



Michael Shear takes a selfie with Madison Evans, Doria Evans, and students from Ladue High School in the KSDK green room.

THE GATEWAY GOODS



Gateway STEM Collaborates on TV Project with KSDK



KSDK photos provided by Michael Shear.

Lisa Dennison's journalism students recently worked alongside Ladue Horton Watkins High School students and KSDK-TV to create a public service announcement that will air on 5 On Your Side's Show Me St. Louis.

The project was a hands-on learning experience for Doria Evans, Madison Evans, Mariah Macon, and Conner Luster (seen above). They worked closely with Show Me St. Louis hosts Mary Caltrider and Malik Wilson who guided the students through the entire process, from brainstorming to final execution. The project not only gave students valuable insight into the TV industry but also fostered teamwork, helping them discover how much they have in common with their peers from another school.

On Thursday, April 10th, the students celebrated the completion of their work at Television Plaza, where their segments aired on Show Me St. Louis. The day concluded with a tour of the station's facilities, offering students a behind-the-scenes look at how the news team operates.



**Madison Evans,
Doria Evans, Mariah
Macon, and Conner
Luster pose in the
green room of KSDK.**

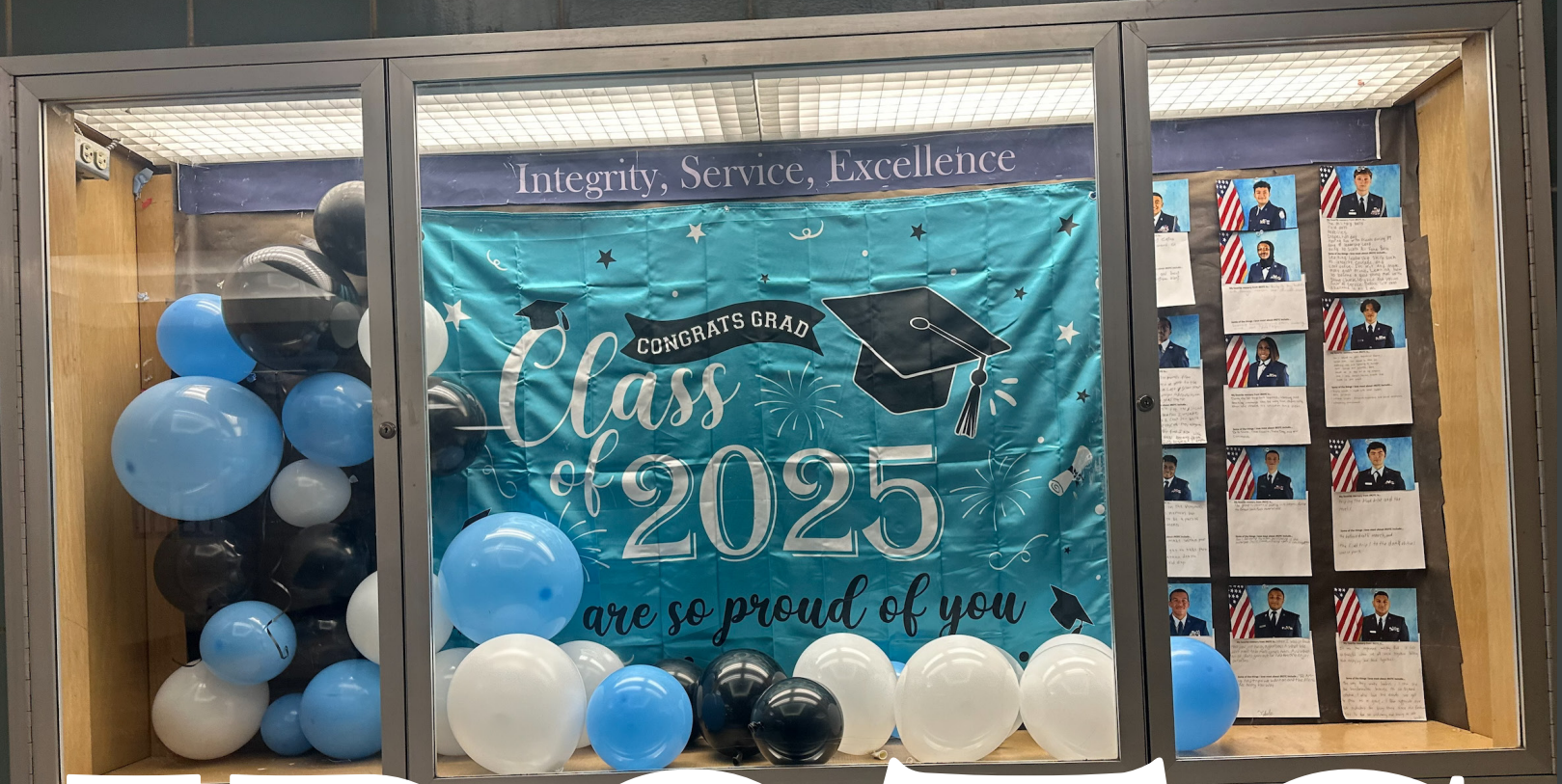
**Doria Evans is being
interviewed for
KSDK.**

