



**COLLEGE
POSSIBLE™**

NATIONAL 2016-2017 Program Profile

COLLEGE POSSIBLE brings **PROVEN** campus-based and tech-connected coaching to talented low-income students.

+ HIGH SCHOOLS

Freshmen & Sophomores

- + College Prep Talks introduce students to the possibilities of college
- + Connect students with their high school's college prep resources

Juniors

- + Academic preparation for college
- + ACT/SAT test prep
- + Campus visits

Seniors

- + Intensive college application assistance
- + Financial literacy and financial aid advising
- + Guidance in finding best 'fit' colleges

+ COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES

+ Support through college graduation

- Ongoing financial aid advising
- Developing study skills and self-advocacy
- Connection to resources and opportunities

- + Assistance with enrollment and remaining paperwork

- + Social and academic transition to college

- + Introduction to campus resources

Summer Bridge

+ **25,424 STUDENTS SERVED** across the country in 2015-16

8,314 high school students in 64 high schools and online

6,276 college students on 359 campuses

10,834 students in College Prep Talks

+ **22% AVERAGE ACT** score increase*

+ **97% EARNED ADMISSION** to college*

+ **\$11.2 MILLION EARNED** in **SCHOLARSHIPS***

**Outcome measures do not include those of students served in our pilot programs*

COLLEGE POSSIBLE students are **2X as likely** to go to a four-year institution and twice as likely to graduate, making our students **4X more likely** to earn a bachelor's degree.



COLLEGE POSSIBLE'S CAMPUS-BASED HIGH SCHOOL students report an average family income of less than \$28,000. The average GPA of students in the program is 3.14, 88 percent are students of color and 90 percent will be first-generation college students.

The racial and ethnic demographics of our students in HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE are:

- + 25% African American or African Immigrant
- + 22% Asian
- + 22% Hispanic/Latino
- + 11% Unspecified/Other
- + 10% White
- + 7% Multi-racial
- + 3% American Indian/Alaskan Native

OPEN A WORLD OF OPPORTUNITY



COLLEGE POSSIBLE'S SERVICE CORPS is made up of more than 250 AmeriCorps members and AmeriCorps VISTAs who dedicate a year of their lives to closing the degree divide.

“I might never have made it without support along the way. I found a college coach through COLLEGE POSSIBLE AND SHE SHOWED ME THE WAY forward and believed in my potential.”

— Fushcia Hoover,
*College Possible alumna,
Ph.D. candidate,
Purdue University*



RECRUITING FOR CHANGE

College Possible Connects introduces promising low-income students to colleges throughout the country and partners with campuses to create more college graduates. College Possible's closest partners have taken extra steps to commit to our mission and work alongside us to recruit and retain our students.

We are pleased to welcome our 2016-17 BRIDGE and COLLABORATE Partners:

Augsburg College

College of Saint Benedict &
Saint John's University

Lawrence University

Minnesota State University,
Mankato

Northland College

St. Catherine University

St. Cloud State University

University of Minnesota,
Twin Cities

University of Nebraska, Omaha

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