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From the Director's Desk



Greetings from the faculty and staff of the Lake Charles-Boston Academy of Learning. This will be our final edition of the newsletter for the 2009 – 2010 school year. It has been a great year full of rewarding experiences for our students and our staff. Included in this edition of the newsletter are some statements from our students telling about their experiences at the Academy. I hope that you will enjoy reading the thoughts of these students.

We have a full slate of new credit summer school courses that will begin on June 1st and are looking forward to seeing some of our summer "veterans" as well as students new to the summer school program. Because of budget restrictions, we are unable to offer transportation this summer but based on parent responses we should still have about 250 students in class this summer. A great big thank you to the City of Lake Charles for using the LCB Academy as a feeding site for the summer feeding program. Our students really take advantage of this program.

At the time of this newsletter, changes are still being made to the LCB Academy with regards to the budget. Hopefully, we will still be around to publish a newsletter next school year. We are still working hard each and every day to meet our mission. Until next year, have a great summer and come back to us ready for more exciting opportunities!

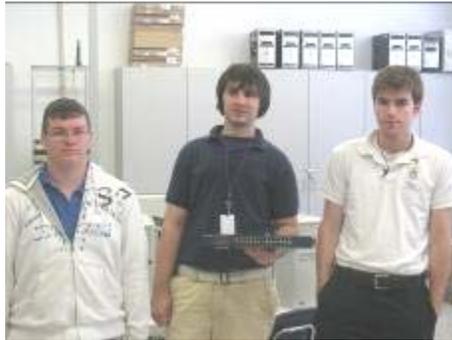
*"We believe that you are a student of promise and that your promise continues here at the
Lake Charles-Boston Academy of Learning."*

Career and Technical News

Networking

Dalton G (LaGrange), Brandon B (Sam Houston) and Sloan H (Sulphur) successfully passed the CompTIA Network+ Certification. The CompTIA Network+ certification is a globally recognized industry based certification for networking specialist.

Sloan H (Sulphur) not only passed the certification exam, but scored higher than any Calcasieu Parish School System student ever. Sloan scored 875 points out of a possible 900.



~Submitted by Mr. Richard, Networking Instructor

Early Childhood Education

Early Childhood and Teaching Professions students say "Good-bye" to the students in their cooperating classrooms.

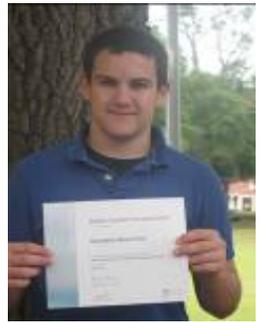


~Submitted by Mrs. Culpepper, Early Childhood Education



Digital Media and Web Design

Congratulations to Lori, Aaron, Jamarick, and Chris for passing the Adobe Certified Associate in Web Communication (Dreamweaver). These students and two additional students are eligible to take the final industry-based certification exam in Adobe Flash CS4.



~Submitted by Mrs. Fiser, Web Design/Digital Media Instructor

Sports Medicine

On April 17th Mr. Dibbley and Sports Medicine student Brian W. attended the high school athletic training symposium presented by the LSU Athletic Training student organization Alpha Tau Sigma. They spent the day inside and around Tiger Stadium's Broussard Sports Medicine Center learning and reviewing sports medicine skills and meeting lots of other students from around the state, as well as, the LSU athletic training staff. Besides the experience, Brian walked away with a handful of door prizes for his correct answers to the challenging questions posed throughout the program. Congratulations, Brian!



~Submitted by Alex Dibbley, Sports Medicine Instructor



Networking is cool.



Enterprise Blvd



Engineering students



We Love Mrs Donna !!!



The **First Responder/E.M.T.-B** students have a “mock” explosion in the lab. Mr. Dibbley’s students joined in the tragedy.



~Submitted by Mrs. Mhire, EMT Instructor

Engineering Design/Drafting

Engineering design students built cars “powered” by mousetraps.



