

Impact Report 2023

Highlights by Team



Policy Team and Experts

- ✓ Hosted ~500 education stakeholders at events including the Eggs & Issues Breakfast and NC Business Summit for Public Education
- ✓ Convened the NC Education Policy Network (group of 20 other organizations focused on education) and NC Education Partners (local education foundations)
- ✓ Created the NC Educator Pipeline Collaborative, 9 partnerships of school districts, community colleges and ed prep programs to expand local educator pipeline strategies
- ✓ Partnered with NC Teachers and Principals of the Year for the Inaugural Bring Your Legislator to School Day

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Dudley Flood Center for Educational Equity and Opportunity

- ✓ Hosted the 2023 Color of Education Summit (800+ attendees) and 2 Mapping the Movement covenings
- ✓ Launched the 2nd cohort of the Rural Teacher Leader Network in Eastern NC
- ✓ Built out the Equity Framework to help districts and schools make systemic changes to increase equity & outcomes
- ✓ Hosted convenings for Equity Officers Network & superintendents of color
- ✓ Collaborated with The Innovation Project to launch the Jeanes Fellowship Program, modeled after the historic Jeanes Teachers

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North Carolina Center for Afterschool Programs

- ✓ Produced a landscape analysis of out-ofschool-time (OST) opportunities and gaps for Western NC
- ✓ In partnership with DPI, hosted a webinar for OST providers on building partnerships with schools and districts
- ✓ Hosted the annual Synergy Conference for OST providers
- ✓ Provided technical assistance, trainings and resources to programs on topics like STEM, program development, child care licensing, and starting a program

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North Carolina Center for Resilience and Learning

- ✓ Provided in-depth trauma-informed coaching and training to individual schools and districts, primarily in rural eastern NC. In total, there were 83 R&L trainings in the 2022-23 school year reaching almost 3,000 educators
- ✓ Launched the Education Preparation Program Trauma-Informed Task Force to address trauma-informed content and curriculum in teacher prep programs at universities and community colleges
- ✓ Expanded Resilience and Learning into the western part of NC for the first time beginning with the 2023-24 school year

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Each area of the Forum continued our key role of informing education stakeholders via presentations, trainings, Education Policy Fellowship Program, e-newsletters, TV show Education Matters, and publications (Top Education Issues, Local School Finance Study, Roadmap of Need, policy briefs, op-eds, state budget analyses, and more.) For more information, visit www.ncforum.org



TOP EDUCATION | 2023-24

Our Top Education Issues represent the Public School Forum's policy agenda for the 2023-24 biennium.

Ensure fair and competitive compensation for educators.

Grow, retain, and diversify the teacher pipeline.

Address the root causes of mental health and school safety crises.

Prepare students for the world they live in.

Implement, monitor, and evaluate the Comprehensive Remedial Plan.

SAVE the DATE



Get an update on these key issues ahead of the short legislative session

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Our Vision

ALL NORTH CAROLINA CHILDREN shall have the opportunity to REACH THEIR FULL POTENTIAL through equitable and meaningful public education that nourishes our state's civic and economic vitality.

Our Mission

To provide **MEANINGFUL ACTION** on North Carolina's **MOST IMPORTANT PUBLIC EDUCATION ISSUES.**

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