



RootED

2023-24
**ANNUAL
IMPACT
REPORT**





SINCE 2018...

333

Total # of grants awarded

\$27,892,847

Total dollar amount of grants given

157,955

Total # of students served

**Sum of year-over-year enrollment in public charter and innovation zone schools.*



Our Guiding Principles

PRIORITIZING RACIAL EQUITY

Success must be measured by what is achieved for all students, especially Black, Latinx and Indigenous students who have been historically underserved in public education.

STRENGTH IN LIVED EXPERIENCE

Students, families and communities bring lived experiences, cultural perspectives, and knowledge that improve public education.

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP

We must listen to often-unheard voices of students, families, and educators to guide decision-making.

MUTUAL RELATIONSHIPS

Relationships should offer meaningful value in both directions, whether it's between communities and schools or between funders and grantees.

COLLABORATION ACROSS DIFFERENCE

To create lasting change, leaders in public education must work together with people who have different perspectives.

CONTINUOUS INNOVATION

We must develop, evaluate, and adapt brave new ideas to significantly expand access to high quality education and advance racial equity.

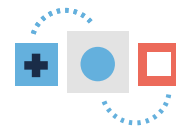
In 2023-24, we identified priorities we believe will have the greatest impact toward achieving our mission, vision and values.



Amplifying the voices of educators, families and students



Engaging more deeply with Denver Public Schools



Leading in our community



Providing support for charter and innovation zone schools



Building a strong base of advocacy across community and nonprofit groups



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OUR IMPACT

This year, RootED Denver has supported schools, community-based organizations and special initiatives that align with our guiding principles and advance our mission and vision.

We've provided funding and strategic support to promote unique, diverse learning communities, empower students and public school alumni, and make school and district data more transparent and accessible for families.



PARTNER FEATURE

“We brought youth voices and stories to life by inviting youth leaders to the table in our coalition and partner spaces. When students are an ongoing part of the conversation about education, it enables them to confidently contribute, and adults see the value of co-creating and sharing decision-making power with youth.”

MOLLY O'CONNOR

Senior Manager, Development, Our Turn

62

Total number of schools served in Fiscal Year 2024



24,252

Total number of students served in Fiscal Year 2024

82%

In the 2023-24 school year: **82% of students served by RootED identify as a person of color***



72%

In the 2023-24 school year: **72% of students served by RootED receive free or reduced-price school meals****

74%

Percentage of grants given to organizations led by women



\$1.5M

Total dollar amount of grants given to organizations led by women

36%

Percentage of grants given to organizations led by people of color



\$741K

Total dollar amount of grants given to organizations led by people of color

2023-24 ROOTED GRANTEES

Explore a full list of our grantees.

A Queer Endeavor
African Leadership Group
American Indian Academy
BLM 5280 Freedom School
Boardhawk
Climb Higher Colorado
Colorado Latino Leadership Advocacy and Research Organization (CLLARO)
Colorado Association for Bilingual Education (CABE)
Colorado Association of Charter Authorizers (CACSA)
Colorado Education Initiative
Colorado Food Cluster
Colorado Succeeds
CEO Funding Collaborative
Compass Academy
Denver African American Philanthropist (DAAP)
Denver Public Schools
Denver Public Schools CELT
DPS Foundation
University of Denver
Ednium
Education Reform Now (ERN)
Faithbridge
Generation Teach

Juntos 2 College
Keystone Policy Center
Latino Education Coalition
League of Charter Schools
Lyra
Montbello Organizing Committee
Montessori on Wheels
Moonshot
Odyssey
Our Turn
Radical Arts Academy of Denver (RAAD)
Radian
Relay
Rocky Mountain Prep (RMP)
School Board Partners
Stand for Children
STRIVE Prep
Teach for America
Transform Education Now (TEN)
University of CColorado Denver
Vega
Youth Roots



This map is a visual representation of our funded schools.

*Explore an interactive version of **our funded schools** and **community-based organizations**.*