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CLT team members give their kids an insider’s look at how the airline works

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More than 100 kids, 32 chaperones, 14 department coordinators and 6 departments participated in Charlotte Douglas International Airport’s (CLT) AA Kid’s Day as part of National Take our Sons and Daughters to Work Day.

The junior aviators-in-training were given an all-access pass to tour behind the scenes of the airport and operations. After a short orientation, participants visited the tower and the heavy maintenance hangar, saw the simulators at the training center and participated in a mock check-in at the ticket counter. The children then were served lunch on board an A330 and were dubbed honorary pilots and flight attendants for the day.

Each group was named after an amazing destination that we fly to out of CLT (Cancun, Rome, London, Havana, Madrid or Paris). Everyone said they learned something new and they truly got to experience the hard work their parents do to run a safe and reliable airline.

CLT team members were excited to have the opportunity to bring their kids to see where they work. “I have never had the chance before this event to show my kids behind the scenes at my work,” said Scott Mann, Line Check Airman Supervisor. “My three youngest were able to attend Thursday and they couldn't quit talking about how much fun they had … this event has impacted my kids, and lots of others, for the better.”

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