In all my years of education, I have never had the experience of having a teacher of color. This definitely affected me in a negative way, since I never had a person that looked like me to go to. Since all of my teachers were white people, I also faced discrimination through my academic years. Many white teachers looked down on me, and would even say I would not go far. It is important that our students do not have to go through, what I did. Having teachers of colors is very important. It is a need within our schools.