Advanced Studies News

Gifted Biology

Last Tuesday through Thursday our biology class dissected frogs and fetal pigs. The experience overall was unique. We spent two hours a day pulling out organs and exploring the anatomy of both species. All of my fellow pupils agree with me when I say that we have learned so much from having explored the inside of animals so similar to humans.

Our biology instructor assisted us in the dissection by guiding us through the complex process. Without her aid and perseverance, we would not have been able to complete our assignment.



Gifted Chemistry classes

Reactions of acids with metals and ball and stick model of Heptane.



Gifted Geometry

The students made kites to see if they could fly.



ESL classes

The 2009-2010 school year has been a great year in high school ESL classes. We have used technology to complete two research projects, individual PowerPoint presentations about tall tales and a brochure about Mardi Gras. Also using technology software and internet programs, we have learned to pronounce, write, read, and understand English better. Every day at the beginning of class, we practiced proofreading skills. We read novels, such as *Pocahontas*, *Dracula*, *The Phantom of the Opera*, *The Call of the Wild*, and *The Elephant Man*; we read non-fiction to compare the cultures of different countries of the world. Grammar? Oh, yes, we filled workbooks and notebooks with grammar exercises that related to our reading assignments. Delivering speeches to the class was sometimes a scary experience, but we learned to be more comfortable in front of a group. Our progress in speaking, reading, writing, and understanding the English language has been tremendous!

~Submitted by Mrs. Dewey, ESL High School Instructor





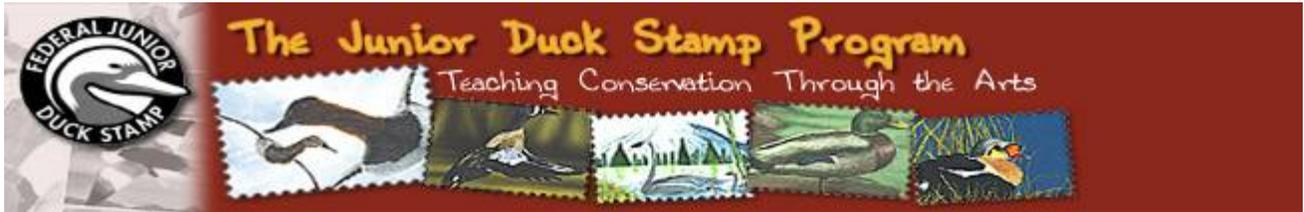
LCB ACADEMY FINE ARTS NEWS

As this year draws to a close... Author unkown

It's time to say. Good-bye.
our year has come to an end.
We've made more cherished memories
and many more new friends.
We've watched our students learn and grow.
We hope that all the things we've done
have helped in some small way.
So it's with happy memories
we send them out the door.
With great hope and expectations
for what next year holds in store.

Throughout the school year students have created innovative projects that allowed them to explore many different styles of art from ancient to contemporary. During April and May visiting artists from the community were invited into the art classroom to talk with students about their full or part-time careers as professional artists and introduce students to their art and crafts. Students created baskets with Emma Hughes, threw pots on the wheel with Jeff Ferguson, and “dropped” masks with Charlene Kaough.





Congratulations to LCB Academy 2010 duck stamp contest award winners !

Caleb D., 3rd grade student from Dolby Elementary, attending talented visual art classes at the Academy with teacher Bobbi Yancey, placed 3rd in the United States Federal Junior Duck Stamp Competition for the state of Louisiana. Stephanie O., Alisha P., Callie B., Jacoby C., and Anais L. all received honorable mention awards in their age group division. There were five jurors who selected the student's works from more than 280 entries.



AP studio art students Alexis P, LaGrange, and Ashlyn D., Sam Houston High School, are both high school students completing art works for final submission of their portfolios to the College Board. Their concentration themes are "monsters" and "un-ordinary" things.



