



Our Mission:

The mission of Take Stock in Children is to break the cycle of poverty through education.

TSIC, Inc. (TSIC) d/b/a Take Stock in Children is a 501(c) (3) nonprofit organization, transforming Florida one student at a time. Working in every county throughout Florida, our mission is to break the cycle of poverty for low-income, academically qualified students by providing opportunities for a postsecondary education. We offer college scholarships to students, provide caring volunteer mentors, and instill hope for a better life. Our comprehensive services begin in middle school, continue through high school, and include students' transition into college, through postsecondary degree attainment and career.

Our Vision:

The vision of Take Stock in Children as the premier provider of mentoring, college success, and scholarship support for Florida's underrepresented, economically disadvantaged youth.

Our Values:

Take Stock in Children is guided by values embodied in the work we do, who we hire, and what we create.

- **Innovation:** We believe in providing creative solutions for our community so that we can continuously adapt to the changing needs in education and serve as a leader in academic achievement.
- **Collaboration:** We believe in building strong collaborative partnerships to ensure that every student we serve is career ready.
- **Respect:** We believe in treating others with equality, dignity, compassion, and integrity to ensure each contribution is valued to foster an environment of family.
- **Accountability:** We believe in reaching goals with passion in a thorough and timely way that empowers others to do the same.

Our Culture:

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion are important, interdependent components of everyday life at the Take Stock in Children (TSIC) organization and network and are critical to our pursuit of excellence. Take Stock in Children has a deep and longstanding commitment to the values of diversity, equity, and inclusion. We seek to integrate our commitment into all aspects of TSIC's operations, and we seek the same commitment from our network and partners. Our commitment is ingrained in our mission. TSIC aims to foster a culture where every member feels valued, supported, inspired to achieve individual and common goals, and is provided opportunity and access.