

100 Black Men of America, Inc. (100)



Founded in 1963, the 100 Black Men of America, Inc. is a national alliance of leading African-American men of business, industry, public affairs, and government.

Its members devote their combined skills and resources to confronting the challenges facing African-American youth. Teams of dedicated volunteers distributed among 82 chapters nationally and two internationally make up the 100.

The mission of the 100 is to improve the quality of life of African-American youth in all communities with special emphasis on African-American males.

100 National Initiatives - Four for the Future

Mentoring- a means for the 100 to guide youth in life experiences through the "Mentoring the 100 Way" program

Education- 100 mentored students receive financial assistance through national and chapter-based scholarship programs

Economic Development- providing information that enhances and encourages business and employment opportunities.

Health and Wellness- the 100 partners with other non-profit organizations as well as law enforcement agencies to provide anti-violence workshops and promote preventative health strategies

State Farm® sponsored initiatives

The **Dollars and \$ense** Investment Education Program is a financial education program designed to provide high school students (9th- 12th) with the opportunity to learn and apply "best practice" strategies for saving and investing. The goal of this program is to help students understand basic savings/investment principles and to apply these standards in their day-to-day lives.

The 12-week curriculum (Investing in Your Future) explores basic investment options and processes, reinforced through hands-on learning experience that allows students to analyze stocks, print stock analysis reports, and store analyst data.

Chapters participating in Dollars and \$ense are invited to compete in a simulated "Investors' Presentation" during the annual Leadership Summit. Teams present a "mock" financial portfolio to a panel of judges who will evaluate through question and answer, their understanding of investment concepts, strategies, and products. Winning teams are awarded college scholarships in the amount of \$3,000 for 1st Place and \$1,000 for 2nd Place.

At A Glance:

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DOLLARS AND \$ENSE

The first 10 pilot site locations for the State Farm/100 program in 2005:

Albany, GA

Indianapolis, IN

North Metro, GA

San Diego, CA

Silicon Valley, CA

South Florida, FL

Tampa Bay, FL

Triangle East (Raleigh-Durham, NC)

VA. Peninsula

Washington DC

FAST FACTS

State Farm Insurance has served as a sponsor to the 100's National and Annual Fall Leadership Conferences since 1997

Past Chairman Thomas Dortch came to Bloomington in 2002 as the Keynote Speaker during Black History Month

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