"Green" concerns such as warming, conservation, and deforestation were expressed by art students Malcolm O., Alexis D., Chelsea L., and Megan H. through their global art work that was on display at the Imperial Calcasieu Museum for the "Green Matters" Art Exhibit March/April 2010. K-12 Calcasieu Parish art specialists displayed art that expressed their concern for why the "Earth Counts" through their own work on exhibit in the museum annex.



"Embrace it ...don't Eliminate it" by Bobbi Yancey



Some of our students describe their experience with LCBA:

	<p>Sloan H. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"I can say that my experience of taking T&I at LCB Academy has thoroughly contributed to my personal success throughout my senior year of high school. I have had NO classes at any point in my studies that have contributed to my PRACTICAL knowledge as much as my Networking class has. I have taken APUSH, which is a college level course, and although it has given me great study habits, I can say, assuming I do not become a historian, all it can contribute to me ten years down the road is a bit of fodder for small talk. I have a Network+ certification, and I can say that I would not have even given computer networking a second thought without the LCBA classes. LCBA has given me a great opportunity to have a VERY FINE job when I leave school for the summer, and it has given me an edge that will stay for the rest of my life. It would be a shame to see the opportunity for other students to not have a chance to pursue their futures in the real world. The money is well spent here because this T&I center supplies an entirely different set of skills that regular schooling can not bestow on you."</i></p>
	<p>Aaron M. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"My time at LCBA was great. I learned so much about digital and web design. I learned how to use many of the features in Adobe design software. I've become certified in multiple Adobe Software programs. The classes are smaller therefore there is more specialization for people's learning needs in class. The classes truly prepare you for a career and technical future because they give projects where you have a client with whom you must meet with and discuss what their needs are and you get graded on not only how well you did it, but whether or not it suits the clients needs and you did it in a timely manner. LCBA is really helpful for getting a head start on any career."</i></p>
	<p>Michael O. Sam Houston High</p> <p><i>"Lake Charles-Boston Academy means a great deal to me for several reasons. The first is that it enabled me to get a lot of certifications. It offers classes that my home school does not offer like First Responder/EMT-Basic class which I am in. The second is that the teachers here are really nice, fun, and dedicated to helping their students pass. It allows students to get a hands on approach in skills they will use in life. I love Lake Charles Boston Academy and would hate to see it go. This is the best school ever!!! I hope they keep it going it will benefit a lot of students later in life."</i></p>
	<p>Jade R. Sulphur High School</p> <p><i>"The atmosphere is not as uptight, but the learning experience is just as good as any other classroom setting. The teachers are very nice and able to devote more time to each individual student. The administration is nice and the school has a very welcoming atmosphere. ☺"</i></p>

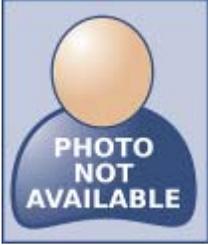
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	<p>Alex G. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"My experience here at LCBA has been much better than that of my real school. Here at LCBA the atmosphere is much more relaxed, yet more work is accomplished. I believe it is because the work I do here is more along the line of something I want to do. The teachers trust me like an adult, which I really appreciate. There are windows! At Sulphur there is only one window per classroom. Studies have shown that where there is natural light the mind works better. That is just a small detail I felt needed to be discussed. Overall I feel as though LCBA is my school rather than Sulphur."</i></p>
	<p>Colton D. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"My experience with LCBA has been insightful. It was a great decision to take classes here because I have learned traits that will help me in college. Also, with the classes I have taken here I will be better prepared for the job I want to pursue in life. Mrs. Davis is a great teacher!!!"</i></p>
	<p>Steven M. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"Its been great. The teacher is Epic. The classroom is awesome. I've learned so much this year. I wish I could come back next year. I'm going to really miss it here."</i></p>
	<p>Kirstie B. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"My experience at LCBA has been a good one. The teacher is a great teacher. It has a good environment for learning. I have enjoyed my time at LCBA."</i></p>
	<p>Amber C. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"I loved coming to LCBA everyday. I've made many new friends since the class was so small. The atmosphere is much more relaxed than that of the normal school setting. But we learned just as much if not more than a regular school setting. Also my teacher, Mrs. Davis, made it much more enjoyable."</i></p>
	<p>Macy Moseley Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"I have had a great experience with LCBA. I've really enjoyed the class I'm taking and have learned a lot from it. At times the class is hard but in the end it is all worth it."</i></p>