**Photos provided by Michael
Shear.**

PAJAMA DAY



Jamie McDaniel, Sasha Blackshear, Ja'ashawn Williams, and Liz Shumpert wore pajamas to show acceptance for individuals with autism.



JROTC

From bulletin boards to recycling, JROTC performs many services around Gateway STEM



Savion Day (above left), Shakira Abiola and Vincent Antonio (above right) all blow up balloons for the bulletin board.

Photos by Colette Morton.

Gateway STEM Pre-Vet Interns Advocate for Animals at the Capitol

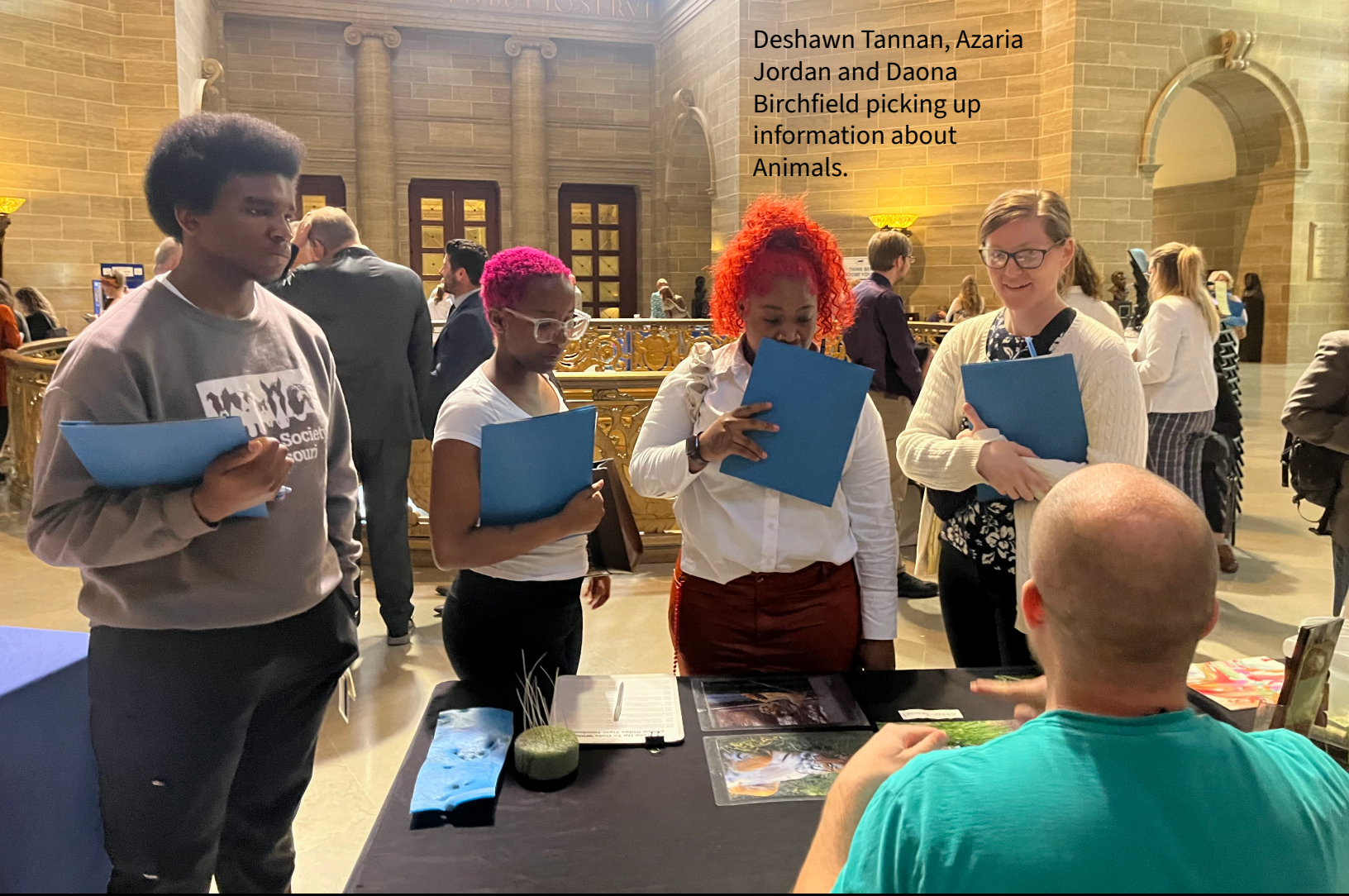


Daona Birchfield, Azaria Jordan, and Deshawn Tannan attended Humane Day 2025 in Jefferson City, Missouri.

Photo provided by Dolores Barfield.



Deshawn Tannan, Azaria Jordan and Daona Birchfield picking up information about Animals.



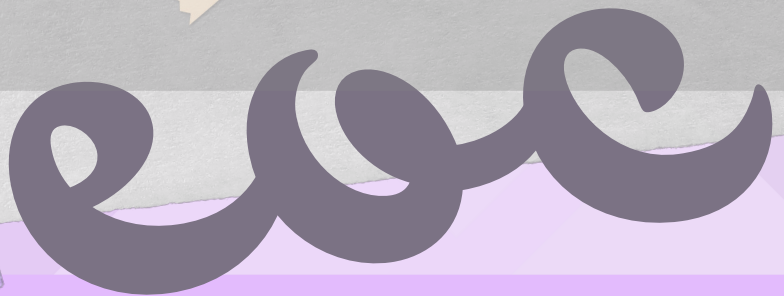
Daona Birchfield in the Missouri State Capitol.

On April 16, 2025, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., animal advocates from across Missouri gathered at the Capitol to spread awareness and share crucial information about their work to the public. Among those who attended were Gateway STEM students Daona Birchfield, Azaria Jordan, and Deshawn, who actively participated in the event alongside representatives of the Saint Louis Human Society.

The event provided an opportunity for citizens to engage with animal advocates and learn more about the critical issues affecting animals in Missouri. Students and community members alike were encouraged to speak with their legislators about key bills currently being discussed in the state legislature.

Advocates hope that more people will join in the effort to support the animals who need it most.

English EOC Ends! Admin celebrates with prizes . . . and the winners are



Government, Biology and Algebra EOCs end... and the winners are



architectural DESIGN



Architects and architectural students from Washington University worked with Christopher Reed (seen above) on design project in Brian House's PTLW Civil Engineering class.

Architects also worked with Khourey Turner, Amelia Bryant, and Joseph Love-Clarke (top left) on design ideas, and Isaiah Hurt (seen bottom left) on Revit Design.

Photos by Brian House.

Khourey Turner engages with virtual reality.



architectural experience

Brian House's PTLW students
took a field trip to the

CannonDesign office in
April. Mentors from our
ACE Mentorship program
invited Gateway students
to tour the architectural
design firm at 1100 Clark
Ave.

