



**Read our bimonthly e-newsletter, CISNC Connections, starting this August!**

Check your inbox on Wednesday, August 12 for your first full update on our work across North Carolina, inspiring student stories, and ways to get involved. [Until then, join us in looking back at our 2019-2020 year-in-review and sign up to receive our e-newsletter below!](#)

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## IMPACT SNAPSHOT

### Since March 11:

- **46,947** Supports provided to students and families
- **6,033** Family needs assessments conducted
- **9,255** Basic needs met



### Top 3 needs of students:

- ★ Basic Needs Support
- ★ Social Emotional Support
- ★ Academic Assistance and Support

# CELEBRATING GRADUATES DURING COVID-19



When school buildings closed because of COVID-19, CIS staff continued to deliver homework packets, distribute food, and check in on students' mental and emotional health. We also celebrated our graduating students' hard work while following social distancing guidelines. From drive-through graduation celebrations to delivering yard signs to students like Concord High School senior Eric (pictured above), our staff showed up to celebrate the Class of 2020.

[Click here to read how CIS staff have gone above and beyond to serve students during COVID-19.](#)

[READ OUR RESPONSE TO COVID-19](#)

## GOV. COOPER PROVIDES GRANT TO JNCG PROGRAM



In January, North Carolina governor Roy Cooper visited Henderson County's Jobs for North Carolina's Graduates (JNCG) to present a \$825K grant as a part of his NC Job Ready campaign and share his educational journey with students and staff. The grant helps students graduate from high school, provides academic and career assistance for one year post-graduation, and will support all eight JNCG sites in the 2020-2021 school year.

Read how 2020 high school graduate Dylan (pictured above with JNCG student Jordann) faced his challenges and graduated with the help of JNCG staff [here](#).

[READ DYLAN'S STORY](#)

## NEW JNCG SITE IN TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY



We opened a new JNCG site in Transylvania County, thanks in part to a \$25,000 grant from corporate partner AT&T, in conjunction with Jobs for America's Graduates (JAG). At the grand opening, Blue Ridge Community College staff talked to students about post-graduation support, potential career paths, and degree options at Blue Ridge.

**Learn how JNCG staff in Transylvania County will help prepare 11th and 12th graders for college and careers [here](#).**

**LEARN ABOUT JNCG**

## GET INVOLVED

- Become a one-time or monthly donor at <https://cisnc.org/donate>
- Follow us on social media and post using the hashtags #InSchoolsAndBeyond and #AllInForKids.
- Support us on your birthday by starting a Facebook fundraiser [here](#).
- Learn how you can [become a CIS community partner](#).

# ABOUT CISNC

Our mission is to surround students with a community of support, empowering them to stay in school and achieve in life.  
Learn more at [www.cisnc.org](http://www.cisnc.org).



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