



Communities In Schools

Chatham County



MENTORING

FAMILY ADVOCACY



CIS MODEL

COMMUNITY SERVICE & RESTITUTION



TEEN COURT



YOUTH F.I.R.S.T.

IMPACTING OUR COMMUNITY:

Communities In Schools of Chatham County celebrates 32 years of making a difference in the lives of thousands of Chatham County's youth and their families! Join us as we lead our community forward to inclusively serve more children with connections to caring adults who can support their success in school and in life.

OUR MISSION:

To surround students with a network of support empowering them to stay in school and achieve in life.

OUR PROGRAMS:

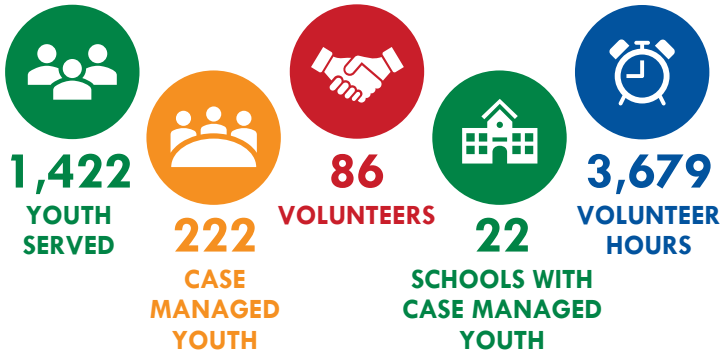
CIS programs offer children and youth ages 5 to 19 the promise of individualized, accessible, and sustained supportive relationships with adults in schools and community settings to help them realize their full potential. Trained professionals and qualified volunteers work with youth to address their individual academic, emotional, and basic needs with evidence-based methods in partnership with schools, health providers, and other community organizations. All services are free of charge including support of Spanish speaking bilingual staff.

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cischatham.org

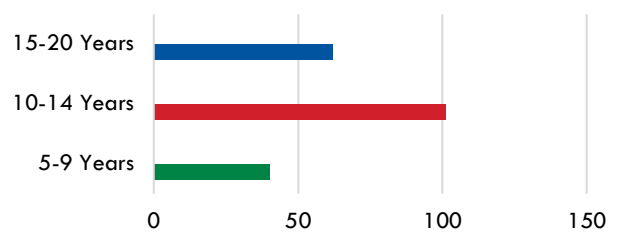
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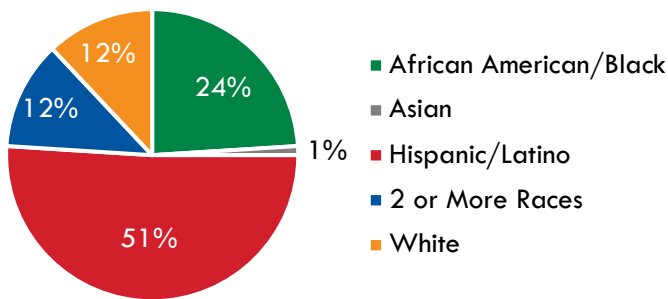
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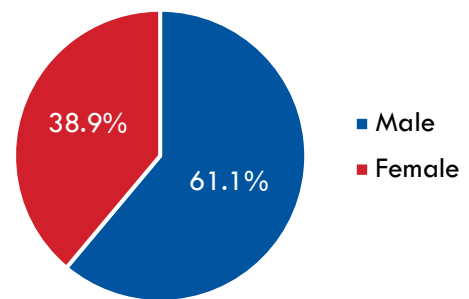
Number & Age of Youth Served



Race/Ethnicity of Students Served



Gender of Students Served



FAMILY ADVOCACY

Children and parents involved with the Department of Juvenile Justice receive support from CIS staff to learn valuable parenting skills and accountability to help them achieve success at school, at home, and in the community.

• 25 YOUTH SERVED •

92% of families experienced enhanced family functioning



CIS MODEL & YOUTH F.I.R.S.T.

Our Student Support Specialists connect students with caring adults and community resources to help them succeed at school and stay on track to graduate. Youth F.I.R.S.T. Mentoring and Lunch Buddy programs offer additional support for youth.

• 171 YOUTH SERVED •

89% met or made progress toward their attendance goal



TEEN COURT

Teen Court gives first-time juvenile offenders between the ages of 11 and 19 a second chance through Restorative Justice Circles, yet holds them fully accountable for their actions.

• 8 YOUTH SERVED •

88% completed services designated to them by their service plan



COMMUNITY SERVICE & RESTITUTION

Communities In Schools Chatham County offers opportunities for juveniles who have committed a non-violent crime a way to pay back their community by serving work hours at approved sites throughout the county.

• 32 YOUTH SERVED •

90% of youth had no new adjudications after starting the program