**Marine Mammals VTC, 02/27/2018 – Questions**

1. Why did you decide to become a scientist? What brought you to research in Antarctica? - Jordan, Sand Creek Middle
2. What animals do you study and which one is your favorite? – Brenda, San Antonio Elementary
3. Do you interact with whales, and if so, how? – Kaitlyn, AKTEACH Homeschool
4. How do whale populations change throughout the seasons and over the years? Is there a drastic decline due to global warming? – Jumana, Sand Creek Middle
5. What is the biggest problem you’ve had in collecting data? Was it long- or short- term? How did it affect the data? Did you have to restart the process? – Tarek, San Antonio Elementary
6. Does climate change affect the behavior of marine mammals? – Nicholas, AKTEACH Homeschool
7. What process do you do when studying animals? – Payton, Sand Creek Middle
8. I am doing a project studying birds in our local watershed to see how the drought is affecting them. Do you have any advice for student scientists in developing projects? – Carly., San Antonio Elementary
9. What is the coolest discovery you have made? - Grace, AKTEACH Homeschool
10. I know Antarctica has a lot more daylight in the summer months and a lot more darkness in the winter months. Does that affect the animals that live there? – Sidney, Sand Creek Middle
11. What is the hardest thing about working in Antarctica? – Eric, San Antonio Elementary
12. How does your research or daily routine change between winter and summer? – Henry, AKTEACH Homeschool
13. Do the whales that you study migrate to warmer climates? – Rosemary,, Sand Creek Middle
14. What was the craziest trip you’ve ever been on that didn’t go as planned? – Bryan, San Antonio Elementary
15. What do you do with your trash? - Zachary, AKTEACH Homeschool