

LONG TRAIL SCHOOL

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LTS First School in Nation to join CYAG Project

Dorset---Head of School John H. Sutor III recently announced that Long Trail School is the first American school to join Connecting Youth Around the Globe. An innovative educational project, CYAG works with students to “alleviate poverty and facilitate change in the lives of their disadvantaged counterparts around the globe”. Schools from the US and the UK will affect change by fundraising to provide school facilities and supplies in places where educational opportunities have been significantly hindered by economy and circumstance.

The project has important and far-reaching components. Students on both ends of the exchange will be empowered through an interactive website fostering communication with and understanding between the groups and other involved constituencies. LTS students will become entrepreneurs in charge of their own successes in assisting others in need. Additionally, the organization Life On Lens will facilitate a film aspect which will document the progress from all sides. A professional film crew will visit all involved communities. School-based video production will enhance the website sharing and archive the experience.

Coordination of these efforts will be led by the LTS Student Council. Look for more information as the school year commences and the efforts begin. The LTS community is excited about this worthy cause and the contribution it can make. For more information, please contact Peter Ahlfeld at 802.867.5717 x107.