FACT SHEET



For over 10 years, College Bound AZ has been serving low-income families with services to support students who want to go to college. Our services began with an initial seven middle school children in Mesa, AZ. Soon after, it was recognized that services to support the journey to college were needed in high school. From the initial seven students, College Bound AZ has served over 3,000 students in 11 school districts to help students with career development, apply to college, complete financial aid applications, and learn budget basics.



MISSION

College Bound AZ, a nonprofit community resource, shares the journey to college with aspiring under-represented students through mentorship, guidance, and support resources for their advancement to a better future through education. College Bound AZ helps families overcome the hidden barriers to education success such as food scarcity, medical needs, or parents working multiple jobs so that the opportunity for higher education reaches all levels of society.



Our Programs

Key Metrics

Jr. RISE Scholars

Coaching on study skills, Literature Circle, community service, career exploration, resume writing

per school





Enrollment

Mentoring hours/ student

RISE Scholars

Fast-tracked to college with funding for STEM careers





Enrollment

Tuition awarded

Fueling Minds with Heart

Delivery of food and hygiene items to Mesa Community College





Meals

Hygiene kits

Our Need: \$74k in additional funds to:

250



reach more high school and 8th grade students

41%

19%

24%

15%



gift laptops to lower income high school seniors

STOCK MESA **COMMUNITY COLLEGE**



2000 meals



hygiene kits

(1 meal/day for 50 families for 1 month; 1 hygiene kit/ quarter for 100 students)



Grants 24%

Corporate 19%

Donations 15%

In Kind 41%











