Artportunity Knocks Mission is to empower youth to make POSITIVE and SMART choices while increasing opportunities in the Arts, Education, Community Service and Bridging Cultures.

2019 Annual Report

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What We Believe

We believe that youth can make Positive and Smart choices. We also believe that all youth should have access and opportunities to excel.

The following are the organizations 4 pillars:

The Arts - We believe that all kids should have access to high quality Arts Education. We believe the Arts should be used as a tool for inspiring, uplifting, and provoking positive behaviors.

Education - We believe that education should be innovative and creative and is the key to graduating high school on time. We believe that educators should receive the necessary training and development to be able to include the arts in their Core Subjects through a model called Arts Integration. We believe that students with varying learning differences can learn. We believe that every student should have access to the arts while in public schools.

Community Service - We believe that positive arts should be used in the community to spark hope and positive change through live performances and artists engagement.

Bridging Cultures - We believe that unity between cultures can be bridged through the vehicle of Music and the Arts. We believe classes, programs, camps and events should be designed to include diverse genres, culturally diverse performing arts, and awareness of the cultures surrounding the community we serve.
Artportunity Knocks provided more than 3,600 Arts & STEAM classes per year!

- Artportunity Knocks operates year-round as a full-service afterschool program provider and Summer enrichment provider.
- Total # of students served in 2019: 1238 students!

Type of Classes offered
- Drama
- Filmmaking
- Music Theory
- Robotics
- Music Engineering
- Homework Assistance / Tutoring
- Mechanical Engineering
- Music Theory
- Piano
- Coding
- Culinary Arts
- Entrepreneurship
- Social Emotional Learning

Program Highlights
- Over 10,300 meals were served (snacks & hot dinner)
- Over 160 corporate volunteers
- Over 1,000 hours of community service

82% Student Retention Rate from 2018 to 2019
32% Increase in grades/test scores
Financials show a strong 3-year growth pattern. However, in 2019 we saw the largest increase in revenue in the organization’s 10-year history! A 196% increase!

- Government Contracts 45%
- Program Fees 37%
- Grants 10%
- Donations 5%
- Other 3%
- Total Revenue: $359k

- Program 75%
- Administrative 21%
- Fundraising 4%
- Total Expenses: $336k
“Partnerships is the glue that ties the organization’s mission to the community.” In 2019, Artportunity Knocks fostered a dozen new partnerships and expanded existing ones! Here are the partnership that made 2019 a GREAT YEAR!

**Expanded Partnerships:**
Atlanta Public School District
National Heritage Academies
City of Atlanta Parks & Rec

**New Partnerships**
Chick Fil-A
Cox Inc.
Tech Masters
Engineering With Kids
Horizons Camp

The Inner Circle of Artportunity Knocks are major donors, corporations, and individuals who has given more than once to support the mission.

**Diamond Circle**
$10,000-$49,999
American Family Insurance
Dreams Foundation

**Gold Circle**
$5,000-$9,999
C.A. Weyerhaeuser Family Foundation
Georgia Council For the Arts

**Bronze Circle**
$1,000-$2,499
QuikTrip Atlanta
Running Nerds Inc
American Woodmark Foundation

**Silver Circle**
$2,500-$4,999
Woods Family Franchise Direct
Fulton County Council for the Arts

**Supporting Artist**
$100-$499
Phaedra Hammond Crespo Law
Maya Dukes
KRG Oil Company
Khoi Nguyen
Tallat Shahzad

**Community Artist**
$500-$999
Andrew McDonald
Suntrust Foundation
Sig Mosley
Constellation Energy
Brice Futch
Michael Stoots
Ayanna Overall

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