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Month at a Glance April 2023

Academics/Character/Career

Driver's ED

- 17 students are on the journey to getting their license through the Driver's ED program at Vertus.
- Students who take the road test have also taken their permit test and 5-hour course through Vertus.
- This program has been getting much traction and has been a useful recruitment tool for us this
 year. We created a promotional video of the program to show families.
 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mNvYMxe-4KM





Trip to Washington DC

- Students accompanied Mr. Carter on a 3-day trip to Washington Dc, sponsored by VP Supplies
- Students visited the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History and Culture, watched a Washington Nationals baseball game, and explored the DC area. For some, this was their first experience outside of Rochester.





JA Finance Stick Market Challenge

- Students in the personal finance class participated in the JA Finance Stock Market Challenge
- One of the teams from Vertus came in 2nd place
- The Channel 8 and 10 news covered this event and interviewed our students





3 Point Shoot Out Event

- Members of local law enforcement agencies joined Vertus students in a friendly competition in an effort to build relationships with teens and law enforcement.
- Mayor Malik Evans was in attendance and participated in the competition
- Multiple news stations covered this event, and Vertus received a lot of publicity.



