

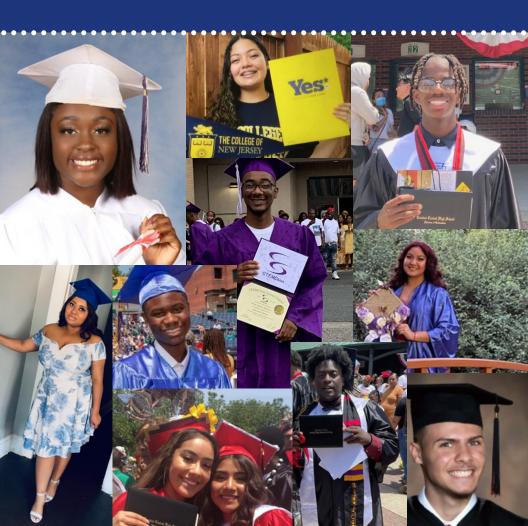


### **CLASS OF**

2021

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH **COLLEGE PREP EXPERTS** 

> **CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2021** PEERS & RISING STARS GRADUATES



# COLLEGE PLANS











### DEVELOPING LEADERS





### CREATIVE & ENGAGING PROGRAMMING

Exposure to diverse activities and talented people they otherwise would not have encountered



A clear, consistent structure that helped participants maintain focus and meet deadlines

#### Universal success in college acceptance among all participants



Recognition that guidance and expertise in financial aid, essay writing, and college selection were essential

## SKILL DEVELOPMENT

Growth as an individual primarily in communication, public speaking, time management, leadership, and selfesteem



A resounding sense among participants that they were being individually supported by caring and knowledgeable staff

# YOUTH FEEDBACK





### WHAT YOUTH VALUED

"I would say that it's a great opportunity to get outside of your comfort zone, get resources for your future and make new friends."

"Millhill's resources—
organizing the financial aid
work, helping me with
workload and stress load.
Keeping track of everything
across many schools with
different deadlines."

"Having help with college. I am the first in my family to be a college applicant. My mom didn't have the experience to help me."



"The most important thing for me was getting educated about the process. Everyone in the program had to follow the path—I was able to gain so much information and will use it when my sister is coming up to do this."

# PROGRAM STATS





100%

of participants accepted into colleges



8 OUT OF 11 youth
are first
generation
college
students

TOTAL FINANCIAL AID AWARD

TOTAL IAL AID \$230,000