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	<p>Vanessa N. LaGrange High</p> <p><i>"My experience with LCBA of Learning was very educational. My pharmacy technician class has helped me get prepared for college and my adult life. I actually like this class more than the classes at my home school, even though this class is harder. I LOVE MRS> DAVIS 😊"</i></p>
	<p>Amanda M. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"The classes are small which made learning easier and more comfortable. The teachers care about their subjects as well as their students. Some of the classes offered here can't be taken anywhere else locally."</i></p>
	<p>Chris B. Sam Houston High</p> <p><i>"This past year I took physics through LCB Academy as an online course with Ms. Arlene Cain. I felt that this class was extremely helpful in preparation for the college classes that I will be taking this fall. Ms. Cain provided a helpful learning environment and was very informative all year. I am now confident of my future success due to my taking of this class."</i></p>
	<p>Loren S. Sulphur High School</p> <p><i>"During my time here at LCBA I learned many things about sports medicine. I was taught to deal with injuries in sports situations as well as life situations. The learning environment here is very good. With few students in each class and hands on learning it makes learning easier. The extra learning that could save lives was the best experience, like CPR and AED training. If I could take one thing from LCBA it would be the CPR and AED training, because knowing I can save someone's life and that I learned it at LCBA is a good feeling."</i></p>
	<p>Zack W. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"My experience at the Academy of Learning was very good. I enjoy it more than Sulphur. The classes are smaller and it is easy to learn. I like how every school comes together just to improve our education. If my opinion matters. I do not think that they should shut this school down. It gives us the ability to take more specialized classes in order to get a better idea of what we want to do in college. We don't have that opportunity at any other school."</i></p>

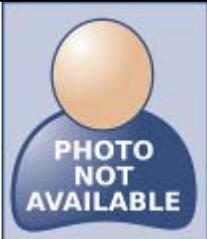
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	<p>Breann F. Iowa High</p> <p><i>"I have enjoyed my experience with the Academy. I took online physics with Ms. Cain. This class got me ready for college by teaching me to be an independent learner. It was a challenging course and I learned many things by taking it. I would advise anyone who is wanting a challenge or wanting to learn physics very well to take this course."</i></p>
	<p>Taylor L. Sam Houston High</p> <p><i>"My experience here at LCB was fun. There are so many different things you learn. Sports medicine and allied health was a very interesting class to take. I learned about a bunch of injuries and how to treat them. Getting certified for CPR was really cool. The best part about the class was you get to experience what athletic trainer do for their job. I would have to say LCBA was my favorite class out of all. Some parts in the class was tough, but its easy to catch on to once you understand what the teacher is talking about."</i></p>
	<p>Lori C. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"I am very thankful that I am able to attend Lake Charles Boston Academy. I take Digital Media I and Web Design I at Lake Charles Boston Academy. These classes helped me learn thing I never knew I could do and it is helping me learn things that I can do as a career, thanks to the Academy. Just this year I have become an Adobe Certified Associate in Visual Communication using Adobe Photoshop and an Adobe Certified Associate in Web Communication using Adobe Dreamweaver. One other student and I from Sulphur High are the first students to be certified in these programs in the whole Calcasieu Parish. I would not have been able to be certified in these two programs at Sulphur High because they do not teach Adobe programs. Before the end of this year, I will be able to certify for Adobe Certified Associate in Rich Media Communication using Adobe Flash."</i></p>

