



college awareness month

September 16–October 16, 2008

Join us in making sure that all DCPS and public charter school students have the chance to attend ... and succeed in ... college.

AMONG THE PLANNED EVENTS:

- **DC Family Education Expo, September 13** (*McKinley Technology High School*) — a day for families to learn about the resources available to help their children succeed in school.
- **Costco/DC Scholarship Breakfast, September 16** (*Nationals Stadium*) — a fundraiser to raise \$1 million for college scholarships for DC public and public charter school students. (invitation only)
- **OSSE Public Policy Forum, September 23** (*Bell Multicultural High School*) — the first in a series of public conversations on creating a college-going culture in DC.
- **DC National College Fair, September 29** (*Convention Center*) — an opportunity to meet with national college representatives.
- **Wear Your College Regalia to Work, every Monday** — a way to generate conversations with young people about their college plans.
- **School-based activities, September 16–October 16** — customized activities to support students and parents in preparing for college.



Photo: Lisa Sandoval

The activities are part of a citywide effort to **double the numbers** of DC students who graduate from high school, enroll in college and succeed in college. Please join the movement ... and help more of our children succeed.

For details, visit www.doublethenumbersdc.org or contact the Office of the State Superintendent of Education (OSSE) at www.osse.dc.gov or **202.727.2824**.