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We need your help!

Dear Friends and Family,

Dare to Dream: Get Educated! is a one-day conference for Latina middle school girls and their mothers to empower the dream of education. Our fourth conference will take place at Elmhurst College, Saturday, January 28, 2012, and will focus on the personal, professional and financial value of education in general, and higher education in particular. Both the girls and their mothers will attend workshops on various topics such as: careers, high school and college campus life, making choices, health, navigating the American school system and family life.

Comments from three of the 288 Latina girls who attended with their moms show how the 2011 conference made a difference in their lives:

- “No matter what background you have, you can go to college”
- “Always try and never give up. Believe in yourself. Never let yourself down.”
- “Try different things and have a plan, check off criteria as you go along.”

Dare to Dream is presented by AAUW branches in the Lombard, Wheaton-Glen Ellyn, Downers Grove and Elmhurst areas, working together with DuPage middle schools and successful Latina business and professional women, who serve as board members, conference presenters, and role models.

Your generosity will help us to encourage Latina girls of DuPage County to dare to dream and to seek the education that will turn that dream into reality. **A tax deductible donation of \$48.00 will support the attendance of one girl to the conference.** Any amount will be appreciated. Donors will be acknowledged in the 2012 conference program.

New this year: Please consider becoming a Sustaining Contributor of Dare to Dream: Get Educated!, so that we can plan on your support and minimize fundraising costs. A tax receipt will be mailed to you each year in January.

Thank you,
Eva Sanchez, President of the Dare to Dream Board

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