

2009 Grants:

826NYC

826NYC is a nonprofit organization dedicated to supporting students ages 6-18 with their creative and expository writing skills, and to helping teachers inspire their students to write. Their services are structured around the belief that great leaps in learning can happen with one-on-one attention and that strong writing skills are fundamental to future successes.

826NYC
372 Fifth Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11215
www.826nyc.org

Agape Corner, Inc.

Agape Corner is a non-profit Christian boarding school in inner city Durham, North Carolina. It services the children that are often "forgotten" by society. Agape Corner has taken in the children that the world finds problematic: children with emotional problems, learning disabilities, or behavioral challenges. Many of these children cannot function in a typical classroom because of these issues or lack of parent involvement. Agape Corner enrolls children, regardless of their background, and provides them with a free education while also providing them a stable home environment.

Agape Corner, Inc.
P.O. Box 16027
Durham, NC 27704
www.agapecorner.org

Blue Ribbon Mentor Advocate Program of the Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools Systems

Blue Ribbon Mentor-Advocate is a comprehensive support program for students in the Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools. They provide students with mentoring, tutoring, advocacy, enrichment, leadership training, and scholarship support services. They serve students with potential that is as yet undeveloped. The success of their program is due to volunteers and generous grants.

Blue Ribbon Mentor-Advocate
750 S. Merritt Road
Chapel Hill, NC 27516
www.blueribbonmentors.org

Chapel Hill Carrboro YMCA - Boomerang Program

Boomerang seeks to engage disconnected youth and their community by providing a supportive alternative environment for out of school time, offering resiliency based training for professionals and other adults, and advocating for community change that has enduring benefits for all adolescents. This program works with short-term suspended middle and high school youth throughout Chapel Hill and Carrboro. They prioritize serving court-involved juveniles and substance using students. In addition, they provide a community service site to high school youth who are involved in the adult court system.

Chapel Hill Carrboro YMCA
Boomerang Program
980 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.
Chapel Hill, NC 27514
www.boomerangnc.org

Children With Vision Tutorial Services

Children With Vision's mission is to provide quality tutorial services in Science, Mathematics, Reading and English to under-performing students considered at-risk or disadvantaged. They also work to improve study skills, provide homework assistance and enhance self-esteem, confidence and character.

Children With Vision Tutorial Services
St. Augustine College
Hermitage Building – Room 207
1315 Oakwood Avenue
Raleigh, NC 27160
www.childrenwithvision.org

Communities in Schools of Orange County, Inc.

Communities in School of Orange County (CIS) champions the connection of needed community resources with schools to help young people successfully learn, stay in school, and prepare for life. The population CIS of Orange serves is Middle school students in grades 6th-8th in the Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools (CHCCS) and Orange County Schools (OCS) districts. These students either have been identified as having barriers to learning or they are in need of a structured environment during the critical hours of 3 pm – 6 pm. All seven (7) middle schools in southern and northern Orange have programs to address those above stated issues.

Communities in Schools of Orange County, Inc.
P.O. Box 9454
Chapel Hill, NC 27515-9454
www.cisoc-nc.org

The Duke Ellington School of the Arts Project

The Duke Ellington School of the Arts' mission is to nurture and inspire passion for arts and learning in talented students who might not otherwise have an opportunity to develop their artistic skills. Ellington ensures that its students are prepared for post-secondary education and/or careers in the arts by offering an intensive arts-based program and a challenging academic curriculum.

The Duke Ellington School of the Arts Project
3500 R Street, NW
Washington, DC 20007
www.ellingtonschool.org

The Durham At Risk Youth Collaborative

The Durham At Risk Youth Collaborative's mission is to provide integrated, community-based services that holistically support the needs of Durham's disconnected youth to enable graduation from high school ready for success in college, career and life.

The Durham At Risk Youth Collaborative
P.O. Box 964
Durham, NC 27702-0964
www.durhamatriskyouthcollaborative.org/www.daryc.org

Durham Literacy Center – Teen Career Academy

The Teen Career Academy at the Durham Literacy Center is a program specifically designed to help out-of-school youth ages 16-18 attain their General Education Development (GED) diploma and improve basic literacy skills. All services and instruction are free and they rely heavily on volunteers and grants.

Durham Literacy Center
Teen Career Academy
P.O. Box 52209
Durham, NC 27707
www.durhamliteracy.org

Durham Nativity School

Durham Nativity School (DNS) provides a positive learning environment for eligible boys in grades six through eight. This environment will support them in their personal, social, moral and intellectual development and position them to be successful at a college preparatory high school and through their college career. Offering an extended day, extended year program, the ultimate goal of DNS is to provide a multi-dimensional learning opportunity for its students so they will be

inspired to develop the skills and critical thinking necessary to become educated leaders and role models within the community.

