

# Annual Report



July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020

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### Mission

The Delaware Adolescent Program, Inc. (DAPI) provides a standards-based education for pregnant and parenting teens with unique outreach, mentoring and supportive services promoting empowerment and self-sufficiency.

#### Vision

To empower pregnant and parenting teens to achieve their dreams for themselves and their children.

DAPI is the only statewide comprehensive school-based program in Delaware that serves pregnant and parenting teens, as well as their families. DAPI serves the community with programs focused in academic instruction, social services, childcare and medical services.





# A Note from Our Leadership

Dear Friends of DAPI,

One of the pinnacle moments in each school year's life remains graduation. The Graduating Class of 2020 was even more exhilarating because they beat the odds stacked against them as parenting teens working towards graduating in the light of a worldwide pandemic. Through the staff's creativity and the ingenuity of a videographer, we were able to hold DAPI's first virtual Graduation, which premiered on our YouTube channel. Our hearts were warmed as we watched our very own DAPI Daughters reach another achievement with grace and dignity.

Another existing achievement during the year consisted of receiving a new grant to strengthen our work through outreach. The Adolescent Parenting Connection Program (APCO) took off to serve the entire state of Delaware prior to our global virus slowing our programming efforts. However, with the Delaware Department of Public Health's support and their partnership with the Health Management Associates (HMA), DAPI was able to overcome obstacles and still meet with students virtually to provide the outreach programming needed more than ever.

The DAPI Family demonstrated unwavering faith and commitment during the early days of the pandemic. The willingness to do whatever it took to meet the needs of staff and students was unquestionably strong. Our DAPI families trusted our decisions because we knew safety was supremely important. We were disappointed that we had to cancel our DAPI prom, but we pushed on to hold our annual Highmark Walk. Everything was virtual and socially distant, but we had an incredible time walking for DAPI.

Thank you for supporting our mission and believing that despite our country's greatest challenges, you could trust and believe in the mission of DAPI. Thank you for remembering the needs of our DAPI families. Thank you for being part of our "DAPI Do-Gooder" Community. We would not be able to provide for our DAPI Daughters and our outreach participants without your generosity.

Finally, we want to acknowledge the commitment of our entire Board of Directors, who spent time ensuring that we covered policies, kept pushing quality programming, coordinated support, and served as confidantes for the betterment of the entire organization. The willingness of the Board to ensure that certain tasks were completed will be remembered for a lifetime. Thank you to the Executive Committee for actively working to lead the effort. We appreciate you and the entire Board of Directors for providing guidance and oversight.

Sincerely,

Doris L. P. Griffin, Ed.D.

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**Executive Director** 

Jacqueline Jenkins,

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**Board Chair** 

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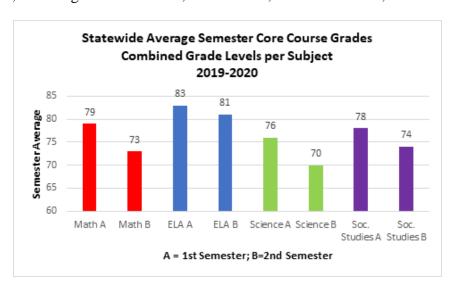
## **Our Academic Program**

It is the mission of DAPI to provide a blended-learning education that increases students' learning aptitude during the academic year to our students. Academic year 2019-2020 challenged our students and teachers as they moved to a fully virtual environment due to COVID-19. Despite the challenges of COVID-19, DAPI was still able to provide the core courses of Math, English Language Arts, Science and Social Studies as well as Maternal Health and Elective courses. DAPI continued to follow the dictates of the Common Core Curriculum.

The chart below shows the semester averages in the core subjects of Math (**red**), ELA (**blue**), Science (**green**) and Social Studies (**purple**) of all students from 7<sup>th</sup> grade through 12<sup>th</sup> grade for 2019-2020.

