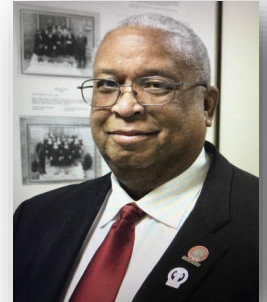




## How to Impact Your Community With An *Adopt-A-School Ministry* NBCUSA, Inc. Congress of Christian Education

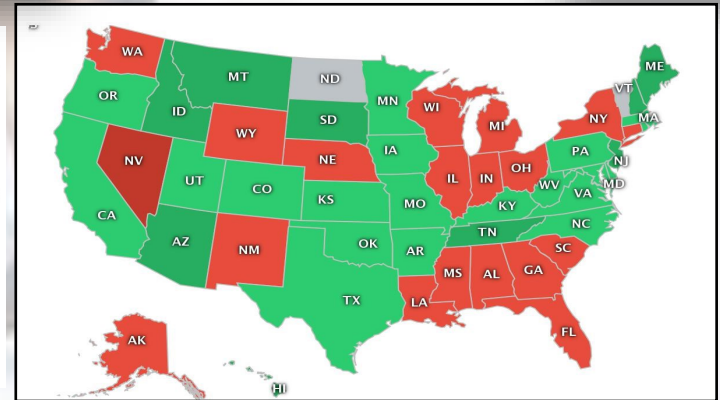


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This map illustrates the dropout rate of African American boys in this country. The red states rate is 60% or more, while the green states are less than 40%. As you see there is work to do and the church is the positioned in the community to effect positive change.

### *Consider These Statistics*

- 50%** of all children in America will live with a single parent before reaching age 18
- 75%** of all crimes in America are committed by high school dropouts
- 53%** of African American males dropped out of high school for the 2007-2008 school year
- 60%** of high school dropouts earn only **half** the income of high school graduates

*For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve others*  
**Matthew 20:28(a) (NLT)**

The Adopt-A-School Ministry course is designed to help local churches, Districts and State Conventions get information and conduct training that helps them bring this Ministry to their communities and improve the operation and effectiveness of schools. Every school contains the opportunity to positively impact the social and spiritual nature of its community. The Adopt-A-School Ministry delivers through the schools of our community a view of Christianity outside the church. The example set by Christian Brothers and Sisters like you will make this Ministry an important tool in every community where the body of Christ resides.

The course demonstrates strategies that assist the boys that encounters the Ministry develop the living methods of a Christian Man. The course shows how to establish the Ministry in your church, establish and develop a partnership with a school in the church's community and methods of working with the boys and the school administrative staff and teachers.



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7am (Pacific), 8am (Mountain), 9am (Central), 10 am (Eastern)

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