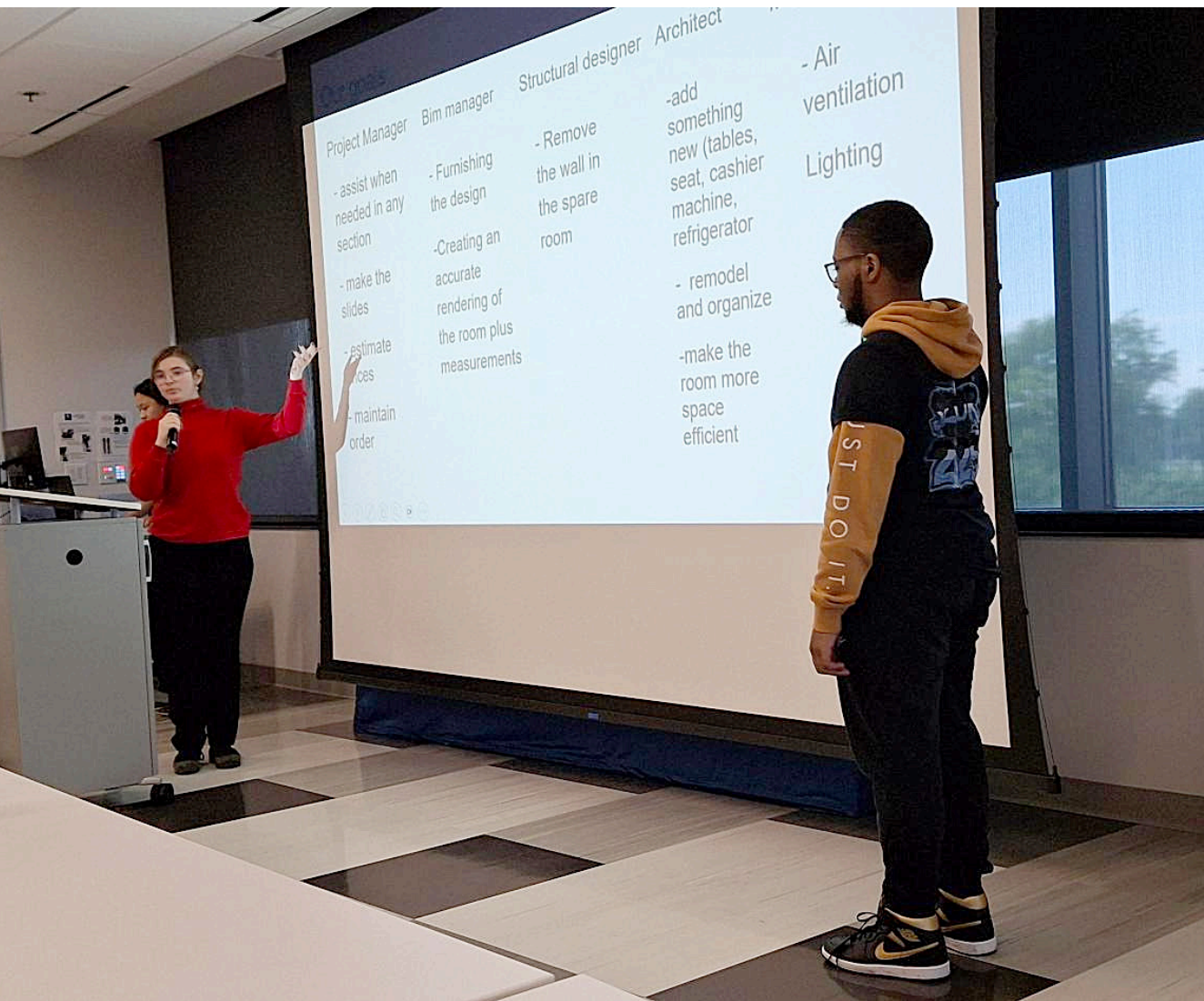
Students experienced a
day in the life of
architects who work at
the firm. Students were
able to use virtual reality
headsets that designers

use to modify their design
concepts.



Brendelle Hamilton, Devin Townsend, and
William Glover engages with virtual reality.

Photos by Brian House.



The final presentations for the ACE mentorship program for the Civil Engineering class had two teams. They redesigned the Jag Store and presented at the Forest Park campus of STLCC. Amelia Bryant and Joseph Love-Clarke

(seen above), and William Glover (seen below) presented.

Brian House, their teacher said they "did an awesome job!!!"

Photos by Brian House.



aerial view



Intro to Unmanned Aircraft

From buzzing through the skies to capturing breathtaking aerial shots, drones aren't just for hobbyists anymore—they're finding a place in classrooms, including right here at Gateway STEM in Andrew Craig's Intro to Unmanned Aircraft class.

Photos provided by Andrew Craig.



Outside Literary Magazine is an online and print publication edited by and featuring the written and visual artworks of Saint Louis Public Schools high school students.

