



Communities
In Schools

Miami



In schools to restore stability.

When Shonya lost her family home, she also lost her confidence. Communities In Schools was there with vital food and clothing the very next day. More important, we connected her to staff like Brittany, who keeps Shonya focused on her goals and gives her the encouragement she needs to pursue her dream career, nursing. There are millions of at-risk kids like Shonya who need a caring adult to stay in school and succeed in life.

See how we help all kids succeed. | CommunitiesInSchools.org



For 14.5 million children in America living in poverty, challenges outside the classroom can stand in the way of success inside the classroom. At Communities In Schools of Miami, we work in schools full time to remove those barriers by building one-on-one relationships that empower students to stay in school and achieve in life. Because we're in schools all day, every day, we learn the unique needs of each student and partner with teachers and the community to address them. Whether a student needs clean clothes, help with school work, or emotional support to cope and recover from a traumatic event, we connect students to the relationships and resources they need to flourish and succeed.

Please see firsthand how we help all kids succeed and join us May 30th at 9:30 am for our last site visit of the year. Hear directly from our site coordinators, school administrators, and students about CIS of Miami and how we change lives and impact our community. For more information or to RSVP, please contact Vernon at vjacobs@cismiami.org.

How can one caring adult make a difference in the life of a student? Just watch CIS alumni reunite with the CIS site coordinators that impacted their lives. Click here to watch - [In School for Kids](#)

Save ^{the} Date

Mark your calendars for **DRESS UP TO HELP STUDENTS DRESS**. We will provide you with access to an online boutique June 12th through June 18th. Purchase women's clothing from XXS through XXXL and proceeds will go to help purchase uniforms for students. More details to come soon.



Hoop to Connect

Together with Miami-Dade and City of Miami police officers and Miami-Dade County Public Schools, we accepted the Connect Miami challenge! On Monday, our students from Booker T. Washington Senior High School put on their sneakers to challenge the officers with a fun and exciting game of hoops. Everyone walked away with newly forged relationships, connections and perspectives.

"Hoop to Connect was a great event that created a space for youth and police officers to get to know each other." - Miami-Dade Police Officer



Keep the Connections Going!

We invite you to help increase and spread understanding, empathy, kindness, and connection in our community by attending "connection experiences" and engaging with Connect Miami in whatever way you feel comfortable. Please check out the great [Connection Experiences](#) that will be taking place throughout the 10 Days of Connection.

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