need permission to lead!”

Passion Purpose Perseverance

Tireless Work – Community Volunteer – Role Model – Tomorrow’s Leaders

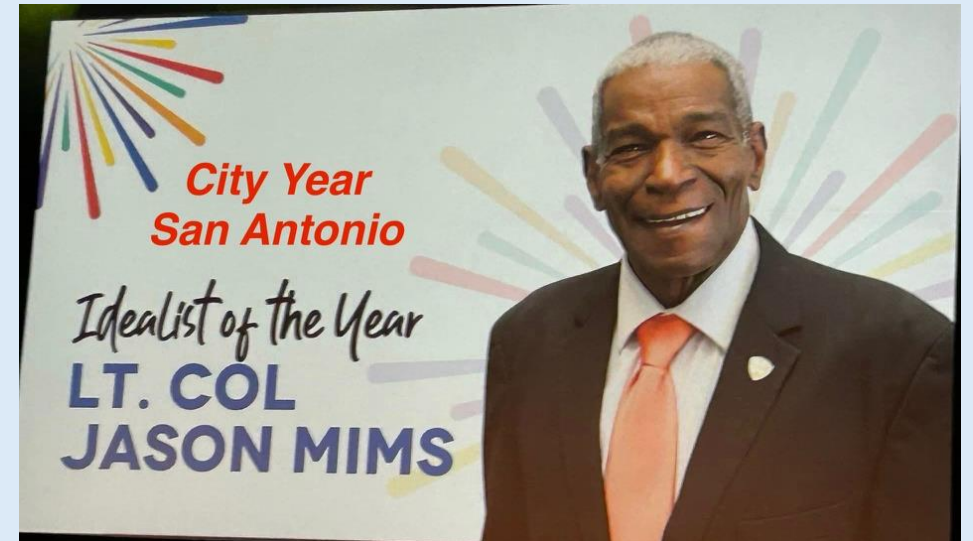
Screw up; beat self up; get back in the race! “Fall down seven times, get up eight!” Japanese Proverb

Community Building

Asset-based Community Development model, Northwestern University

Acknowledge, Affirm, Activate the gifts of those individuals and small groups with gifts

“The essential difference between you and others is that you see our children as ASSETS to be developed not LIABILITIES to be cared for.” Clem Miller



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“When you control a man’s thinking, you do not have to worry about his actions. He will find his “proper place” and will stay in it. You do not need to send him to the back door. He will go without being told. In fact, if there is no back door, he will protest until one is made for his use. His education demands it.”

–Dr. Carter G. Woodson; The Miseducation of the Negro.



My Why

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Motivate Individual Minority Students

To prepare for and apply to America's Best Colleges



"All who have meditated on the art of governing mankind have been convinced that the fate of empires depends on the education of youth."
- Aristotle



