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## Southwest Leadership's Record-Breaking College Bound Class of 2020

Twenty-Six Southwest Leadership Academy students, under the direction of Guidance Counselor, Michelle Harris visited South Mountain Community College in Phoenix to learn more about the post graduate options. Students had already visited Phoenix College, another branch of the Maricopa County Community College System where Arizona high school graduates are automatically accepted if they graduate from an accredited high school like SLA. This is the first year that SLA had a group of 40+ students complete their FAFSA applications, taken the ASVAB interest survey, and visited multiple more than 80 students are on the path to graduate in May, the largest graduating class at SLA ever.

Students received lots of information from college representatives and got to experience a taste of college courses and expectations. Students are excited about this new venture and are looking forward to not only being the first in their family to graduate high school but the first to graduate college. And we know they can do it!

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