

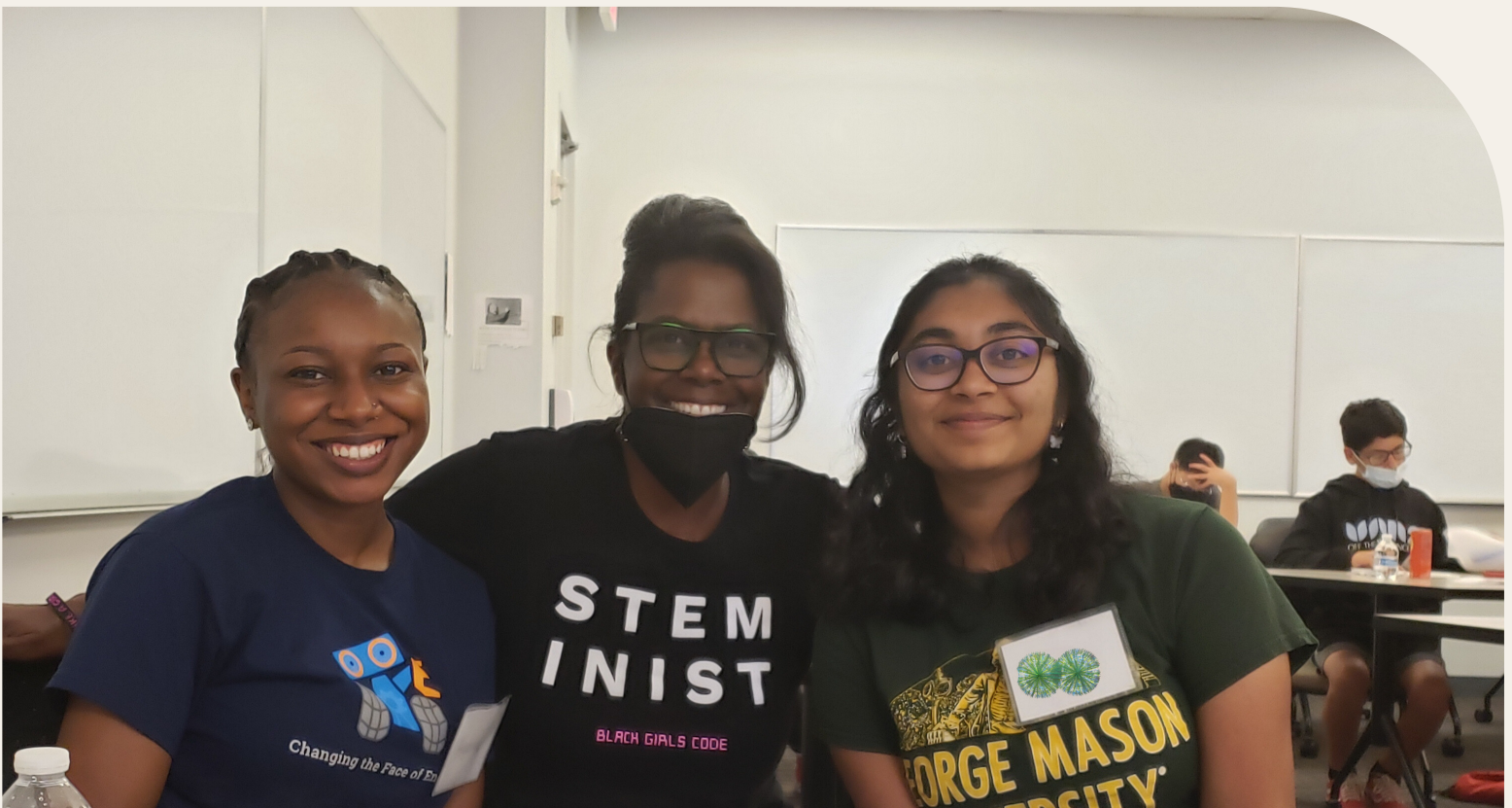
# 2022 Annual Impact Report



# Every student deserves a chance to think *outside the box.*

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The DRANREF Foundation (TDF) is the philanthropic arm of Business Transformation Group (BTG) and remains committed to helping students become better problem solvers by providing quality STEM Education and Entrepreneurship experiences that prepare them for what's possible.



