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November 15, 1985

Catrina Pogues  
1314 West 109th Place  
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Dear Katrina:

Thank you for your recent letter in which you expressed support for additional money being spent by the federal government to help to educate young people like yourself in our public schools.

During my entire career in Congress I have worked for passage of federal education and job training programs to help those less fortunate individuals in our society becoming productive, tax paying citizens. Unfortunately, there are many in this Administration and in the Congress who do not believe that the federal government has a role in the education of our young people. They believe local and state governments should find enough money to properly fund their public schools.

In my current position as Chairman of the House Education and Labor Committee, I have introduced a number of bills designed to increase and improve the amount of help the federal government lends to our public schools around the country. For your information, I have enclosed a couple of these pieces of legislation for you to study to see how the students in the public schools in the Los Angeles area might benefit.

Please let me know if you have any questions or comments after you have had time to analyze the bills potential impact on you and your friends at George Washington Prep. If I can provide any additional information on this or any other issue of importance to you please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

Augustus F. Hawkins  
Member of Congress

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October 24, 1985  
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Los Angeles Ca. 90094

Dear Sir,

I am concerned about the Los Angeles School System. The students that are participating in this program, are being cut short of their learning ability. The literature that each individual receives is obsolete, and for that reason the literature is below each student's learning level. Our society is growing, and we understand that it takes more learning skills, to reach your goals now, than in the past. I believe that you will negotiate the issue, and give our future a fighting chance.

I hope that you, as our congressman will fight for more money in the school system, and give me a fighting chance.

Sincerely,



CATRINA POGUES

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