Introducing...







## Adopt A Class Mission

A Greater Cincinnati where all students have

## access to caring adults

who expose them to a

# breadth of life and career experiences,

while helping them to

discover their full potential.



## Adopt A Class Model

We do this by

connecting businesses and civic groups with students

from

underserved communities

to serve as

group mentors.





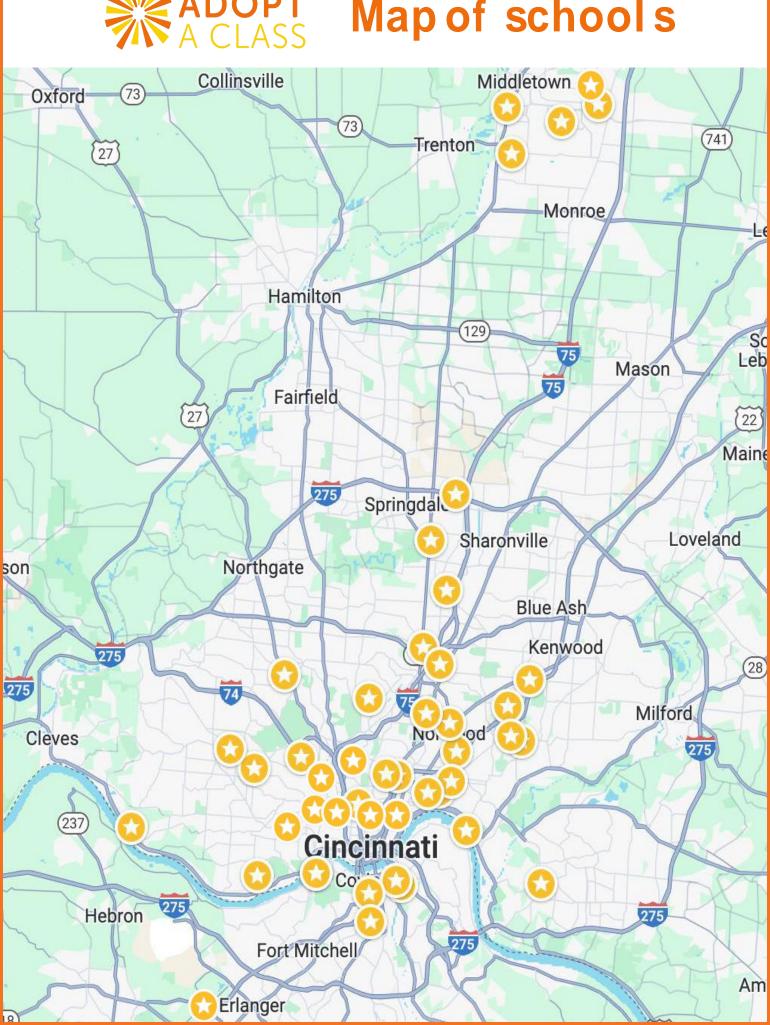
## Adopt A Class Format

A team of 5-7 mentors from your organization go to K-8th grade classroom one hour, once a month to engage students in the work that you do and introduce them to your industry.





### Map of schools



## Who Do We Serve?

- approximately 10,000 K-8<sup>th</sup> grade students
- 13 school districts
- across 56 schools
- **❖200+** partner organizations
- with 425 mentor teams
- Providing 4,000 volunteer mentors

## Teachers Report

#### Over 80% of teachers confirm:

- Students and Adopt A Class mentors established healthy, supportive connections with one another.
- Students became more self-confident about their ideas for the future.
- Students gained a greater understanding of how school subjects connect to jobs and careers.
- Students gained a greater awareness of what they can do in the future and what it takes to get there.





## Mentors Report

- 85% of mentors state participation in Adopt A Class has positively impacted professional growth (leadership, planning, communication, etc.)
- 91% of mentors state participation in Adopt A Class was a positive decision by my employer because it contributes to a positive work culture.
- 97% of mentors state they would recommend participation in Adopt A Class to other organizations.