"I want students to feel confident about what they can achieve by supporting the thinking skills they need to achieve it. I imagine a world where terms like learning loss and achievement gap are a thing of the past."

– Monica Freeman Lewis  
Foundation Founder

238

Budding entrepreneurs birthed since 2015

2500

Students introduced to the Japanese Abacus to make learning math exciting and fun

175

Teachers trained to make and use the Japanese abacus in their classrooms

*Projects*

*Details*

*Outcome*

**The Abacus Project  
Pi Day Challenge**

Distributed 165 DIY Japanese abacus making kits to construct in 3 min and 14 sec ( $\pi=3.14$ )

- Students took ownership for their learning
- Students remained highly engaged and gained an extra tool to solve math problems

**Shark Tank at Howard University Middle School of Mathematics and Science**

9 female students turned ideas into products and took them to market

- Students successfully pitched their start-up ideas to business sharks for feedback
- Seed money was awarded to all participants

**STEM Entrepreneurship Program at George Mason University**

32 students were challenged to use innovation to address issues in their community

- Environmental issues were the students' greatest concern
- Students learned to receive and provide constructive feedback from peers

# The year in review



**"It always seems impossible until it's done." Nelson Mandela**

We kicked off the year with our inaugural Black Kids Count Forum to offer solutions for improving student achievement and then extended our STEM programming arms to 206 students in Washington DC, Virginia and Georgia. We also recognized our 7-year anniversary as an established 501c3 charitable organization at our 2nd

Annual golf tournament. While we faced challenges like gaining access to students during the peak of COVID, we also celebrated wins with local and global partners who value what we do and rolled up their sleeves to help. We know we can move the achievement needle by piloting even more impactful and programs, and in 2023 we will engage the community to that end.

Here's to a reimagined world!

Monica Freeman Lewis  
TDF President and CEO

## 2022 2nd Annual Achievement Counts Charity Golf Tournament

Our work is supported by our generous donors and sponsors. Special thanks to those who weathered the storm that wasn't! It was sunny and a great day out on the course.



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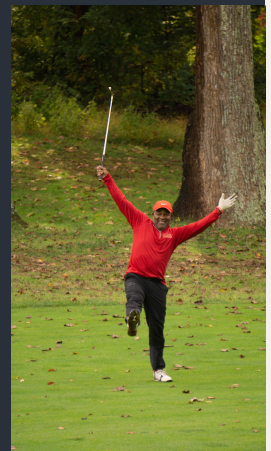
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# Finances