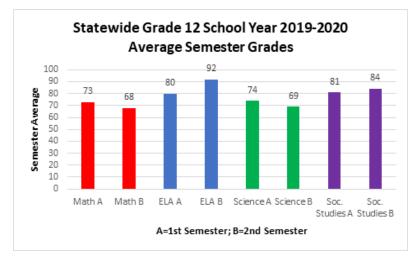
#### All Grade Levels (7th grade through 12th grade) Combined by Core Subject:

\*\*Chart is read, left to right: Red = Math; Blue = ELA; Green = Science; Blue = Social Studies

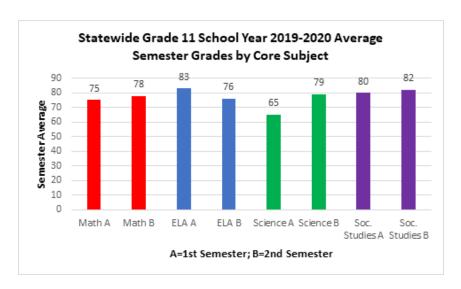


The following charts show the core courses (Math, English Language Arts, Science and Social Studies) but are broken down by course and grade level.

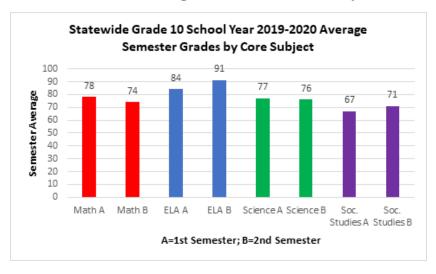
Grade 12 Statewide Average Semester Grades by Core Subject:



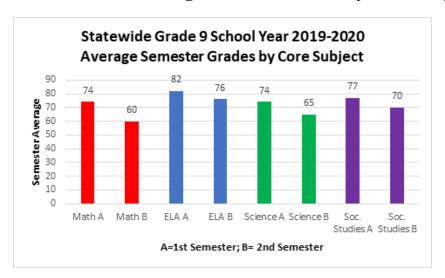
#### Grade 11 Statewide Average Semester Grades by Core Subject:



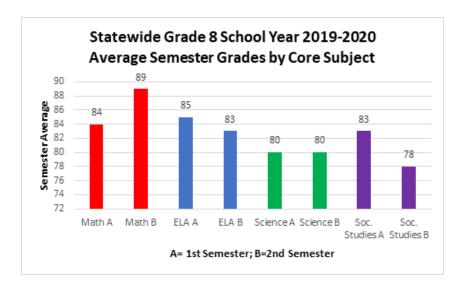
Grade 10 Statewide Average Semester Grades by Core Subject:



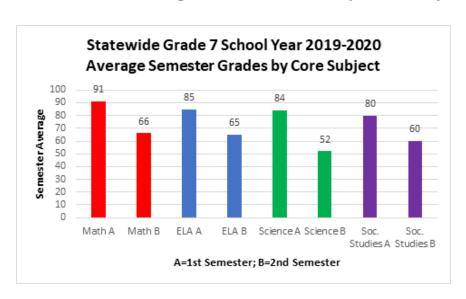
**Grade 9 Statewide Average Semester Grades by Core Subject:** 



**Grade 8 Statewide Average Semester Grades by Core Subject:** 



**Grade 7 Statewide Average Semester Grades by Core Subject:** 



The results of this overview reveals that despite the virtual academic environment for the second semester, our students remained focused. There was only a slight decline in academic performance for the second semester, except for the middle school students the 7<sup>th</sup> grade and 8<sup>th</sup> grade. It is unclear why there was a significant decline for the middle school students other than they are much younger than traditional high school students and easily lost focus as the year ended, due to warmer weather, birth of their babies, and other distractions.

Knowing these results, it will be important to develop a more rigorous learning environment that fully engages our younger students in the learning process through additional virtual synchronous learning and/or hybrid opportunities if the pandemic allows for that type of interaction.

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# **DAPI Daughters Served**

Age	NCC	Kent	Sussex	Total
12 – 14	0	0	1	1
15 – 17	7	5	14	26
18 – 20	11	4	5	20
Total	18	9	20	47

Ethnicity	NCC	Kent	Sussex	Total
African American	13	5	4	22
Caucasian	1	2	5	8
Hispanic	3	1	8	12
Multi-racial	1	1	3	5
Other	0	0	0	0
Total	18	9	20	47

Special Needs Education	NCC	Kent	Sussex	Total
IEP / 504	1	4	2	7
Credit Recovery	4	1	0	5