Texas State Board of Education 2002 Hero For Children

An Award-Winning Strategy in Support of the Starfish

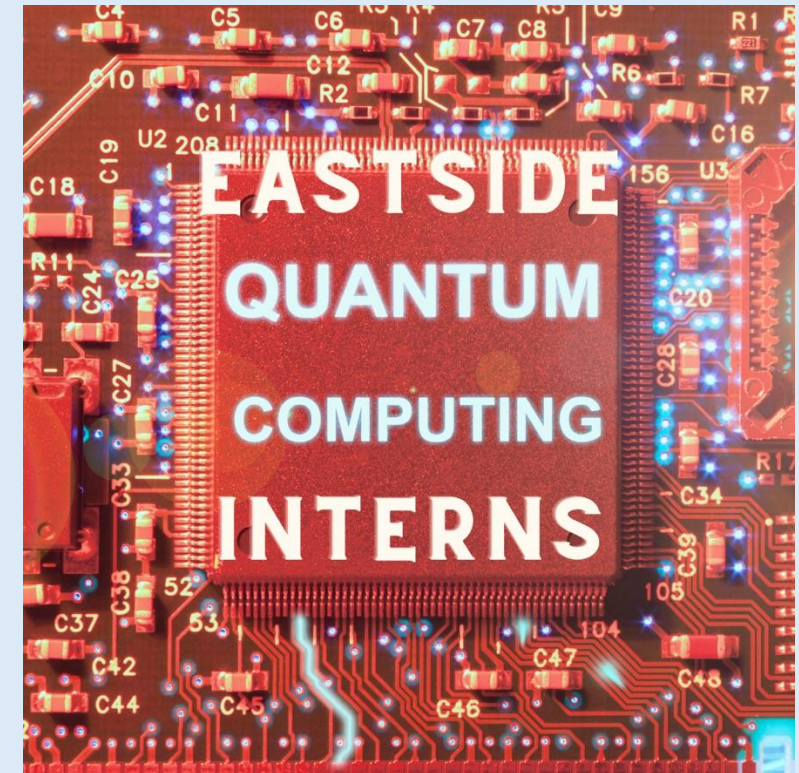
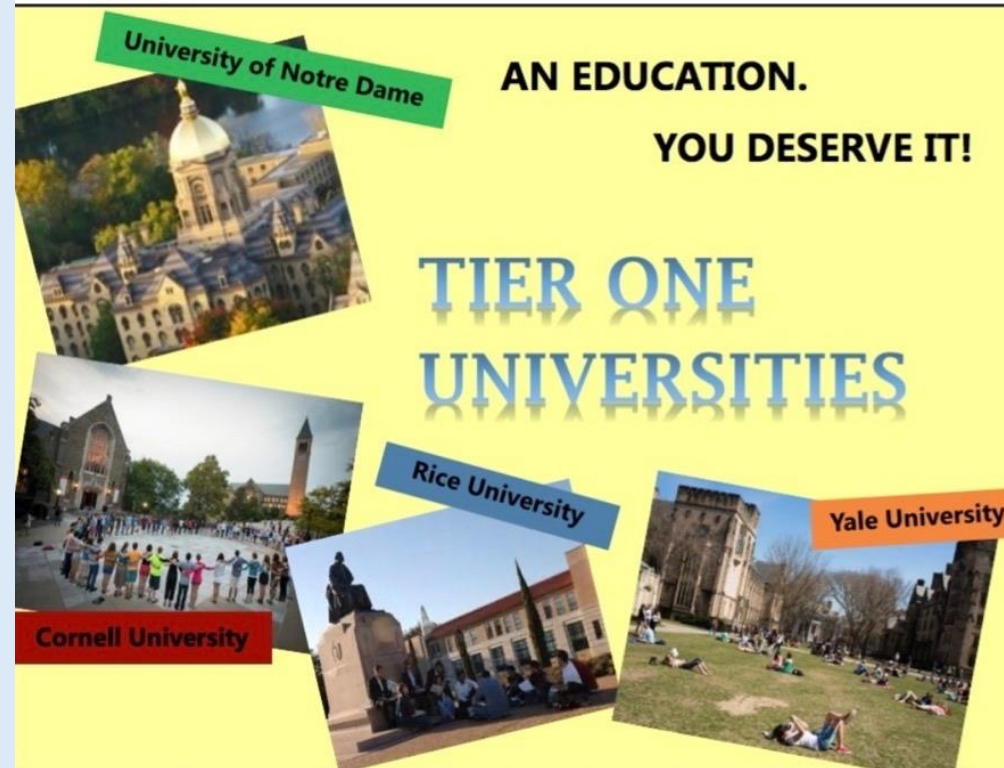
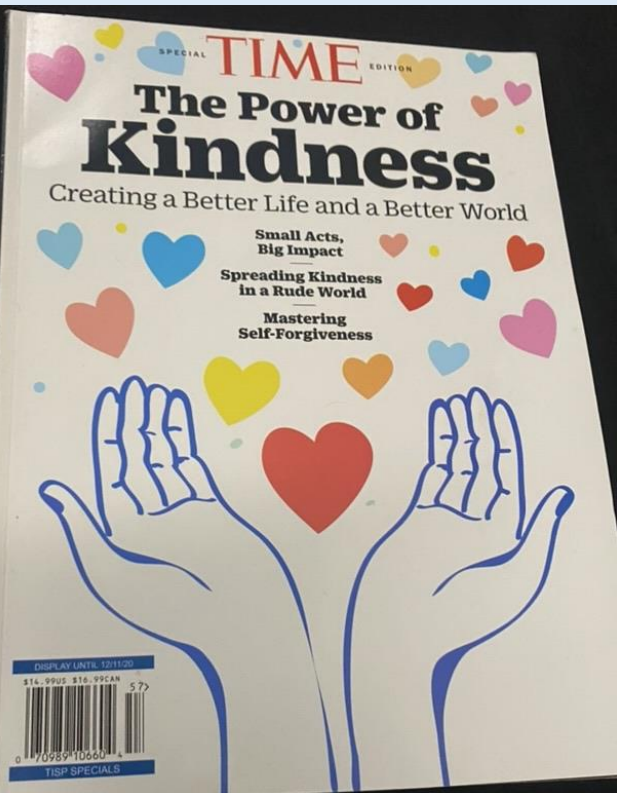