This year, three of Gateway's students, Savion Day for poetry, Conner Luster for Photography, and Jackson Paiz Rodriguez were selected to publish in the 9th Issue of the magazine. Learn more at <https://outsidelitmag.com/>



Conner Luster
2024



Capturing the moment
Jackson Paiz Rodriguez
2024

Gateway STEM St. Louis Police Department Intern program allows students to gain practical experience and develop essential skills in a real-world setting. This exposure not only enhances their understanding of public safety but also prepares them for post-secondary education and careers in these critical areas. Quanisha Brown, Kirasten Banks, Parshna Rai, Estrella Gonzalez, My'Asia Meriwether pose with the members of the St. Louis Police Department (below).



Photo provided by Kenneth Moore.



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Kevin Brown,
Angel Carcamo,
and Jack
Anthony.

Photos by Colette Morton.

TUG O WAR



Top: Jeffrey Ditlevson, Lt Col and Gregory M. Stephan, MSgt.
Top right: Kalan Berry,
Bottom right: Marcus Hope runs past Tania Soto Palacios and Uwimana Nyirabwiza.

Photos provided by Jeffrey Ditlevson, Lt Col . and Conner Luster.



Keisean Robinson
encourages
Raho Ali
to pull.

Tania Soto Palacios and Diana Maya-Soreque enjoy their Chick-fil-A.



Curtis
Sweat and
Amani
Robinson
Race.



Photos provided by Jeffrey Ditlevson,
Lt Col. and Conner Luster.



Dante Clay enjoys tug of war. *Photos provided by Jeffrey Ditlevson, Lt Col. and Conner Luster.*



Shakira Abiola, Kennedy Williams, Joseph Schramm, Marcus Hope and Savion Day take a break from the activities.



Memorializing Bataan Death March



JROTC completed their annual Bataan Death March Memorial Hike on April 26th and 27th. The rainy weather chased quite a few away, but a handful of kids came out and walked seven miles each day (total of 14) to memorialize the Bataan March from WWII.

The Bataan Death March was a forced march of approximately 72,000 to 78,000 American and Filipino prisoners of war (POWs) by the Imperial Japanese Army from the Bataan Peninsula to Camp O'Donnell in the Philippines.

Photos provided by Jeffrey Ditlevson, Lt Col.

Learning About Our Past



Left top: Top row: Kevin Brown, Jack Anthony, and Laushell Harvey. Bottom row: Marcus Hope, Blake Meadows, Anavel Guillen, Cortez Fletcher, Kamarrea Hall, Johana Moreno, Aryianna White, Diana Maya-/oreque, and Angel Carcamo in front of the Visitor's Center at Forest Park.



Left bottom: Marcus Hope, Kamarrea Hall, Blake Meadows, Johana Moreno, Angel Carcamo, Kevin Brown, Jack Anthony, Diana Maya /oreque, Aryianna White, Anavel Guillen, Cortez Fletcher, and Laushell Harvey take a break at the Science Center in Forest Park.

Staff Students



Top: Devin Townsend, Marquis Sutherlin, Dontrell Williams, Tyrese Rhone. Middle: Mekel Taylor, Gavin Dillon, Monte Robinson, Chris Mitchell, Ben Dura, Mariah Macon, Jho' Ryah Bland. Bottom: Javion Jones, Romero Cannida, Kamiyah Mosley.

Photo by Colette Morton.

H O P S

MICHAEL SHEAR



Kenny

Photo by Colette Morton.

CHEER



Top: Tina Bethea, AnDrea Gayfield, Selene Davis, Alexia Drummer, Jaguar, Dr. June Berry, Cathy Branson, and TaNeisha Hamilton. Bottom: Erika Johnson and Nadia Kennedy.



Michael Shear, Tywan Brooks, Ofc. Blissit, and Ofc. Cooper discuss plays.

Tervell Johnson makes a free throw during the free throw competition.

Photos by Colette Morton.

throw





Top: Dontrell Williams and Michael Shear jump for the toss.



Bottom: Romero Cannida during the game.

Photos by Colette Morton.

PLAY



Gateway

BASEBALL

Photos by Colette Morton.

Zaylin Holloway winds up for the pitch against Bayless.



Efrain Flores-Hernandez, senior,
plays first.

Photo by Colette Morton.



Marcus Hope, senior, plays left field.

Photo by Colette Morton.



Keith Jacobs steps to the bat.

Photos by Colette Morton.



Jeraime
Jones
waits for
the ball.

Photo by Colette Morton.



Calvin Maxie-Jones prepares for a hit.

Photo by Colette Morton.



Noah Washington catches the game.

Photos by Colette Morton.