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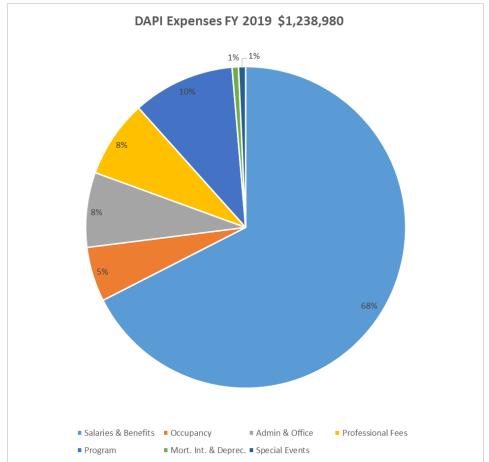
Senior Information	NCC	Kent	Sussex	Total
DAPI Daughters (Traditional Program conducted vitually)	18	9	20	47
Outreach	6	9	6	21
APCO	13	93	7	113
Graduating	2	3	4	9
Taking PSAT and SAT	2	3	4	9
Students accepted into College	0	3	4	7
Who actually attended college	0	0	3	3
Enrolled into Military	0	0	0	0
Employed	1	2	3	6

# **DAPI Daughters Served**

Birth	NCC	Kent	Sussex	Total
Live Births	6	5	16	27
Stillborn	0	1	0	1
C-section	3	0	2	5
Low Birth Weight	2	0	0	2
Pre-eclampsia	2	1	2	5
Gestational Diabetes	0	0	1	1
GBS – strep infection	0	4	0	4
Birth Defects	1	0	0	1
Second Pregnancy	1	0	1	2

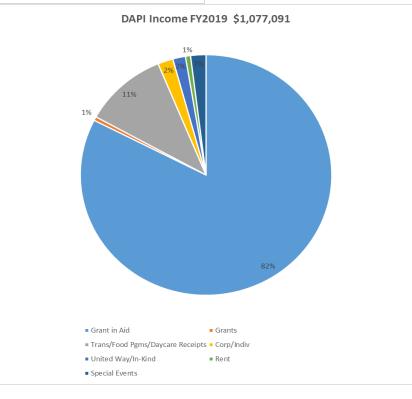
Human Services	NCC	Kent	Sussex	Total
Court adjudicated	0	3	2	5
DFS	0	1	1	2
Homeless	0	0	1	1
Involved in Domestic Violence	0	4	1	5
Foster Care	0	1	2	3
LowIncome	18	9	20	47

## **Financial Position**



Salaries & Benefits 68%
Occupancy 5%
Admin & Office 8%
Professional Fees 8%
Program 10%
Mort. Int. & Deprec. 1%
Special Events 1%

Grant in Aid 82%
Grants 1%
Trans/Food Pgms 11%
Corp/Indiv 2%
United Way/In-Kind 2%
Rent 1%
Special Events 2%



## **Financial Position**

For the year ended June 30, 2020, the organization incurred a net gain of \$85,445. DAPI continues its efforts to manage expenses while ensuring that students receive quality services, as evidenced by a \$19,902, or 1.6%, increase of general operating expenses from the prior year.

The pandemic made for a challenging year in many ways, including fundraising. It was not possible to hold in-person fundraising events during the past year. Of tremendous benefit to offset this was the Paycheck Protection Program DAPI was able to secure \$148,480 from the PPP program to offset salary expenses. DAPI meets the requirements for debt forgiveness for these funds, and the accountants have classified the full amount as a grant for the FY2020. The Healthy Women Healthy Babies grant contributed \$125,178 during the FY2020. State of Delaware Grant in Aid received was \$893,580. These three funding sources provided 85% of DAPI's income in FY2020.

The Board of Directors and Executive Staff are pleased with the organization's financial position and results of operations as of and for the year ended June 30, 2020. There is confidence that the accomplishments of the past 12 months has put DAPI in a strong position moving forward and will allow for a greater dedication of resources to help expand income opportunities.





