By the Numbers

379 Total number of families that have lived in the Family Scholar House residential program. These families have a total of 572 children. Currently, 215 families are in residence. 360 have received housing subsidies through our collaboration with the Louisville Metro Housing Authority, Safe Haven and other housing assistance programs.

939 The number of families that are currently in our pre-residential program receiving services including academic advising, case management, peer support, and connection to other resources while waiting for housing to become available.

1,548 The number of children in these families depending upon their parents for support, nurturing and love.

54 Total number of families receiving post-program support in the past fiscal year. These families have a total of 108 children.

53 The percentage of single parents who, after being screened, attend a Family Scholar House orientation session to apply for the program.

98 The percentage of residential clients that did not have a subsequent pregnancy during their participation in Family Scholar House.

93 The completion rate for college credit hours attempted by Family Scholar House participants.

100 The percentage of Family Scholar House participants that have exited the program to stable housing. Realizing that all of these participants entered the program because they were homeless or had unstable housing adds to the impact of this outcome.

77 The percentage of the student parents enrolled in the residential program at Family Scholar House that have exited to stable employment.

61 The percentage of Family Scholar House participants that have continued their post-secondary education after exiting the program, many in graduate programs.

186 The number of college degrees earned by Family Scholar House participants.

19 The number of participants that have purchased their own homes thereby building assets that can be leveraged for future needs.

23 The number of participants’ children who are pursuing post-secondary educational opportunities. One of the most powerful predictors of college enrollment, regardless of previous academic achievement, is whether or not a student’s parents attended college.

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Our Campuses

Louisville Scholar House

In October 2008, Family Scholar House celebrated the grand opening of phase one of the Louisville Scholar House campus. With the addition of the Academic Services Center in Spring 2010, the Louisville Scholar House campus is complete, providing housing and programming to the 56 resident families, their 91 children and all of the non-residential families who rely on our support while they wait for stable housing.

Downtown Scholar House

In January 2011, Family Scholar House moved 54 more single-parent students and their children into Downtown Scholar House. This campus in downtown Louisville is walking distance from several colleges and universities, as well as bus routes to the University of Louisville. The historic Filson Club on campus has been renovated to function as the Academic Services Center.

Stoddard Johnston Scholar House

Stoddard Johnston Scholar House is our third campus and is home to 57 single-parent students and their families. In January 2012 these families moved into Stoddard Johnston Scholar House, located on Bradley Avenue near Eastern Parkway. The historic Stoddard Johnston Elementary School has been newly renovated to house apartments and program space, allowing residents to have convenient access to academic advising and case management services.

Parkland Scholar House

Our fourth campus, Parkland Scholar House, located at the corner of Catalpa and Dumesnil Streets, is our first campus in west Louisville. After renovating and preserving the historic Parkland School and adding two new buildings, this campus now provides homes to 48 families and program services for residents and non-residents in the community. A Family Café and Children's Nutrition Lab provides intergenerational family meals and activities for participants and other families, children and senior citizens in the community. Construction was completed in August 2013.