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## ACES SGA LEADS THE WAY IN HAITI RELIEF EFFORTS

ACES Student Government Association (SGA), students, families, staff and the City of Aventura joined together in a countywide effort to aid Haitian victims. ACES student government felt compelled to act and the relief effort was born. SGA officers made posters and visited classrooms to encourage students to participate. The response was overwhelming as monetary donations, food items and medical supplies poured in. ACES staff member Ms. Shawn and SGA staff sponsor, Mr. Ostrick worked along side SGA student leaders. ACES Haiti Relief Bake Sale held at the Aventura Mall was an incredible success. Vice Principal, Mr. Sandberg said, "ACES SGA worked selflessly and tirelessly for the past two months with astounding results." A special check ceremony was held at ACES. SGA President Jake Norman, Vice President Adam Brown, Secretary Dean Nadler, Treasurer Max Youtie and Sergeant-at-Arms Stefanie Rozhko presented a check for \$7,350 to Food for the Poor for ACES Haiti Relief efforts. Vicki Kaufman and Sandra Devoe from Food for the Poor accepted the check stating that "We were in awe to experience the students' spirit and compassionate hearts! ACES students are having a profound impact on the destitute." ACES Principal, Ms. Alm added, "Our SGA's leadership has been remarkable. These efforts have brought our entire community together with extraordinary results."



