A Great Future for Great Young Women

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Everybody knows that a time comes when children start becoming older children and then transition on to young adults. Along the way we go through school as a way to help ourselves gain knowledge and experience that will be crucial to the world outside our own. As a way to prepare 8th grade girls in their journey of life, the Redlands branch of the American Association of University Women invited six hundred girls to attend the STEM Conference at the University of Redlands on February 25th.

STEM stands for Science Technology Engineering and Math. At the conference, all six hundred girls get to attend two STEM workshops where they will get to see successful women use science and math in their professional lives. The professional women will share their experiences and describe their careers to help the girls think about their own future.

After the two STEM workshops the girls will head off to lunch at the University Commons then continue on to the motivational workshop that concludes the day.

Most importantly, the girls will be able to share this experience with all the other 8th grade girls from other middle schools and have fun amongst themselves. The girls from Journalism hope to see you there.