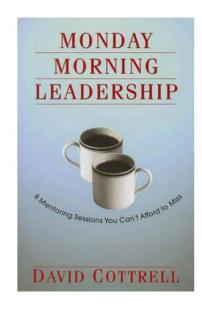
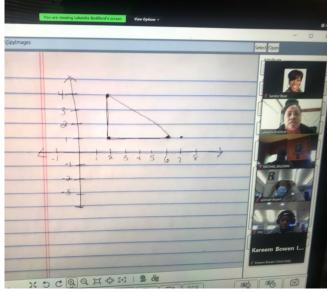
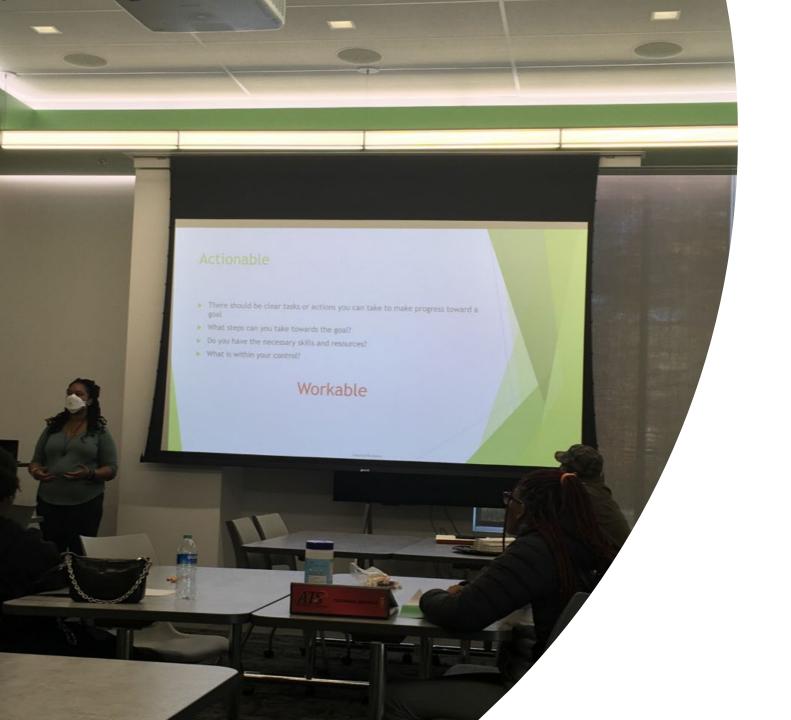
"LESSONS IN LEADERSHIP" AND MATH MONDAYS

Weekly Monday morning in-school sessions consisted of 45 – minute training sessions covered from the books Monday Morning Leadership and Who Moved My Cheese. During the afternoon sessions, students used the first 30 minutes to reflect and work on their leadership lesson. The second half of the sessions were allocated to math tutoring and acceleration to help students prepare for M-STEP (Michigan Student Test of Educational Progress). The sessions are facilitated by Math coach and college instructor, Lakeisha Bodiford.









DEVELOPING THE LEADER WITHIN: WORKSHOPS FACILITATED BY DOW MENTORS



MLK DAY YOUTH MARCH AND RALLY AGAINST GUN VIOLENCE

MLK DAY Youth Rally Against Gun Violence – Guest Speakers

MI State Representative, Amos O'Neal



Saginaw Mayor, Brenda Moore



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DTA student, Ka'Niya Johnson



Don Gaertner, North America and Commercial HR Director, Dow



DTA Youth Rally Against Gun Violence - Speakers

DTA student, Logan Taylor (top left) talks about his friend who lost his life to gun violence just a few weeks before the march and rally.

DTA student leader, Ivan Phillips asks Rally attendees to take a pledge against gun violence.



DTA Student, Ivan Phillips advocates bring Computer Science to all Saginaw high school students

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Microsoft TEALS education program presented to Saginaw Public School District

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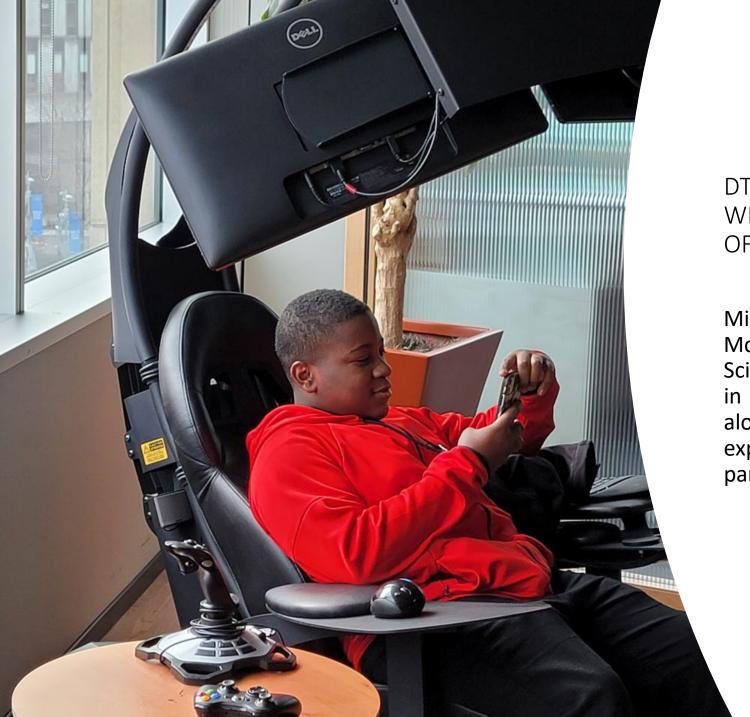
SAGINAW, MI—What is "TEALS" and why should Saginaw students be educated through it?

TEALS, or "Technology Education and Learning Support," is a philanthropic program run by Microsoft to help provide schools with a Computer Science curriculum, better preparing students for the modern workforce.

Ivan Phillips, a student with Saginaw High School and member of the Dow Treasure Academy, said he first learned of the TEALS program through a to Microsoft's Detroit headquarters.

There, Phillips learned how TEALS affects the districts it has been applied to and how it is reflective of their communities. That raised a question he brought up to regional managers at Microsoft: Why isn't something like this in Saginaw?





DTA STUDENTS KICKOFF COMPUTER SCIENCE WEEK WITH A VISIT TO MICROSOFT CORP OFFICE-DETROIT, MI

Microsoft Office – Detroit hosted DTA students on Monday, December 5th as part of Computer Science Education Week. The students took part in a personalized tour of the innovation center along with a curated coding and game design experience. The field trip also included: lunch, panel discussion, cool prizes and swag items.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

DTA students teamed up with Saginaw Mayor, Brenda Moore for "Team Up To Clean Up" Day where they picked up trash in community parks and neighborhoods.







In February, the Central Michigan University (CMU) Student Engagement and Professional Development team hosted DTA students for a full day on campus kicking off with students and Dow mentors teaming up to take part in a business simulation game. Through the 2-hour activity, students (with the support of Dow mentors) learned about systems and processes in real-time by managing inventory, marketing , budgeting for maple syrup products.

Immediately following the activity, students and mentors toured the campus and had lunch in the East Residential Complex. The day closed out with students and mentors attending the CMU vs. Ohio University Men's Basketball game.

Summer 2023

DTA students have been invited to take part in a free two-week residential Summer Program at Michigan State University which includes an up-close glimpse of life on the college campus, pre-college prep writing courses, workshops on completing FAFSA and applying for scholarships and financial aid. Students will also receive a cash stipend upon completion of the program.