Durham Nativity School
P.O. Box 3537
Durham, NC 27701
www.durhamnativity.org

EDGE Training and Placement, Inc.

The EDGE mission is to deliver a life-changing growth process to Durham's non-engaged youth, in a results-oriented, disciplined environment through education, leadership and personal responsibility they can break the cycle of crime and poverty. By transforming their own lives and roles in society, they can unleash their full potential.

EDGE Training and Placement, Inc.
800 N. Mangum Street, Suite B
Durham, NC 27701
www.edgetp.org

Emily Krzyzewski Family Life Center

The Emily Krzyzewski Family Life Center's mission is to inspire economically disadvantaged students to dream big, strive for academic excellence, act with character and purpose, and reach their highest potential as citizen leaders. They believe that education is the key to unlocking opportunities, developing productive citizens, and eliminating poverty.

Emily Krzyzewski Family Life Center
904 W. Chapel Hill Street
Durham, NC 27701
www.emilyk.org

Exalt Youth

Exalt's mission is to transform the lives of youth along the spectrum of criminal justice involvement by equipping them with the skills and experience necessary to become self-sufficient, self-fulfilled, productive members of our society.

Exalt Youth
150 Court Street, 2nd Floor
Brooklyn, NY 11201
www.exaltyouth.org

Financial Futures Foundation

The mission of the Financial Futures Foundation is to provide the resources and intelligence for students with high achievement, but limited access. Specifically, these students have expressed an interest in pursuing careers in finance or business. By providing instruction, mentoring, and ethics training, they hope to have broadened the students knowledge about potential career options they may pursue and the skills needed to achieve these goals.

Financial Futures Foundation
5915 Farrington Road, Suite 202
Chapel Hill, NC 27517
www.financialfuturesfoundation.org

Kramden Institute, Inc.

Kramden Institute, Inc.'s mission is to empower hardworking, financially disadvantaged students by giving them home computers, allowing them to bridge the digital divide and advance their achievement. They accomplish this by collecting, refurbishing, and reusing computers, extending their useful lives.

Kramden Institute, Inc.
4915 Prospectus Drive, Suite J
Durham, NC 27713
www.kramden.org

Minds Matter of NYC, Inc.

Minds Matter transforms the lives of accomplished high school students from low-income families by broadening their dreams and preparing them for college success.

Minds Matter of NYC, Inc.
1120 Avenue of the Americas, 4th Floor
New York, NY 10036
www.mindsmatter.org

NC Connected, Inc.

NC Connected offers programs that teach girls from rural and underserved communities the knowledge, skills and attitudes needed to pursue careers in business and information technology, to make positive life choices, and to move toward economic self-sufficiency. They turn teenaged girls into internet programmers, social media trainers and leaders. Their focus is on developing long-term relationships that allow ample time for each student to develop a professional skill set, to build a portfolio using those skills and to gain professional certification if desired—all before she leaves high school.

NC Connected, Inc.

4400 Birmingham Way
Raleigh, NC 27604
www.ncconnected.org

Head Start Program – Chapel Hill Training Outreach Project, Inc.

The Chapel Hill Training Outreach Project, Inc. was a division of the Chapel Hill-Carrboro City School System from 1969-1997. In 1984, the CHTOP, Inc. acquired funding to start the Chapel Hill-Carrboro Head Start program which remained with the CHCCS after CHTOP, Inc. became an independent, 501(c)(3) non-profit organization in 1997. The program serves low-income households in Orange County from birth to Pre-K through the Head Start Program. All Head-Start families receive an array of individualized services based on each family's situation.

Chapel Hill Training Outreach Project, Inc.
Head Start Program
800 Eastowne Drive, Suite 105
Chapel Hill, NC 27516
www. chtop.org

The Orange County Literacy Council

The Orange County Literacy Council's vision is to achieve 100% adult literacy in Orange County. Their mission is to assist adults in improving their literacy skills in order to achieve their employment, community, family and life goals.

Orange County Literacy Council
200 N. Greensboro Street, Suite C-2
Chapel Hill, NC 27510
www. orangeliteracy.org

Science Days, Inc.

Science Days is a mentoring program to foster scientific curiosity in elementary school students by engaging them in hands-on learning opportunities beyond the ordinary classroom experience. The program aims to create a national network of enthusiastic high school and college mentors who are dedicated to making a difference in their communities through promoting science education.

Science Days, Inc.
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Durham YMCAs - We Build People Program

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American Tobacco Historic District
410 Blackwell Street, Suite 20
Durham, NC 27701
www.ymcatriangle.org/Durham_YMCAs.aspx