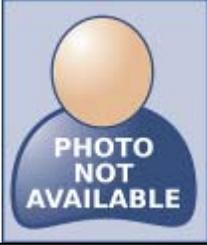
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	<p>Dylan G. Westlake High</p> <p><i>“My experience at LCBA has been a great learning experience and has helped with my certifications that I need to become a firefighter. I can go to a fire department and start work after high school. It also taught me skills that can one day save YOUR life. I have used my skills in the field during my ride time with Acadian Ambulance. All the patients we had I was able to use my skills on. I also learned skills needed out in the job world.”</i></p>
	<p>Adam P. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>“LCBA has been a great school experience. The skills I have learned from Introduction to EMT have been a stepping stone for my future career in the medical field. The certifications I have obtained are CPR and the use of an AED, certified in Blood Born Pathogens through American Red Cross, Incident Command and other FEMA certifications, and certification as a first responder. LCBA is definitely a school of opportunity and learning for anyone who applies themselves.”</i></p>
	<p>Dustin M. Iowa High</p> <p><i>“Lake Charles Boston Academy of Learning has been an excellent learning experience. I have learned basic skills to help me pursue a career in the medical/ fire fighting industries. During my experience at LCBA, I have become a certified first responder and have received several awards and certifications such as CPR/AED, blood born pathogens, incident commander, natural disaster preparation, and much more. My instructor has taught me to look and act professional, and I even received the opportunity to do ride time with Acadian Ambulance. The skills and leadership abilities I have gained through the Academy have made me want to further pursue my goals to become a professional firefighter/ paramedic and better my community and make a positive impact on the people around me”</i></p>

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	<p>Adam M. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"My experience here has been great. The staff is nice and comforting. The classes open up opportunities for careers."</i></p>
	<p>Chasity A. Iowa High</p> <p><i>"My learning experience with LCB Academy was very interesting. I learned a lot. My class was cool."</i></p>
	<p>Brandon B. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"Great experience on learning in the field of my future career."</i></p>
	<p>Timothy C. LaGrange High</p> <p><i>"My experience with LCBA has been life changing because thanks to LCBA I finally know what it takes to pursue my career."</i></p>
	<p>Collin B. Barbe High</p> <p><i>"I am in Drafting I and this year I have learned how to use AutoCad. I have learned a lot about the drafting field. I also got a head start in college by already taking the basic class."</i></p>
	<p>Dylan C. Barbe High</p> <p><i>"My experience at LCBA was great. The classes are small so you get a lot of one-on-one with the teacher instead of a teacher just talking in the front of the class and making us figure it out."</i></p>

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	<p>Sean L. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"I've learned a lot about drafting and AutoCAD. The teachers are really good at what they teach."</i></p>
	<p>Joe G. Sam Houston High</p> <p><i>"I have learned a lot about the basics of drafting and a lot about the tools and technologies draftsmen use."</i></p>
	<p>Kelly G. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"LCBA has been a great experience. It has shown me a glimpse of how a future job in the engineering field would be. I love the career-oriented projects."</i></p>
	<p>Sara C. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"My experience with LCBA was unique. It's different from other schools and classes because it teaches subjects that are unique and prepare a person for jobs he/she may want in the future."</i></p>
	<p>Kelly B. Barbe High</p> <p><i>"My experience with Lake Charles Boston Academy of Learning has been very exciting. The teacher-student ratios of the classes are great. This enables the students to learn more instead of just being a number in the classroom. I am currently taking AP Physics face-to-face, and I am the only student in the class. The rest of the class takes it online and comes in for the labs. The labs are amazing; they help you learn visually and they are hands on. It is so much easier to remember concepts -Mrs. Cain is an Awesome teacher. Take her."</i></p>

