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Encouraging Girls to Consider Careers in Technology

CMD is full of fun tech activities that get girls interested in technology careers and classes.

A special adult program covers college prep, cyber safety, and opportunities for girls in tech.

Boys are welcome, and parents, teachers, and community members participate too.

October 31, 2009, 9am - 3pm

Northern Virginia Community College, Annandale Campus

www.computer-mania.info

What Is Computer Mania Day™?

Multinational Development of Women in Technology (MDWIT), along with the faculty and staff of Northern Virginia Community College, are hosting Computer Mania, a fun-filled day of technology-related activities for middle school girls! Computer Mania Day encourages middle school girls to explore technology-related careers. Parents, teachers, and community members also will participate in the day's activities.

What Can We Accomplish in One Day?

Research shows that in just one day, Computer Mania increases girls' awareness of and interest in career opportunities in computer science, information technology, engineering, and math and encourages girls to take related, elective classes in local-area middle and high schools. Girls, their parents, and their teachers are provided with an extended morning of fun, hands-on technology-related activities at Computer Mania Day. Although our main focus is to increase girls' awareness and interest, boys are welcome too!

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Volunteers Needed!

Help with activities leading up to the event, or volunteer to assist on site. For more information, email Jackie White at computermania@mdwit.org or call (443) 415-6243.

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