# **GROWING SCHOOL MEAL** PARTICIPATION

## **GENYOUTH'S END STUDENT** HUNGER FUND

- · Received over 14,000 applications for grants, requesting over \$41 million in support
- In 2020, provided more than \$10M (\$8.9M cash) to support over 10,000 schools nationally
- · Supported the delivery of millions of school meals to students during COVID-19 school closures



#### **PARTNERSHIPS WITH PURPOSE**

- · Grants to over 2,500 schools during the pandemic in 2020
- · Gaming for Good! Chunky Million Meals Challenge ~ \$1.6M
- · Taste of the NFL @ Home TAST ~ \$1.7M GENYOUth
- Nourishing Retail Round Up Partnerships ~ \$5M

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#### BREAKFAST CARTS

• In School Year 2020. GENYOUth provided 170 Grab and Go Carts to school nutrition programs across the US, with a focus tied to

SuperSchool Breakfast via Super Bowls LIV & LV

- These carts increased access to 17 million school breakfasts

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• Since 2017, GENYOUth has placed 500 Grab and Go Carts in schools nationwide, helping to increase Average Daily Participation by as much as 27%, expanding access to almost 50 million school meal opportunities

### CREATING MORE OPPORTUNITIES FOR PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

- · Over 13M students
- playing in 24,000+ school communities nationwide
- 4,700 additional kits in 2021, reaching 2.5M more students



 FLAG is the fastest growing youth sport in America for three consecutive years

### LEADING WITH YOUTH VOICE

- Youth surveys provide original, timely research elevating youth perspective
- Invaluable data/metrics translates to action
  - Newest Survey: Life Disrupted: The Impact of COVID on Teens- One Year Later
    - <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> teens think the pandemic has impacted their academic readiness
      - Half of teens report that social/emotional wellbeing has been compromised
        - One guarter of kids are worried about long-term family financial hardship
          - Many students report an increased reliance on school meals
      - More than half of youth experienced huge impacts to their athletic participation
    - Financial hardship and academic readiness for 2021-22 create the most long-term worries, especially for Black and Hispanic youth

### **REAL-WORLD, STUDENT-LED** PROBLEM SOLVING

- 74 grants awarded
- \$70,750 dollars distributed
- 381 student participants
- 30,600 students reached/impacted



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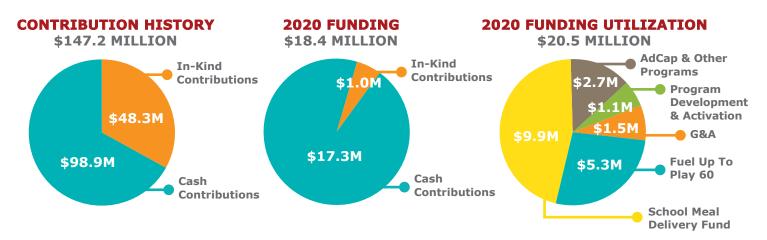
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# **2020 STRATEGIC PARTNERS AND FUNDERS**



# **SNAPSHOT OF 2020 FINANCIALS**



## HEALTH & WELLNESS PARTNERS CONTINUE TO HELP GENYOUth



