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Horizon Science Academy Hosts Hispanic Heritage Celebration Breakfast

CLEVELAND - Horizon Science Academy (HSA) is hosting a breakfast to celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month. The breakfast will be held on **Thursday, October 9, at 7:00 am** at the high school located at 6000 S. Marginal Road in Cleveland. The guest speaker for this event is **Sargento Juan Cancel**, Community Education & Training Officer from Cleveland Emergency Medical Services.

Americans observe National Hispanic Heritage Month from September 15 to October 15, by celebrating the histories, cultures, and contributions of American citizens whose ancestors came from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean and Central and South America. The day of September 15 is significant because it is the anniversary of independence for Latin American countries Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua. In addition, Mexico and Chile celebrate their independence days on September 16 and September 18, respectively. Columbus Day or Día de la Raza, which is October 12, falls within this 30 day period. Approximately 10% of the student population of the school is of Hispanic origin.

Created in 1999 as a tuition-free college preparatory high school in Cleveland, the school provides an innovative, standards-based curriculum with an emphasis on math, science and technology. HSA boasts a 100% college acceptance rate every year in a row. HSA was awarded the National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence in 2009 by United States Secretary of Education Arne Duncan.

HSA offers creative and unique programs that have proven highly successful including Saturday school, free after school care for each class, and home visits by staff to families. Enrollment is offered on a first-come, first-served basis.

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