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## “S.T.E.A.M. Express for Success” Maple Summer S.T.E.A.M.

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Our summer 3<sup>rd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> grade S.T.E.A.M. students at Maple Elementary School had the pleasure of visiting **Delmarva Model Railroad Club in Delmar, Maryland** as a climax to their extended learning experience during summer S.T.E.A.M. Students received an **educational tour** of the various models led by club volunteers and coordinated by **Mr. John Huntzinger, President of the Model Club**. Additionally, they engaged in presentations relevant to **STEM based careers** in railroad engineering, technology, the importance of mathematics, and the integration of art as they were afforded the opportunity to **make their own model trains** and **create scenery** to enhance their models. This unique opportunity enhanced these students' STEM experiential learning experiences thorough our collaborative learning **quest for success curriculum** and **PBL**. This was taught and developed exclusively for Maple by **Mrs. Bobbi Callis and Mrs. Tiffany Blisard** during summer S.T.E.A.M. We look forward to this project continuing throughout **afterschool S.T.E.A.M.**



