Dr. Mary Oellermann

Students listen as Dr. Mary Oellermann portrays abolitionist Sophia Kelton during a tour of the Underground Railroad Learning Station at the Kelton House Museum and Garden. Oellermann is the educational coordinator for the Kelton House.

Dr. Mary Oellermann portrays Sophia Kelton, an abolitionist who, along with her husband, Fernando, hid fugitive slaves in their home on East Town Street in Columbus, which is now the Kelton House Museum and Garden. She serves as the educational coordinator at the museum. Previously she was a professor of agricultural economics at The Ohio State University. A Worthington resident, Oellermann serves on numerous boards of local organizations. She is a past president of the Junior League of Columbus, which oversees the Kelton House. She was named one of Northwest Columbus' Women of the Year for 2008.