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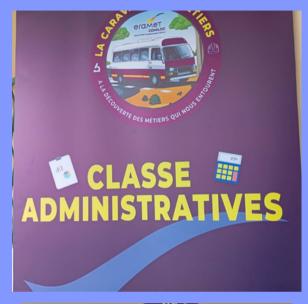


On Wednesday, November 20, 2024, the Henri Sylvoz high school organized a day dedicated to the search for "BUILDERS" and not "WORKERS".

Introduced by Mrs. Jessica, the day begins with the reception of the students in three different departments that are presented to them.

- -The administration -science and health
- Architecture and engineering.







The students are divided into groups according to their interests and their study or life projects.

Before entering the room for the professional meeting, Mrs. Jessica explains to them what this project consists of and why it was set up.

"When we look at other countries such as our neighbours Congo or Cameroon, we are impressed. We say to ourselves "wow! The roads are well made, the buildings are beautiful! But how did this happen? It happened because one day, a young person like you stood up, he said to himself, "I want to participate in the development of my country, I want to make it beautiful.""





So he worked. Roads have been built, buildings have been built. Without this desire at the beginning, if he had just followed the "normal" lifestyle, these projects would not have succeeded. So that's why they organized this day, to motivate us. To push us too to participate in the development of our country. Not just because we have to, but because we want

to. Because that's what we love, what we really want to do. This is what is important to us. What we like.

This project is intended to find the future BUILDERS of Gabon. The future faces who will promote the country. "Imagine the pride it would be to say I am Gabonese and I made the first Gabonese car."

After Mrs. Jessica's speech, we are invited in groups of ten to the rooms where we meet professionals from different professions who explain to us how, under what conditions, why and through what they went to become what they are today. They present some of the tools they use on a daily basis and how they work. Without hesitation, they even proceed to examples.

Everyone is free to ask their questions, in a warm and welcoming environment. Questions that the pros are happy to answer with personal anecdotes that motivate and give courage.

At the end of the exchanges and presentations, the students are invited to resume the course of their days and return to class, motivated by the previous antics which were enough to give them strength, courage, hope to stand up to be the future leaders and developers of our country.

Exciting. This is the word that perfectly describes this meeting.

