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Highlights from the Wells Fargo Team serving at Judson B. Walker Middle School





JOYS

- The Walker team had a great start to the school year - we are adapting daily to our blended classrooms and continuing to build strong relationships with our students
- Social distancing didn't prevent us from celebrating Hispanic Heritage month – our team used Instagram to share pieces of Hispanic history and culture with our students
- Our team had a blast creating bulletin boards filled with vocabulary for each grade level's core subjects that are featured around the school campus



STARFISH STORY – A STORY OF STUDENT IMPACT

BY ALEXIS ROLDAN



My student Maurice* is a student in my 8th grade math class. He had a challenging start to the school year and it was clear that he was struggling to understand the lessons. He missed a whole week in the beginning of the quarter and didn't have the foundations needed to understand the material. After working with him one-on-one, we were able to catch up on all

material missed and establish a solid understanding of the work. Now, he talks about how the class is getting easier. He is always the first one to class, eager to learn and try hard! I see such potential in Maurice and can't wait to see how much he grows! ***=Student Pseudonym**



AMERICORPS MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Joendie Bonilla is a proud member of the Walker Middle School Team. She was born in New York, and raised in Orlando, FL. She serves with City Year because she wants to cultivate a safe space for students to allow them to thrive and reach their potential. Joendie has worked hard to build positive relationships with her students and the amazing staff here at Walker. She has a positive energy and exudes kindness to those around her. After City Year, Joendie hopes to attend college to pursue a degree in Educational Psychology to become a school counselor.



THE TEAM

Peyton Yurk	Janelle Alejo	Joendie Bonilla
Diamond Cosby	Giselle Mosquera	Pernell Ponder
Nishae Simmons	Alexis Roldan	Jerel Ricketts

UPCOMING DATES

November

Unity Day
Red Ribbon Week
LGBTQ+ Trivia Night

December

Virtual Tutoring
Walker Team Day

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