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Dear International School educators, administrators and students:

On behalf of the PeaceJam Foundation and its board of 12 Nobel Peace Laureates, we invite educators, staff, parents and students in the International Schools network to join PeaceJam and be part of the most transformational youth program in the world!

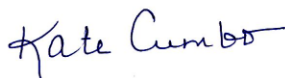
PeaceJam is an international education program built around leading Nobel Peace Laureates who work personally with youth to pass on the spirit, skills, and wisdom they embody. The goal of PeaceJam is to inspire a new generation of young leaders committed to positive change in themselves, their communities and the world. Members of the PeaceJam Foundation include Archbishop Desmond Tutu, The Dalai Lama, Rigoberta Menchú Tum, President Oscar Arias, Aung San Suu Kyi, Jody Williams, Sir Joseph Rotblat, Adolfo Pérez Esquivel, President José Ramos-Horta, Máiread Corrigan Maguire, Betty Williams, and Shirin Ebadi.

PeaceJam has curricular programs for youth ages 5-25 that explore the work of Nobel Peace Laureates, examine issues of equity, peace, and social justice, and engage youth in service-learning projects that connect to PeaceJam's Global Call to Action campaign. High school and college age youth also have the opportunity to participate in PeaceJam Youth Conferences with a Nobel Peace Laureate which have been hosted across the USA and internationally each year.

International Schools in Norway, Brazil and Bangladesh are already implementing PeaceJam Programs with their students because the three pillars of PeaceJam - Education, Inspiration, and Action – align with their goal of creating globally engaged citizens. We invite you to participate in one of our online trainings and to bring a group of students to one of our many PeaceJam Youth Conferences hosted around the globe, giving your students the opportunity to interact personally with a Nobel Peace Laureate. Please visit www.peacejam.org to get started!

The PeaceJam Foundation has been nominated for the Nobel Peace Prize six times which speaks to the power of our work to transform the lives of young people and their communities. I would enjoy the opportunity to speak with you further about getting PeaceJam started at your school. I can be reached at 303-455-2099 or at kate@peacejam.org.

Most Sincerely,



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