

# EDUCATION EQUITY



Prepare New York City children in culturally rich yet underserved communities to fully engage in the digital, academic, and physical worlds around them.

## OUR IMPACT



**238,527 books** delivered directly to homes in the South Bronx since 2015



**200% improvement** in reading proficiency in Mott Haven schools participating in our programming over last decade



**40,408 food boxes** delivered via school partners in response to COVID-19



**4,965 children and families** attended Black Studies community awareness events in 2022

## KEY PROGRAMS

### RWC

Read & Write + Code

Read & Write + Code is an expansion of ReadNYC, our decade-long literacy program in the Bronx. RWC continues to address children's foundational literacy and wellness needs, while investing in their 21st century needs to integrate reading and writing, engaging with culturally responsive teaching, and introducing computer science into the humanities.

Our Books from Birth program focuses on increasing opportunities for children to experience literacy-rich environments at home, in school, and throughout their communities. Books from Birth sends books directly to families, while collaborating with community partners to build libraries in accessible and convenient spaces.

**Books  
From  
Birth**



**Education  
Equity  
Innovations**

UWNYC is a proud member of the Education Equity Action Plan Coalition, helping NYC schools officials implement a Black Studies curriculum. UWNYC hosted 30+ community events to build public support for Black Studies, including a bookmobile rolling up across the city to share culturally responsive resources with families.