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	<p>Tanner H. Sam Houston</p> <p><i>"My experience at LCBA was really fun. I learned a lot of new and cool stuff. It was really cool how you had a class with students from other schools in Calcasieu Parish. I will definitely be back next year to take another course."</i></p>
	<p>Shawn M. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"Going to LCBA has given me the chance to experience and earn an industry-based certification that would greatly help me receive a job straight out of high school. The teachers at the Academy are understanding and answer your questions with answers that are highly instructive. The summer school classes are also a great chance for students to take new credit classes and get ahead of their studies and allow them to take more advanced classes in their place. The night classes at LCBA have helped me to further myself and have given me the experience that some jobs require you to have allowing me a better chance of receiving a job."</i></p>
	<p>Chance G. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"LCBA has a wonderful learning environment because all the students here actually want to learn unlike other schools. And the teachers I've met so far are awesome at explaining how to do stuff, so in other words, at LCBA, we learn in an enjoyable environment."</i></p>
	<p>Devin D. Barbe High</p> <p><i>"Super Awesome!!!"</i></p>
	<p>Sandra R. Maplewood Middle</p> <p><i>"Hi my name is Sandra M. I am from Maplewood Middle School, and I also go to LCB Academy to learn more English. We are working so hard to keep it open. I would like you to help us because it is a great school. It helps me in many ways. I have learned more here and this school is fun. We are sad and we don't want to close the school. We learn more in LCB Academy. I love to come to LCB Academy."</i></p>

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	<p>Celia G. FK White Middle</p> <p><i>"Hi, my name is Celia. I'm from Mexico. I'm in the sixth grade. I go to school at FK White Middle School and I also go to LCB Academy. I'm an ESL student. I love coming to LCB Academy because I learn more English. I want LCBA to be open for a long time because there are lots of students that need to learn English just like the other students here at LCBA. We learn more than English people do. I like coming here because we work a lot, but I like it because I'm used to it. I have learned more English, how to spell English, how to say it, and learn about the history about the world. I like this school more than any other school because here I learn more than any other school. Thank you."</i></p>
	<p>Andres A. SJ Welsh Middle</p> <p><i>"I am Andres A., I am from Columbia, and my school is SJ Welsh. I go to LCBA to learn English. Here we learn things every day like English grammar and social studies. I need LCBA to learn better English."</i></p>
	<p>Maria P. FK White Middle</p> <p><i>"Hi, my name is Maria P. and I am from Lake Charles. I go to FK White Middle school. I am also a student at Lake Charles Boston Academy. LCBA is a great school and it also helps other students in so many ways. Coming here has helped me with my language. I have learned lots of information that I did not know before. LCBA is a great school. Coming here is like coming to a land of learning. Just by walking into the building, you can feel all the emotions. It has helped me with my second language."</i></p>
	<p>Carlos C. FK White Middle</p> <p><i>"I am Carlos C., a student from FK White Middle school. I am from Colombia, and I take classes of ESL in LCBA."</i></p>
	<p>Kayla S. LaGrange High</p> <p><i>"My experience with the LCB Academy of Learning has been amazing! I loved my teacher, Mr. Dibbley; he was awesome and very knowledgeable. I learned a lot of new things that have helped me choose my career path. The Academy has helped me with my student athletic training at my home school. I also found out which colleges are certified for an athletic training major, so I know which ones I can apply to. When I actually do go to college I won't go in oblivious to everything in the medical field"</i></p>

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	<p><i>because of my experiences of taping, CPR, and health care. So LCB Academy was a great advantage for me in many ways."</i></p>
	<p>Shayla A. – Barbe High <i>"My experience with Mrs. Culpepper in Early Childhood Education was a great one. She got me into childcare and I hope I can pursue something in this field later on in life. I appreciate everything she has done for us and her class is a great class to take."</i></p>
	<p>Candyce B. Barbe High Student <i>"My experience in early childhood was definitely fun. She did give us <u>a-lot</u> of work and now I hate crayons and markers, but it showed me how to teach and work with kids in the easiest and most fun way."</i></p>
	<p>Trishaun C. Barbe High Student <i>"The Lake Charles Boston Academy was a nice school for me. If I did not take early childhood, I probably would not have had a good school year, because this was something that I liked. If I had not taken this class, I would not have learned CPR. LCBA is a good school and people should take classes here."</i></p>
	<p>Grant L. Iowa High <i>"Lake Charles Boston is a great school to help kids get ahead. They offer special courses you couldn't attend at a normal school. I'm attending networking basics and they offer chances to get certified. Being certified will give us chances with great jobs after high school. LCB has great classes that give everyone the same opportunities. The only way these opportunities will be available is for LCB to stay open. Please vote to keep LCB open so I can return next year and became certified."</i></p>
	<p>Dalton G. Sulphur High <i>"Lake Charles Boston Academy is very important to all students who go there, who want to go there, and who do not know it but are going to go there. LCBA has a very good educational experience. There are so many classes you can take at LCBA that you cannot take any where else, at any other school. I have 5 siblings and it would make me feel bad if they do not have a chance to go here and have the experiences that I did at LCB. At LCBA you can get college credits for some of the classes and you can get certifications. If you get a certification you will have a better chance to get a good job in that field of work. Like me, I</i></p>

