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Dear Explorer,

Greetings from the nation's capital and home of Explorer Academy. When our recruits aren't on board one of the ships in the Academy's fleet, you can find them here, attending classes or training in the CAVE (Computer Animated Virtual Experience).

This postcard is the official start of your first mission as an EA Explorer. Follow the clues to unlock the code below to reveal a secret word, then visit <a href="https://www.exploreracademy.com/postcard2">www.exploreracademy.com/postcard2</a> and enter the word in the space provided. If you enter the correct word, it will unlock the next postcard and reveal some hidden secrets about the Explorer Academy. Collect and print out all six postcards and follow the instructions to tape them together to reveal one of Cruz's adventures from book 2: The Falcon's Feather!

Good luck, recruit! And remember, fortune favors the brave!

Professor Marisol Coronado

Which of D.C.'s famous memorials lies almost 40% underground?



\*To find the key to unlocking the cipher check out *The Nebula Secret*, or the September issue of *National Geographic Kids* magazine.

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