



SUPPORTER IMPACT REPORT

2020-2021

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They take too many lives away
We can't go outside and go play
This has been happening since May
"Black Lives Matter," we say

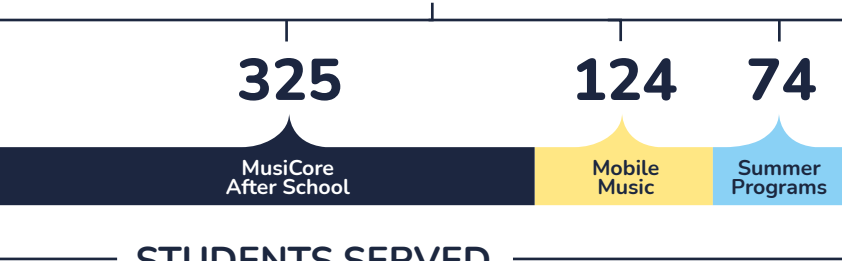
We see all these people dying
We see too many mommas crying
Love is what we're finding
We're gonna make it a better day
We're gonna make it a better day

Look at our past — Corona is hard
We're wearing a mask — Stop the
violence We need to do it fast
We're gonna make it a better day
We're gonna make it a better day

"Better Day" by Naheim, 5th grade

2020 - 2021 PROGRAMS

This school year **523** students participated in our music and educational programs



STUDENTS SERVED

PREPARING OUR STUDENTS FOR THE FUTURE

100% of MusiCore graduates are pursuing college or trade school



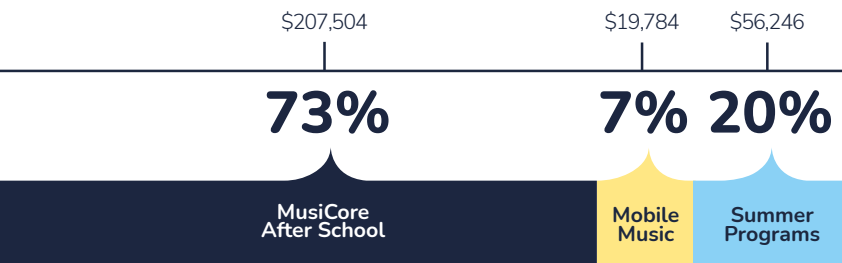
5 Graduating seniors received

\$6,000

and a **laptop** from the Higher Education Scholarship Fund.

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EXPENSES BY PROGRAM



75% of students do not otherwise have access to learn music



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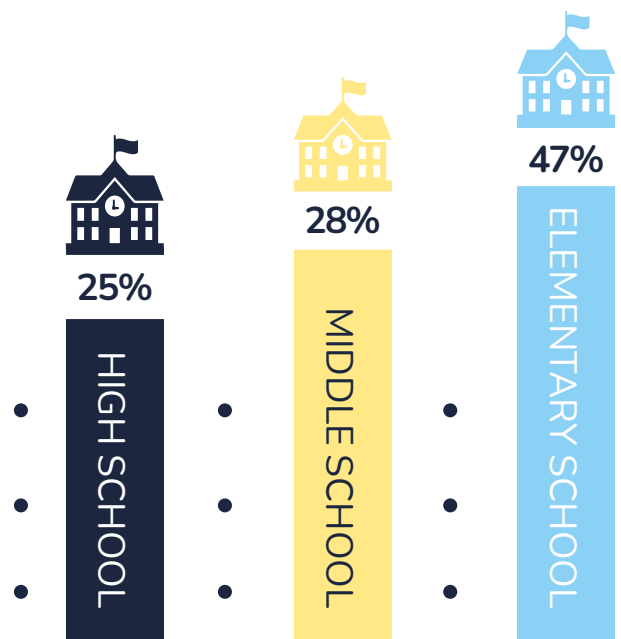
Developing strength and confidence through my voice was the beginning of my passion. I wanted to learn how to sway others with my voice the same way so many songs had done for me. Now, I am a high school graduate looking to start a career in the field that's drawn my eye since I was a small child.”

- 2021 graduate Nia C. D.

STUDENT DETAILS

Students came from **89** schools

We worked with **20+** school and community partners



INSTRUMENT GIVEAWAYS

We gave students

244

instruments
valued at over

\$ 39,500



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STUDENT PERFORMANCES



VOLUNTEERS

Thank you to

23

volunteers who provided

336

hours of one-on-one
academic and music
support!

100%

BOARD OF DIRECTOR GIVING

8

Create with a Pro Musician
volunteers worked with
students over

98
hours

DEMOGRAPHICS

OUR STUDENTS IDENTIFY AS

64% Black

11% Hispanic/Latinx

10% White

7% Asian

8% Multi-Racial

Non-Binary

2%

Female

47%

Male

51%



90% of students served came from high need zip codes



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“We became partners in 2020, and ever since it’s been an amazing ride. It’s like a partnership made in heaven. The kids absolutely love the program, all the virtual lessons, and all the free instruments and equipment that you provide. I can’t ask for a better partner. We just want to let you all know that we appreciate you all, and as long as you’re rockin, we’re rolling.”

- Ryan Harris, Founder and Executive Director of As I Plant This Seed

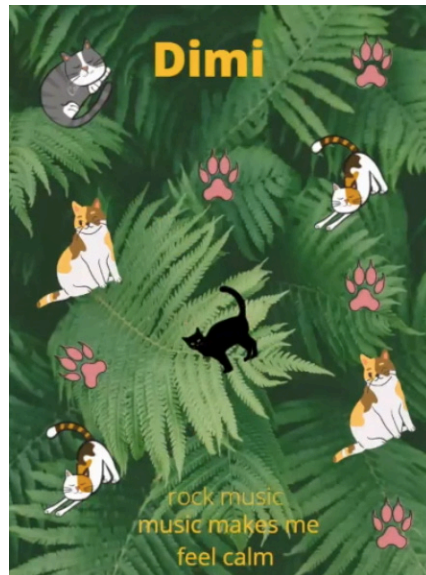
STUDENT LYRICS

Who taught us to hate each other? Just trying to pass the time falling over while avoiding drugs and crime, but now we’ve gotta run and pretend that it’s all fine — Step back and really look at what you’ve become. Destroying a life that could’ve belonged to someone.

- Power of Songwriting class final project

Spring 2021

STUDENT ARTWORK



Music Makes Us Feel...

The Music & Art virtual classes teach students visual art and computer skills while exploring self-expression and the power of music.

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