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LTS Alumna Selected as MetLife Fellow in Teachers Network Leadership Institute

Dorset, VT—Julie Graham Levin, (formerly of Dorset, now residing in New York City) of the Talented and Gifted School for Young Scholars, has been chosen as a MetLife Fellow in the Teachers Network Leadership Institute (TNLI), an honor shared by hundreds of exemplary public school teachers across the nation. This select group of elementary, middle, and high school teachers represents twelve TNLI affiliates nationwide.

The Teachers Network Leadership Institute (TNLI) was established to improve student achievement by bringing the teachers' voice to education policymaking after former President Bush and then Governor Clinton held the first education summit in 1989, without inviting any teachers. TNLI teachers seek to bring their experience and expertise to current debates on education policy.

Upon graduating from Long Trail School in 1999, Levin attended Northwestern University in Chicago. Levin will continue with her full-time classroom teaching responsibilities at an East Harlem middle school, while exploring research policy issues and developing recommendations. She will document her work in papers and publications, and disseminate it locally and nationally. Her action research studies will address the direct link between policymaking and its effects on student achievement in their classrooms.

Long Trail School combines rigorous academics and a personalized curriculum for grades 6-12. For more information, please contact at 802.867.5717.