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# NAC

**SAVE OUR YOUTH FOUNDATION, INC.**



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# About NAC

NAC – Save Our Youth Foundation is a 501 © (3) charitable organization established for helping youth and adults in South Hampton Roads communities.

The Foundation was founded in 2005 by members of Norfolk (VA) Alumni Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. The Foundation's purposes include the following:

- Awarding scholarships to deserving and qualified high school graduates to attend institutions of higher learning
- Supporting tutoring, mentoring, Guide Right services, and programs for at-risk elementary and secondary school youth to give them the confidence, resources, and skills necessary to reach their potential
- Providing resources and material assistance to low income families to assist them in meeting their basic emergency subsistence needs.

## The reality is that African-American youth are at greater risk from...

- Low graduation rates – approximately 48% of African-American males annually do not graduate from high school
- High incidences of incarceration, HIV/AIDS and teenage pregnancy
- Low scores or participation rates in school advance placement classes, and the International Baccalaureate program
- Low enrollment of African-American males in higher education. Only about 23% of African-American males that graduate are college ready
- Lack of needed resources among low income families during the holiday season who are not served by established social agencies
- Lack of mentors and formal programs in the community to mentor African-American youth at the elementary and secondary school levels

NAC – Save Our Youth Foundation's mission is to address the needs and deficiencies experienced by African-American youth.

**Every success**  
starts with an opportunity

NAC – Save Our Youth Foundation provides:

- Scholarships to deserving high school graduates from South Hampton Road cities to attend institutions of higher education
- Sponsors mentoring and Guide Right services/programs for at-risk and other youth to improve their social and academic performance.
- Sponsors educational and cultural enrichment field trips/projects to enhance youth cultural, social, educational, and economic awareness
- Works closely with the Norfolk (VA) Alumni Chapter, Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. membership to sponsor fund raising programs to support the Foundation's purposes
- Provides financial material and educational assistance to low income families throughout the year, especially during the Thanksgiving and Christmas Holiday season
- Provides special assistance to low income youth to participate in public school advance placement classes, and leadership programs