### Favorite Moment



"My favorite moment was when we performed the play for the 5th araders."

Vida Searcy 8th



"My favorite moment was the yearbook party we had before winter break." Leyton Hill.



"I enjoyed getting to know all my teachers and learning." Paige Edwards,

7th



### The Annual IQ Tournament

Sunset hosted a robotics tournament on Saturday January 27th, We have some amazinaly talented robotics students here at Sunset and we are so proud of all the hard work that they put into this tournament. One of our groups even scored 2nd place for teamwork championship. So congratulations to Liam Settle and Colin Bright for their spectacular accomplishment, and certainly a good job all around by all of our students who worked hard and competed. We are so excited to continue with this program and encourage anyone who has an interest in robotics to sign up. Outstanding job Spartans and we can't wait for our next robotics tournament.

# Exciting Moment



Many of our 8th graders have expressed their excitement towards graduating 8th grade as well as middle school and continuing on to high school. Our 8th grade students have stated that they are particularly excited for all of the elective classes and new opportunities that are open to them in high school. Best of luck to our 8th graders in high school and beyond!

### Looking Forward



It's not just our 8th graders that are excited for the new semester. Many of our 6th and 7th graders have also stated that they are very excited for the rest of the school year and the years beyond. They are looking forward to continuing this crucial part of their lives and all of the amazing experiences that come with it.

### **Empowerment** Conference

The conference took place on Saturday January 27th and focused on empowering Latinos within their community. The main topic of the conference was that you can do anything despite your background. There were speakers who talked about their own personal experiences and struggles with migrating and poverty. It was made clear that you don't have to let your background or upbringing hold you back. Whether it means pursuing higher education, your dream job, or anything else, you can do it.



## Strong Finish

We have finished off the first half of the school year and are excited to see what comes next. It's been an incredible semester and we are so proud of each and everyone one of our students who has worked incredibly hard in the first semester. With many much has happened since August and we cannot wait to see what

your hard work so far and keep



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