### **2019-2020 DAPI LEADERS**



**New Castle County Center** 

1901 South College Avenue Newark, Delaware 19702 **Donita Moore, MS - Center Director** 

**Kent County Center** 

185 South Street Camden, Delaware 19934

Eileen Wilkerson, MHS - Senior Center Director

Sussex County Center
26351 Patriots Way
Georgetown, DE 19947
Kim Wright - Center Director



Cheryl A. Hollingsworth **Executive Administrative Assistant** 

Nina Graves, Ph.D. **Director of Education** 

Doris L. P. Griffin, Ed.D. **Statewide Executive Director** 



# **2019 – 2020 Employees**

#### **New Castle County Center**

Andrea Jones Administrative Assistant

Dana Bailey Maternal Health/Physical Education

Shelia Bordley Math and Science John Coleman English and History

Timothy Johns Business and Personal Finance Teacher

Isatou Njie Student Services Coordinator



#### **Kent County Center**



Charletter Allen Kimberly Stewart, LPN Nina Graves, Ph.D. Deborah Tyner-Tribbett Shameka Muhammad

Jasmira Ross Angela Gibson Administrative Assistant
Maternal Health Educator
Business and English
Social Studies and Elective Instructor

Social Services Administrator Social Services Coordinator

#### **Sussex County Center**

Angelita Orta Kimberly Parker Bonnizu Scharon Robert Marinelli Joseph Colleli Administrative Assistant History /Electives Instructor Bilingual Student Services Coordinator

Math and Science

English



#### **Contractual Staff**

Pamela Scott, Education Support Specialist – The Learning Coach Terry Smith, That's It Computer & Network Service Group Laura D. Mood, LDM Accounting Services

### Highmark Walk

Cheryl Hollingsworth

Richard Tulin

Anne Correa

Beth Weatherby

Chandler Tulin

**Darrian Crenshaw** 

Donita Moore

Stephanie Bolden

Roxanne Allen

National Coalition of 100 Black Women DE Chapter

M&T Charitable Foundation

Artisans' Bank

Del-One Federal Credit Union

WSFS Bank







Donations through June 30, 2020



















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Jeremy Mellott

Tiffany Short

Lori Anne Wolkoff

Kory Williford

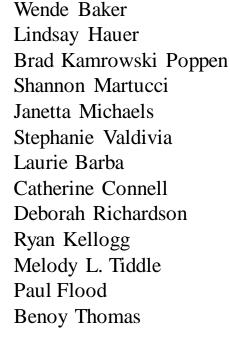
Stacy Beers

Carla Romero

Tiffany Jackson

Stephanie Stronks Knapp

Harold Dickens





Adam Raben

Anne L. Martelli

Margret Henry

State Employees Charitable

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Tracie Burns & Friends

Valarie Stanback & friends

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Kim Turner

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Jonathan Russ

Laurie Barba

Dionne Sinclair

Brenda Miller & Friends

Secret Santa

Shirley Shelton

Teresa Shockley

### **2019-2020 Donors**

### **Corporation, Business and Organizational Donors**

Amazon Smile
Caring Hearts and Helping Hands
Correa Photography
Corteva Agriscience

Crozer Chester Medical Center and Delivery Department Delaware Technical & Community College

Department of Public Health

Delaware Fatherhood Family Coalition

Felton Fire Company

Food Bank of DE

Frederica Spring Creek Lions Club

Got Sneakers LLC

GFWC-Zwaanendael Women's Club

Kent County Levy Court/Kent County Community Service Grant Mariner's Bethel Woman's Central Small Group

Morris James

National Coalition of 100 Black Women – Greater Wilmington Chapter NERDiT Now

New Life Family Worship
Pan Hellentic Council-Divine Nine-Dover
Phalanges
Polytech Adult Education

SolDel Cares Fund

UPS

United Way of Delaware, Inc. Whisman Giordano & Associates LLC





#### **Faith Based Community**

First Baptist Church Food Pantry Hartly United Methodist Church Mt. Zion AME Church

### **Foundations**

Delaware Community Foundation Laffey-McHugh Foundation

#### **Government Grants**

Kent County Levy Court Sussex County Council

#### **Financial Institutions**

Artisans' Bank
Bank of America
Combined Federal Campaign
M & T Charitable Foundation
Network for Good
Del-One Federal Credit Union
State Employees Charitable Fund
WSFS







### 2019-2020 Donors

### **Mentors/Volunteers**

Terrisha Iwing
Brenda Millar
Tracie Burns
Shirley Beckett-Ahmed
Karen Miah
Tammy Morrison
Monica Washington
Michelle Hill
Valarie Standback
Robin Brinkley-White
John Buckley
Monique Johns

Lamont Pierce
Jalina Booker
Cristina Colon
Natashia L.
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Angel Kelley
Tracie Hitchens & Friends
Tiffany Cole





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