



While visiting the US Capitol Building, CELA students had the opportunity to meet their congressman, U.S. Rep. Scott Fitzgerald, R-Juneau. Students heard briefly about the three committees on which he serves and about his work on each of those.

## CELA eighth-graders visit Washington

Christian Education Leadership Academy's eighth-grade class traveled to Washington DC for their class trip. While visiting Arlington National Cemetery (right), CELA students were escorted by Captain Isaac Nikssarian of the Old Guard, who oversees the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. Highlights around the cemetery included visiting the grave of Marine Sgt. David J. Smith, a high school friend of CELA teacher Evan Hays, the eternal flame at the John F. Kennedy gravesite, and the U.S.S. Maine Memorial, at which CELA students greeted and thanked several Honor Flight veterans.

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