- Gather Information
- Share Information
- Connect to local/national resources
- Build Community Capacity

An Award-Winning “Gather—Share—Connect—Build”

Strategy in Support of the Starfish

What We Are Doing





The Power of Kindness

“Three things in Human Life Are important; The first is to be kind. The second is to be kind. The third is to be kind.”
~Mother Teresa



America's Best Colleges

**Export Eastside Kindness to America's
Best Colleges**

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Notre Dame

Middlebury College

University of San Diego

US Military Academy at West Point

US Air Force Academy

Cornell University

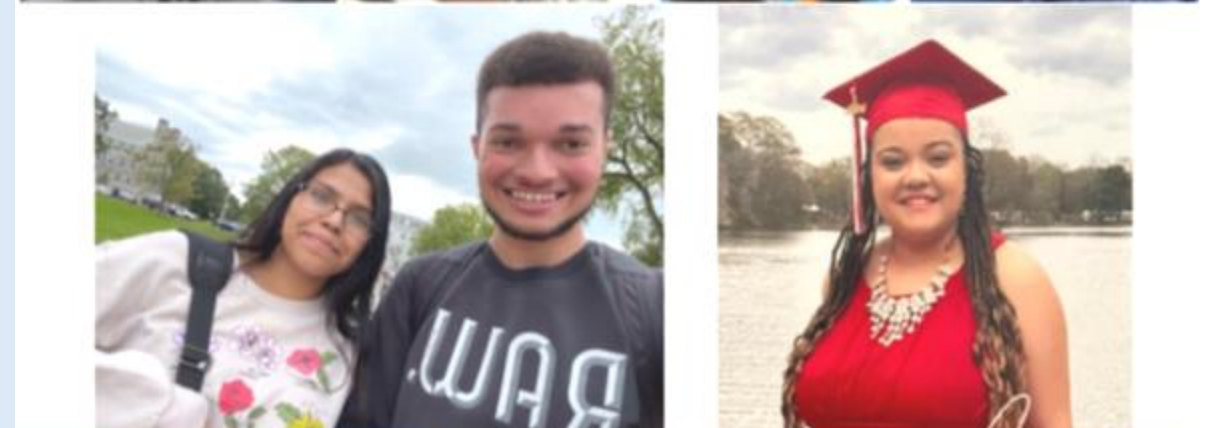
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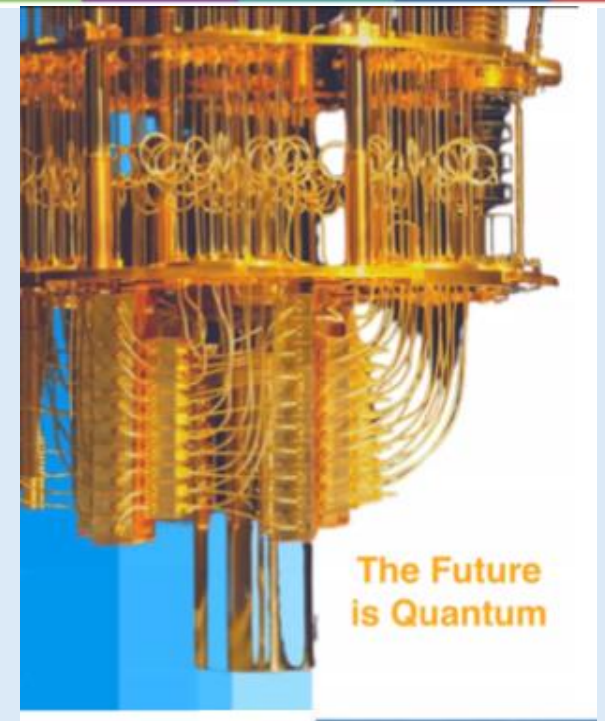
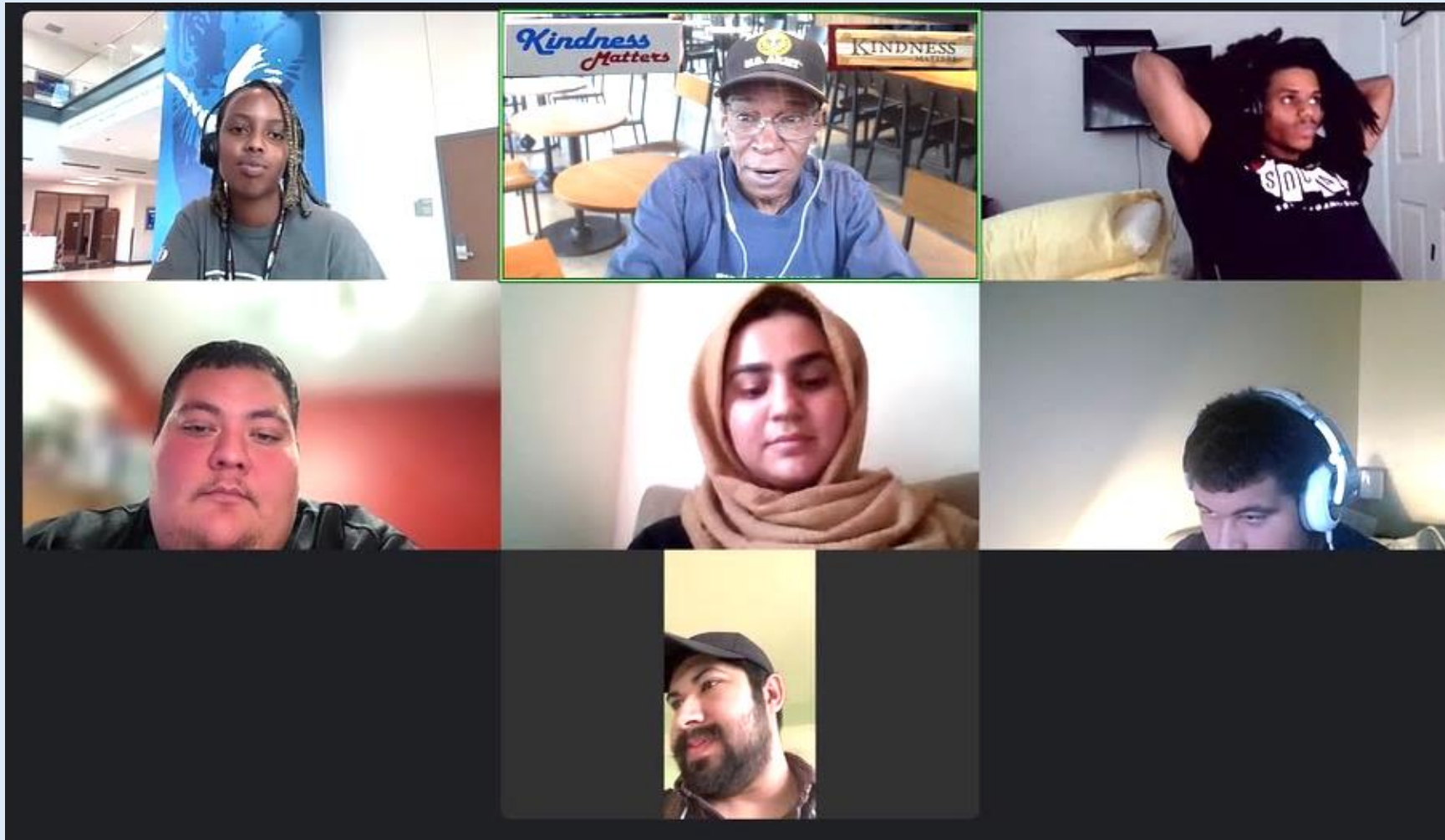
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Yale University

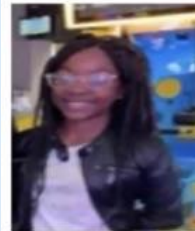


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Ask Me About Quantum Computing