JANUARY 1 - DECEMBER 31, 2022

## CONTRIBUTED INCOME

Corporate Grants	\$27,047
Individual Donations	\$17,101

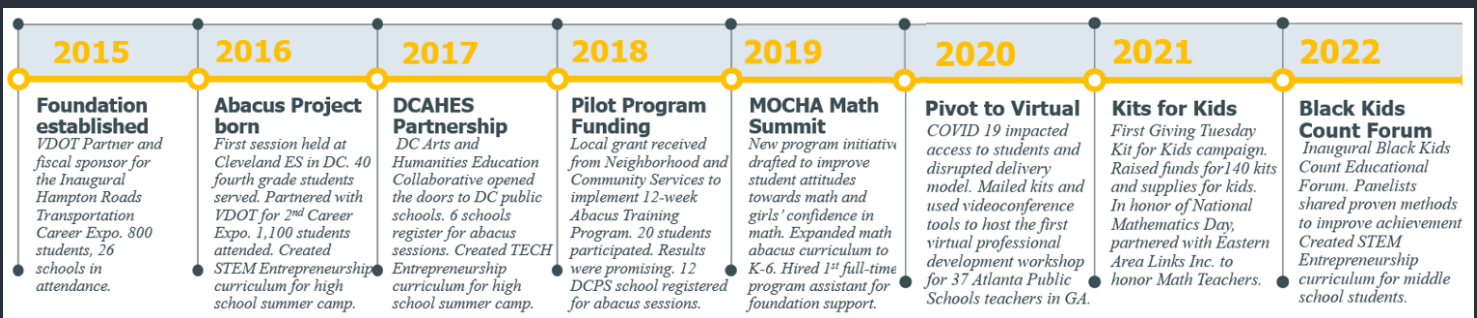
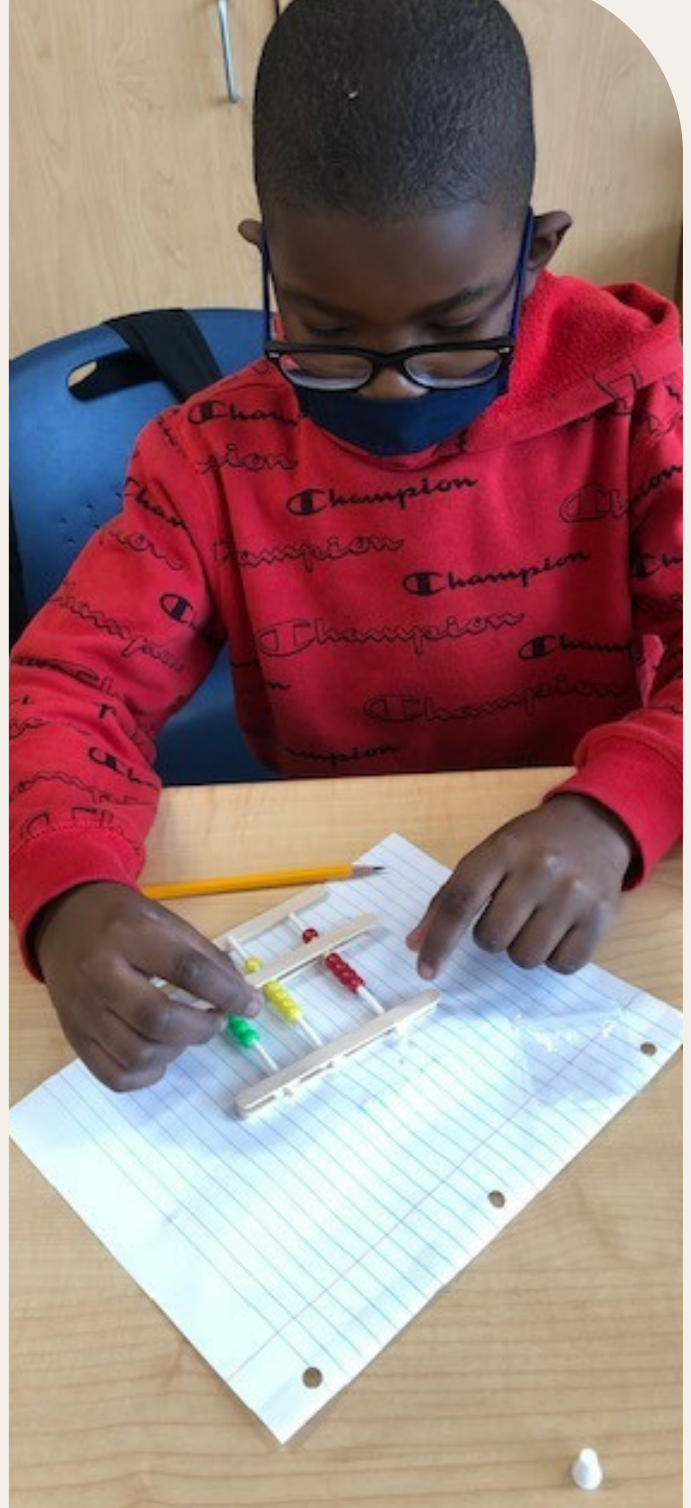
## REVENUES

Total Sales	\$1,456
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**TOTAL REVENUE \$45,604**

**TOTAL EXPENSES \$17,657**

**NET REVENUE \$27,947**



# We'd like to thank all our volunteers and donors for their *generous support!*



## *Special Acknowledgements*

To our partners and volunteers who worked to bring TDF's 2022 vision to life:

**Brandelyn Anderson, Black Kids Count Panelist**

**Marcus Clark, TDF Board Member**

**Malkia Harvey, Payne ES Art Teacher**

**David Janifer, BTG Associate**

**Joe Lewis, TDF Board Member**

**Najee Lewis, BTG Associate**

**Antoinette Murphy, BTG Associate**

**Eddie Neal, PhD, Black Kids Count Panelist**

**Florentia Spires, PhD, Black Kids Count Panelist**

**Tamaishiki Investment Education**

**TDF Golf Volunteers**

**TDF Abacus Kit Making Volunteers**

**UNSHUDO Co, Ltd**

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**Stephanie Wyche, BTG Associate**

**Joy Yancey, BTG Associate**