



COLLEGE INITIATIVES



YES Prep Public Schools will increase the number of students from underserved communities who graduate from college prepared to lead. **Robust and comprehensive college counseling is a central component of the YES Prep College Initiatives program.**



11,600

STUDENTS



2,912

ALUMNI



84%

ECONOMICALLY
DISADVANTAGED



96%

HISPANIC AND
AFRICAN AMERICAN

OUR MODEL CONSISTS OF FOUR MAJOR COMPONENTS:

COLLEGE ADVISING ▶

Personal Advising

College counselors meet one-on-one with students to guide them toward colleges that match their career aspirations, have strong support programs, and are financially affordable.

College Trips and Visits

Students gain exposure to many different colleges through tours with our Success Teams, fly-in programs with our IMPACT schools, and visits to YES Prep's College Fair.

College Affordability Counseling

Our counselors work with families to help them understand financial aid award letters and determine which colleges are most affordable.

ALUMNI SUPPORT

IMPACT Partner Colleges

These 35 highly selective colleges and universities agree to meet 100% of demonstrated financial need and to provide specialized support for eligible YES Prep students.

Success Team Schools

We work with college campus professionals at these state and local universities and colleges to provide resources and support students academically, socially, and emotionally.

Alumni Scholarships

Each year, we award tens of thousands of dollars in scholarships that are available only to YES Prep students.

COLLEGE PREP SEMINAR CLASSES

Application Guidance and Support

In college preparatory seminar classes, students begin to develop their college-going identity, practice skills that will lead to college success, and complete parts of the college application.

Standardized Test Prep

Students receive a Princeton Review-designed SAT or ACT test prep class that is delivered as part of their junior seminar.

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

Service, Academic, or Cultural Programs

Our advisors match students with summer programs that meet their interests and long-range goals, including academic courses at universities, outdoor leadership excursions, or study abroad experiences.



COLLEGE MATRICULATION RATE

Percentage of students who have enrolled in college within one year of graduation from high school



YES PREP



Low-Income Students at High-Minority Urban U.S. High Schools

SOURCE: National Student Clearing House 2015 High School Benchmark

CLASS OF 2016 PROFILE



721

GRADUATES



90%+

FIRST-GENERATION
COLLEGE STUDENTS



2.95

AVERAGE HIGH
SCHOOL GPA



6,729

COLLEGE APPLICATIONS
SUBMITTED



\$18M

AWARDED IN SCHOLARSHIPS,
GRANTS, AND FINANCIAL AID