

## THEME: INNOVATIONS IN GLOBAL HEALTH

### GCC PROGRAM

### STUDENT IMPACT



SEPTEMBER

#### LESSONS

- \* Global Citizenship
- \* What is an NGO?
- \* Global Health Issues & Solutions

62%

\* 62% of participants are interested in global issues in the developing world.

75%

\* 75% of students believe that what we do here in the US has an impact on global poverty.

87%

\* 87% of students believe that extreme poverty can be eliminated.

A global citizen is someone who is involved in the issues of the world and uses their knowledge to make a difference, no matter how small.



FEBRUARY

#### GLOBAL YOUTH SUMMIT

- \* How would you use \$1 million to address health issues in a developing country?

93%

\* 93% of students feel confident creating a project proposal and giving a presentation after the summit.

94%

\* 94% of students are motivated to raise awareness about global issues after the summit.

At the Summit, I learned that problems in the developing world are all interconnected and that there is a great need for sustainable solutions.



MARCH

#### ACTION PLANS

- \* Now what?
- \* I can make a difference
- \* Let's do something!
- \* Global to local

79%

\* 79% of students felt equipped to lead a community action plan at their school.



\* \$1,300 raised to support a mid-wife in Sierra Leone through bracelet-selling.



\* Successful multi-media campaign to raise awareness of trachoma in the developing world.

GCC keeps me aware about what is happening in the world and gives me a way to get involved and take action.



JULY

#### FIELD VISIT

- \* 2 students + 1 teacher + 1 week in Ethiopia = experience of a lifetime



I realized my perspective on the developing world was problematic.  
—HAVANA, AGE 17

I realized that a 'western' way of life is not always better.  
—HANNAH, AGE 14

### 2014-15 HIGHLIGHTS

In 2014-15, GCC partnered with **29 teachers** in **23 schools** to impact **767 students** to become active global citizens.



NEW YORK

Launched GCC year-long program



CHICAGO

Hosted 5th Annual Global Youth Summit



BOSTON

Held 1st Global Youth Summit

**LOOKING AHEAD:** In 2015-16, GCC is implementing the year-long program in NY, Chicago, and Boston reaching 35 educators and 1,315 students on the theme of "Global Climate Impact."