



## Flint Urban Scouting Program

Partner	Delivery Method	Program Hours/Week
Greater Heights Academy	In School	1 Hour/Week
Pierce Elementary	After School	1 Hour/Week
Sylvester Broome Empowerment Village	After School	1 Hour/Week
Shelter of Flint	After School	1 Hour/Week
Durant Tuuri Mott	After School	1 Hour/Week
Neithercut Elementary	After School	1 Hour/Week
Brownell Elementary	After School Family Program	1 Hour/Week
Flint Cultural School	After School Family Program	1 Hour/Week
<b>Total Youth Served: 600</b>		

### Quality Counts!

#### Customer Feedback

When asked to share feedback on the Urban Scouting Program, Principal, Vice Principal and Dean of Students from Greater Heights Academy shared the following on September 19, 2023, *"Over the last three years, our scholars have had an opportunity to experience character building exercises and skills that they normally would not have available to them. Greater Heights Academy has strived to find partners that value our code of ethics and excellence in academics. The partnership with the Boy Scouts of America, Mr. Greg Cooley, and Ms. Samantha Knop has established an uplifting experience for our scholars, our school's culture, and climate and throughout the community. Their leadership has only proven to our staff and scholars that they only expect the highest standards of excellence."*

### Quality Counts!

#### D-Bar-A Scout Ranch Adventure

Over 300 Urban Scouting youth members participated in an end-of-the-year day camp adventure at D-Bar-A Scout Ranch in Metamora! The goal of day camp is to use new skills learned in the Urban Scouting Program through the year and apply them in an outdoor setting. This is an adventure many of our Inner City of Flint youth may not otherwise experience without Urban Scouting. Scouts participated in team building and enrichment activities, physical fitness challenges, campfires, fishing, archery, handicraft, hiking, and horseback riding.



### SHORT TERM GOALS

- \*Gain greater access to new schools & partners.
- \*Serve more youth members in the Inner City of Flint.
- \*Hire more Adult Program Specialists.

### CHALLENGES

- \*Behavioral Issues amongst youth members.
- \*Limited access to new schools & partners.

### Program Curriculum Components & Skills Practiced

Outdoor Adventure: Pitching a Tent, Hiking Essentials, Leave No Trace/Stewardship

Personal Safety/Responsibility: First Aid, Safety Inside and Outside Home, Budgeting and Finance

Citizenship and Family Life: Good Deeds, Service to Others, Historical Figures, Community and Families

Health and Fitness: Exercising, Healthy Eating, Sportsmanship

Traditional Scout Skills: Knot Tying, Motto, Oath, Law, Handshake, Sign and Salute

STEM: Natural Science, Animals, Pinewood Derby, Recycling, Plants, Map Reading, Circuits, Building Projects

Soft Skills: Teamwork, Listening, Honesty, Following Directions, Respect, Planning, Goal Setting, and Communication, Public Speaking

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**3 URBAN SCOUTING OBJECTIVES ARE TO IMPROVE:**  
**School Performance**  
**Personal Behavior**  
**Communication with Peers & Adults**