## 21st Century Instructional Initiative Grant Recipients 2017-2018

## **NorthBay Adventure Camp 2018**

General John Stricker Middle School Brian Wagner, Principal Ashley Silvernail, Grant Liaison

## **Environmental Literacy**

Being surrounded by the Chesapeake Bay and surrounding nature students were able to actively engage with the environment. Using a hands-on learning approach they were able to better understand native vs invasive species, human impact on natural habitats, and the impact of trash on their local setting. Through various activities students were able to brainstorm ways to both minimize the negative impacts on, as well as ways to encourage protection of, the natural surroundings.

- Provided a way for students to directly connect with the Chesapeake Bay
- Allowed them to see multiple impacts humans have on the local environment
- Helped build a sense of community between the students
- Taught the students various character education lessons









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