Dugard shares her story with high school students

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They came to see the survivor, of course.

The Little Theatre at East Aurora High School on Tuesday afternoon was overflowing with students from the Survivor Literature classes who wanted to hear firsthand how Jaycee Lee Dugard lived for 18 years as a prisoner in the backyard of her kidnapper and rapist.

Of how she gave birth to two daughters — not only managing to live through almost two decades of imprisonment and, at times, unimaginable sexual torture, but to later find forgiveness and normalcy.

First, however, Dugard wanted to hear from the East Aurora kids.

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