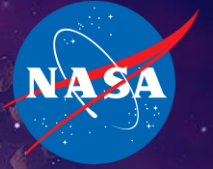


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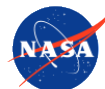
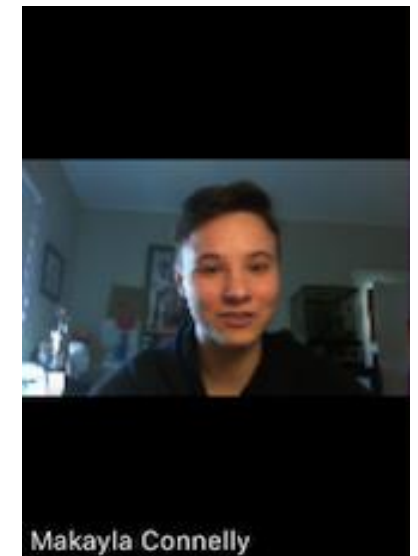
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The GLOBE Mission EARTH program is pleased to continue connecting students and Subject Matter Experts through distance learning. Makalya Connelly, a senior from Skyline High School in Oakland, CA , interviewed Brian Peterson, co-founder of “Bees in the D”, a GLOBE collaborating organization and non-profit whose mission is to educate about the importance of honey bees, native pollinator conservation, and urban beekeeping. Makalya spoke to Brian about her senior research project - *What are the biggest threats facing captive and native bee populations in California and what can be done about them?* Her interview questions included topics such as changes in bee populations over the years due to: climate change, agricultural practices, timing of seasonal flowers blooms, and bacterial infestations.



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