

Future Teachers of America

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Mr. Pinkus

The F.T.A. Club, as it is called for short, strives to encourage young people to enter the teaching field and to acquaint them with this profession.

The members meet every Monday at 3:15 at which time Mr. Pinkus leads them in planning their weekly activities. They are busy taking field trips to places of interest, or inviting individuals to come to their meetings and tell them of the "life of a teacher". Miss Ajango, a teacher here at Southwest, was one of the lecturers. In addition, a retired professor from Washington University pointed out some of the advantages of teaching.

A highlight of this year's activities was the Christmas party which was shared with the Future Nurses of America, a friendly group with purposes quite similar to those of the embryonic pedagogues.

1957 saw the beginning of a very important club at Southwest. Mrs. Carter, who was also new to Southwest, brought with her the idea of a Future Nurses Club. The Club was an immediate success, attracting many girls planning to become the much needed nurses of the future.

Besides getting their roots firmly planted in Southwest, Mrs. Carter and the girls have been very busy fulfilling the purpose of the Club: to help future nurses of America understand and become acquainted with the life of a R.N. They have visited many hospitals around St. Louis, a few of which are Deaconess, Jewish, Barnes and Children's. In addition to these activities, the club has been addressed by visiting members of their chosen profession.

Future Nurses of America

Row One: S. Moeller, J. Abromovich, C. Webster, S. Schofield, K. Kurmann, C. Butler, J. Chesus.
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