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SAN GABRIEL TO HOST YOUTH IN GOVERNMENT DAY FEB. 10

SAN GABRIEL, CA – Students from Gabrielino High School will get a taste of local government on Wednesday, Feb. 10, during the city's annual Youth in Government Day.

Thirty-two juniors and seniors will spend the day interacting with staff and learning the mechanics of city government by touring various city departments. At the end of the day the student will conduct their own mock city council meeting. At the mock council meeting some students, who have shadowed city staff during the year, will present staff reports on three topics while others, who have been elected by their peers as council members, will discuss and vote on the issues. The meeting is scheduled to begin at 2:30 p.m. in Council Chambers (425 S Mission Drive).

The day is the culmination of a yearlong hands-on program that also involves other City Hall site visits. The city and GHS have one of the most successful and longest running Youth in Government programs in the region, dating back to 1996. The program aims to shed light on the inner workings of city government for students and also gives the city a chance to connect with youths and their parents.

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