Welcome Gianna Desiree Kennard!
Born January 29th
Congrats to Des and Erica!

Weekly meetings are going well. We talked about purpose versus just working hard, and the importance of having purpose and how it can help you naturally overcome some of the obstacles in your way instead of just grinding away. We discussed Kobe Bryant’s sudden tragic death and how much he served as a model for us millennials, especially his singular motivation and willingness to work so hard, and how he was able to reach the pinnacle and then start a whole new chapter of giving back. We talked about how Kobe’s death brought out a lot of emotion. It seemed like men, who don’t always show emotion, were able to release and cry and in this case to accept theirs and others’ full humanity.

For our 10th graders we have started to talk about the college and career journey, beginning with the basics like “what is an undergraduate degree?” “what is a Master’s degree?” Jaykyri visited BFIT to better understand their offerings for our 12th grade students who want to explore something other than 4-year college.

We are at your schools every other week meeting with YMWAP students over lunch. Reach out with any questions you may have. Thank you, Jaykyri & Des

Coming Up
Thursday, February 27th: Men of Color Career Night (flyer attached)
Young Man with a Plan

Men of Color Career Night
Thursday, February 27th, 2020
6:30pm – 8pm
Includes Dinner
Boston Prep Charter School Cafeteria
885 River Street, Hyde Park 02136

Meet with professionals from a range of career fields in a welcoming & informative evening
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