



Dear Mr./Mrs. Shelley Stroleny,

It is my pleasure to announce that George Washington Carver Middle School has been awarded second place in the School of the Year 2019 contest. This contest, organized by the Education Office of the Embassy of Spain in the United States and Canada, in collaboration with reputed Spanish sponsors, is an homage to excellence and an impeccable implementation of Spanish and its culture in American schools.

From the Education Office of the Embassy of Spain, I would like to congratulate your staff, teachers, parents and pupils for their exemplary daily work, as evidenced by the materials presented in the portfolio submitted for the contest and demonstrated during the visit of our School Advisor.

You and other worthy award recipients will be honored at a ceremony next **May 3rd** in the presence of the Ambassador of Spain. We will be sending an email with the complete details of the ceremony and prizes soon, but for now I simply would like to say congratulations.

We are lucky to have your school spreading quality Spanish bilingual education in the USA.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of several overlapping loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Dr. María José Fabre González

Counselor of Education for the USA and Canada