

Meet Virginia Riggs!

Virginia is a Community Health Worker (CHW) at Accelerated Learning Academy.

- She is involved in the following projects:
 - Is currently working with local universities to secure donations of dorm furniture (bed frames, mattresses, dressers, night-stands, etc.) for students in Flint Community Schools who may not have their own bed.
- Her favorite part about being a CHW is educating high school students and their families on healthy habits and watching them become independent.
- Her goals for the upcoming school year are steps she hopes will help her students become more confident, independent, and productive members of their community:
 - Help every student at ALA get a Michigan ID and open a savings account
 - Help students get a job and teach them to save the money they earn
- A fun fact about Virginia is that she used to want to be an astronaut; she even went to space camp in Huntsville, Alabama!



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