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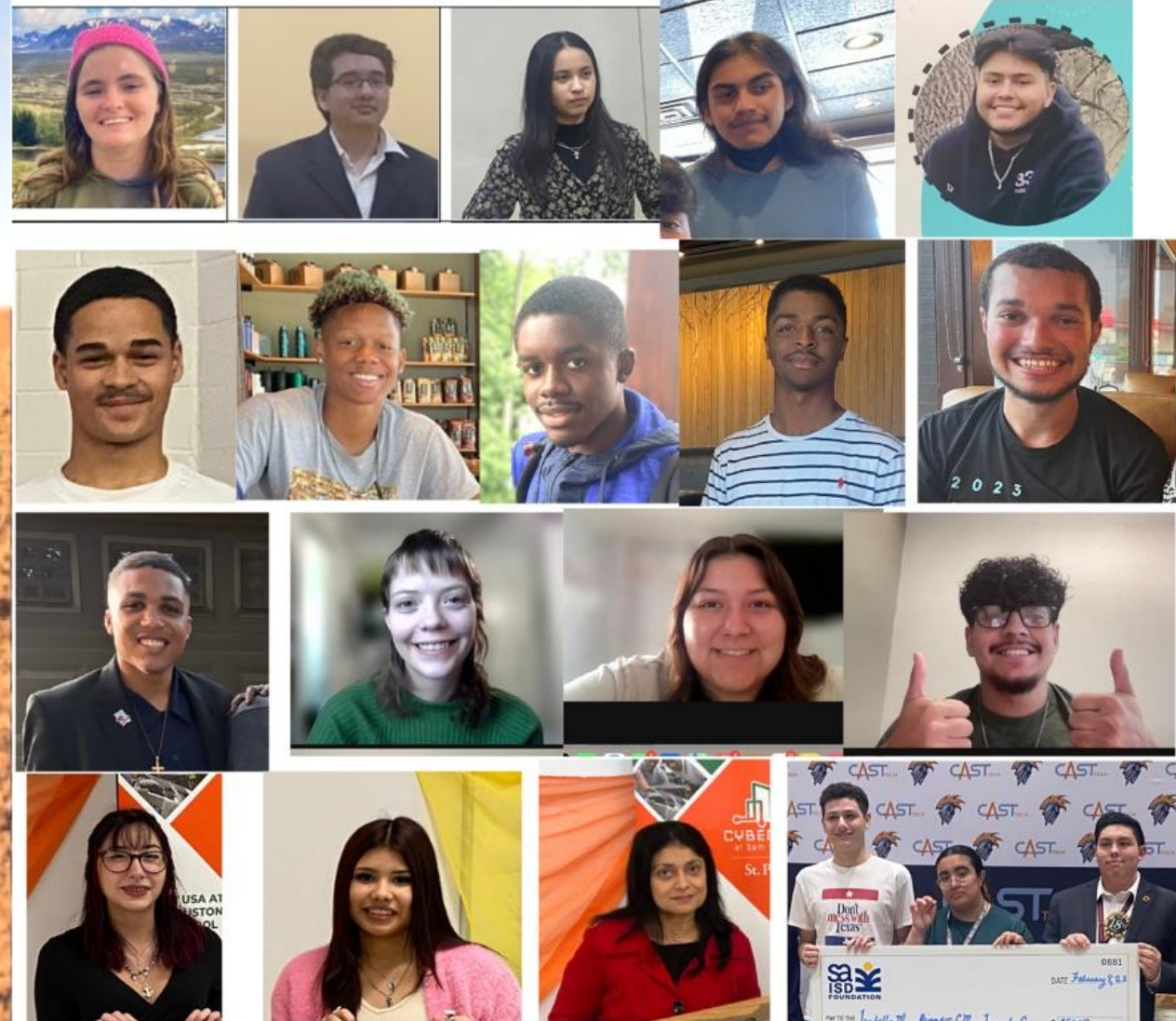


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The Coding School “Coveted” Certificates of Completion



Questions For Sharing

- What are you passionate about?
- Where can you / are you sharing your Kindness gifts?
- How are the children doing?
- Please share a “Lesson Learned” with us!



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