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have been going to LCBA for 2 years and I really like it and I am going to go take my certification test this year and if I pass it will help me to get a job in networking. My teacher over at LCBA is very good at what he does. He changes his teaching techniques so that one day we do book work, one day he will lecture and another day he will have us do labs. My classes at my school don't usually do that. It is also good to go to a different school. It makes you feel different because you're not at the same school all day and that is a good thing, because I do not get bored. When I only went to my home school I always got bored from being there all day, but since I have been going to LCBA I have a really fun/good learning experience."



**Brandon B.
Sam Houston High**

"My name is Brandon B..... I am a sophomore at Sam Houston High School, and I take the Networking Basics class at the Lake Charles Boston Academy. I very much enjoy this class, and it has helped me realize what I want to do with my life.

Before coming to the Academy, I didn't know what I wanted to do when I get older. All I said when someone asked me was "I really don't know." When I came to the Academy, I signed up for the networking basics class. When I first started the class, I thoroughly enjoyed it. It was the first time I had ever enjoyed doing work in school, and is the only class I enjoy studying for and trying to make good grades in. Now I know that I want to be a network specialist when I get older, and it's a goal I intend to succeed in.

This class has taught me a lot, and I will get college credit for it starting next year when I return to take routers and routing basics. Networking basics has taught me the information I need to get an industry-based certification, and I'm going to take the Network+ certification test on April 21st. This certification will help my future, because it is one of the many certifications I need to succeed in my goal of becoming a network specialist.

Please vote to keep the Academy open. It has helped teach me the value of hard work and dedication, and has helped me decide what I want to do with my life."



**Ashley M
Washington Marion High**

"I've been attending Lake Charles Boston Academy for two years now. I'm taking the Early Childhood Education and Star courses because I want to be a teacher. The classes I'm taking have helped me to realize what teaching is all about. Through this program I have been able to see that teaching is a rewarding job, but it takes a lot of work and commitment. Without my teacher, Mrs. Bridgette Culpepper I don't think I would have made it though these last two

Some of our students describe their experience with LCBA:

	<p><i>years of school. She's pushed me to do my best and sees things in me that I don't even see in myself. I thank the Academy for being here because without it I would have not been able to make up my mind about what career I wanted to pursue. Now that I've taken these classes I feel equipped to move on in life and in my career as a teacher."</i></p> <p><i>P.S. - LCB ACADEMY ROCKS!!!!</i></p>
	<p>Malcolm A. Washington Marion High</p> <p><i>"Lake Charles Boston Academy of Learning is an awesome school. I've learned so much, I'm a trained a certified first responder for the state of Louisiana. I am also certified in 14 different areas with FEMA. I would like to one day become a doctor and I'm one step closer to my dream because of the Lake Charles Boston Academy."</i></p>
	<p>Alexis D. Sulphur High</p> <p><i>"My experience at LCBA was fantastic. I had an amazing teacher and I learned so much from her. Here at LCBA you can take loads of classes your home school doesn't offer, which is great. This was my 1st year coming and I am definitely taking classes here again next year."</i></p>