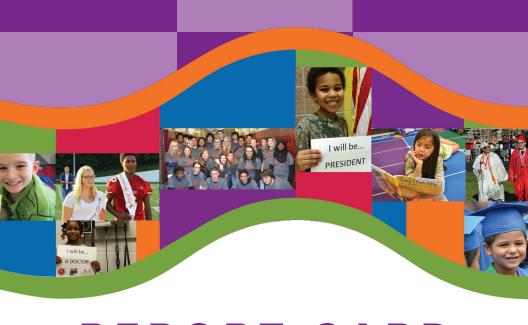




Unite. Grow. Succeed.



# REPORT CARD 2016



For as long as I can remember, Covington Independent Public Schools has been the center of my life. From attending basketball and football games as a young child, graduating from Holmes High School, and now my work through Covington Partners, my love for this school district continues to grow. That is why I am so passionate about the programs provided by Covington Partners. Our wrap-around support services continue to help our students reach their full potential and prove to the world that they are not at risk but AT PROMISE.

As you walk through the hallways of our schools, you can see the work of Covington Partners happening every day from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. If students are struggling academically, we provide tutoring during non-school times (before, after, summer). If students need a positive adult role model in their life, we match them with a volunteer mentor. If students are struggling with their weight, we show them how to live a healthy and active lifestyle. If students are susceptible to risky behavior, we help them build resiliency traits. When parents want to become more active partners in their child's education, we give them the tools they need to be successful. While many youth-serving, non-profit organizations specialize in one distinct area of focus, Covington Partners is dedicated to supporting the whole child.

Thank you to our donors and partners who continue to support and collaborate so our students can continue to grow and succeed. If you have not partnered with us yet, the time is now. We want to serve every student in every school and need your support to make that happen. Visit our website at www.mycovingtonpartners.org to find out how you can help.















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#### STRATEGIC PLANNING 2015 TO 2020



Covington Partners' strategic plan is designed to accelerate the organization through the next five years. The plan stretches our potential and capacity, but provides strategies and action plans that will meet and exceed our expectations. It is through this plan that we provide support to Covington Independent Public Schools for every child to **Dream, Achieve, and Succeed**.

GOAL # **1** 

Unite our community to provide relevant, innovative, and responsive programming for youth, families and the community.

GOAL **#2** 

Grow our presence in the community by sharing the achievements of youth and families with the world.

GOAL #3

Succeed in providing and sustaining programming in all schools in Covington.



103

STUDENTS
PARTICIPATED
IN LEADERSHIP
& RESILIENCY
PROGRAM (LRP).





80%

OF STUDENTS IN LRP HAD GOOD SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

81%

OF STUDENTS IN LRP HAD GOOD SCHOOL BEHAVIOR.



100%

OF STUDENTS IN LRP PARTICIPATED IN A SERVICE-LEARNING PROJECT.



Your Partner in **PREVENTION** 





OVER

# 1,500

STUDENTS
PARTICIPATED IN
OUT-OF-SCHOOL
TIME PROGRAMS.



46%

OF STUDENTS
IMPROVED THEIR
GRADES IN READING
AND MATH FROM
THE 2014-15 SCHOOL
YEAR TO THE 2015-16
SCHOOL YEAR.









Your Partner in **EDUCATION** 









**72%** 

OF STUDENTS HAD AN ADULT FAMILY MEMBER ATTEND A SCHOOL EVENT ON THEIR BEHALF.



In collaboration with United Way, Covington Independent Public Schools, HeadStart and the Housing Authority of Covington; fourteen different families participated in bornlearning Communities in City Heights.

Parents of young children (prenatal to five years old) were engaged in hands-on activities and discussion about what it means to be ready for kindergarten and offered strategies they could use at home to maximize their child's early learning and development.



**162** 

FAMILY ENGAGEMENT EVENTS WERE HELD DISTRICTWIDE.



4,200

HOURS MENTORS SPENT IN ONE-ON-ONE MENTORING SESSIONS WITH STUDENTS.



Rita and Alexis (pictured) were matched together in elementary school and in June, Rita watched Alexis walk across the graduation stage. The two have talked about school many times over the years, but also about Alexis's life, including her passions, struggles and aspirations. "I have enjoyed our relationship and talking to her about everything going on in her life," Rita said. "I believe that she respects me and appreciates my advice. She has always been honest with me in good and bad times and having her trust me means the world to me."



Alexis has treasured her time with Rita, too. "Mentoring has changed my life for the better," Alexis said. "As I got older, I needed an adult's guidance to kind of help me get back on the right track and Rita was it. Rita has helped me through so many tough times, she's like a mom and a friend stuck in one body. No matter how far away I go later on in life, I could never forget someone like her."



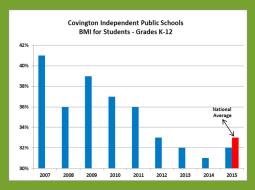
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POSITIVE ADULT ROLE MODELS SERVED AS MENTORS.











OF STUDENTS HAVE AN UNHEALTHY BODY MASS INDEX, BELOW THE NATIONAL AVERAGE OF 33%.



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#### **\$100,000 AND ABOVE**

United Way of Greater Cincinnati The Greater Cincinnati Foundation

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#### \$5,000 AND ABOVE

BB&T

The Butler Foundation
Mental Health America of NKY
Greater Cincinnati STEM Collaborative
Citi

NKY ASAP Board

# Year-End Assets - \$56,055 k Foundation 20%

**REVENUE — \$393,856** 

**EXPENSES — \$337.801** 

• Program - \$268,923

Administration - \$59,909Fundraising - \$8,969

Program Expenses
Administration/Fundraising

#### **\$1,000 AND ABOVE**

Daymon Worldwide, Inc.
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#### **Vision**

Covington Partners envisions a future in which all Covington children realize the promise of their full potential.

#### **Mission**

Covington Partners works every day to keep our community moving forward by eliminating boundaries to learning and success. Through innovation and collaboration, we create safe and engaging environments for our students and families to learn and grow.

#### **Values**

We believe our students have the potential for greatness. We create safe and engaging learning environments. We believe that learning has no boundaries. We believe with the unwavering support of schools, families and the community, our students will succeed.

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