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OUT IN TWO UPDATE

Scholars visit the United Nations Headquarters



Scholars inside the United Nations General Assembly



Scholars inside the United Nations Security Council

The Out in Two club organized a field trip to the United Nations Headquarters on Wednesday, April 26th, 2017. A professional guide spent approximately 45 minutes explaining the purpose and function of the international organization.

The students learned about the history of the United Nations, and saw the inner chambers of the Security Council and the Economic and Social Council. They also learned about the International Declaration of Human Rights, which was adopted by the United Nations in 1948.

Students were informed of the enormous disparity in the amount of money the world spends on weapons as opposed to the miniscule amount spent on peacekeeping. They walked through a room that detailed the terrible effects of nuclear war and even saw a statue that had been charred in the nuclear explosion on Nagasaki.

After the tour, students spent time admiring the beautiful art that was on display throughout the complex and had some time to shop in the gift store. It was a terrific learning experience!