Congratulations to Anna Walker-Roberts, Film & Video Production teacher at Science Leadership Academy (SLA) and her students for being awarded **1st Place for their video 'Delete All Files'** at **10-Day Film Challenge**!

The **10 Day Film Challenge** is an intense and invigorating 10 school days in which teams of students make a movie - write, shoot, edit and score it, in just 10 school days and only during their scheduled class period!

On Day 1, the **Challenge** releases to the students the character including his/her backstory, a prop, a line of dialogue, a cinematic technique and genre that must be included in their movie. Then, 10 school days later, a 3-4 minute movie must be complete. Finally, the best films, depending upon the state, are screened at a local theater or online as part of an awards ceremony.

Although SLA participated in what's called the multi-state - it is the National 10-Day Film Challenge and includes teams of students from countries outside of America, as well. This year over 270 films from 80 schools (including several SDP CTE Film & Video and Digital Media Production Programs) were submitted to the 10-Day Film Challenge - **2 films from SLA were selected to screen in their Top 30**.

The films are:

- **Delete All Files** by Simone Cruice-Barnett, Sam Gualtieri, Ruby Ginsburg, and Jade Gilliam
  - **1st Place and was nominated for Best Editing, Best Use of Line of Dialogue, and won Best Opening Titles, Best Sound, Rowan University Award for Best Underclassmen Directed Film**

- **It's Not Easy Being Blue** by Grace Conley, Carlos DeJesus, Nhu Lai, and Sarah Son
  - **Nominated for Best Music and Rowan University Award for Best Underclassmen Directed Film.**

To showcase student videos, Anna organized a screening for PA 10-Day Challenge Films at WHYY with three other media teachers from outside of Philadelphia. 'Delete all Files' won multiple awards at that screening as well as 3rd overall.

These SLA films are:

- **Delete All Files** by Simone Cruice-Barnett, Sam Gualtieri, Ruby Ginsburg, and Jade Gilliam
  - Delete All Files was nominated for Best Editing, Best Use of Line of Dialogue, and won Best Opening Titles, Best Sound, Rowan University Award for Best Underclassmen Directed Film, and 1st Place Overall!
**It's Not Easy Being Blue** by Grace Conley, Carlos DeJesus, Nhu Lai, and Sarah Son

- It's Not Easy Being Blue was nominated for Best Music and Rowan University Award for Best Underclassmen Directed Film.

Below are photos of the posters for each or SLA's films, and [here a link](#) to 'Delete All Files' and other winning videos at the 10-Day Film Challenge website.