STEP UP BELIEVES ALL GIRLS SHOULD HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PURSUE THEIR DREAMS OF SUCCESS.

AS A MENTORSHIP NONPROFIT, STEP UP WORKS TO:
• CLOSE THE OPPORTUNITY GAP
• TRANSCEND GENDER + RACIAL INEQUITIES
• ADVANCE COMMUNITIES AND FAMILIES

STEP UP’S IMPACT
• 97% of Step Up girls report experiencing Step Up as a safe space
• 97% of Step Up teens graduate high school on time
• 85% of Step Up teens report feeling more prepared for the workforce
• Teens with a mentor are 55% more likely to enroll in college; 100% of Step Up teens have access to multiple mentors

STEP UP SUPPORTS
• high school girls + gender-expansive teens 14–18
• young women + gender-expansive young adults 18–23
• girls of color facing systemic barriers and/or first generation students

STEP UP PROGRAMS PROVIDE
• mentorship – benefiting from the experiences of others to nurture personal and professional growth
• community + connection – leaning on the collective whole of the Step Up network to access opportunity and lifelong support
• social emotional learning skills – developing identity through self-awareness, self-mastery and interpersonal skills
• career practice – gaining real-world experience through hands-on application, access and support