

THE BUILDING BLOCK

BUILDUP'S MONTHLY E-NEWSLETTER

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Student Spotlight!

ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT



HOPE HOOPER

Plays for Lawson State Community College Women's Basketball team and is completing her 2nd semester!

WHAT'S UP AT BUILDUP?

Upcoming Dates:

- May 15th -19th: End of Year Projects (Capstone)
- May 19th: Community Service Project 9AM - 12PM
- May 24th: Last Day of School

Events:

- May 12th: Prom @ 6PM
- May 20th: INCENTIVE TRIP: Six Flags
- May 23rd: Graduation @ 6PM Location: First Baptist Church- Ensley



BIG THINGS AND BIG NEWS! (RECAP)

Hello BuildUP family! We want to thank you for all your support this semester. Here are some key moments from April.

BuildUP's First Homeowner:

- BuildUP graduate became the first homeowner of our program! Torrey, 21, is a first generation homeowner who works at Blox as an HVAC specialist.

Summer Bootcamp Update:

- Over 80 students expressed interest in our summer bootcamp!
- Bootcamp runs in partnership with the Fox 6 Kids and Jobs Program and the Birmingham Department of Youth Services.
- We are also looking for guest speakers. Register with the link if you are interested. [Click Here](#)

Student Spotlight!

SENIOR CLASS SPOTLIGHT



OLYMPIA R., MIKEL R., LA DARIUS M.,
& DEMARCUS T

CEFA Level 1 Certification



STUDENT HIGHLIGHTS

Certifications:

- Construction Education Foundation of Alabama (CEFA)
 - Level 1 - Seniors: Olympia R., Mikel R. LaDarius M., & Demarcus T.
- Completed Home Builders Institute (HBI) Certifications - Total: 119

Partnerships & Internships:

- Spring Internships: 14
- Internship Hours: 2,280

Alumni Updates:

- BuildUP Graduate Hope Hooper - Completing her second semester at Lawson State Community College where she plays basketball for the Lady Cougars.

Enrollment:

- BuildUP Community School is now enrolling rising 9th and 10th graders for the 2023-24 school year.
- Please visit our website for more information or click the button below to schedule a school tour!



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WORLD EARTH DAY

From us to you!



COMMUNITY CLEANUPS

Community is one of our CORE values. In April some of our students and staff helped with cleanup days with Councilor Smitherman of District 6 and Councilor Tate of District 9.

