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FOUNDATION

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## WHO WE ARE

The CROOM FOUNDATION is a results-driven organization dedicated to creating meaningful opportunities for youth in high-crime and underserved areas across North, Central, and West Alabama. Our mission is to redirect young individuals from paths of risk toward productive, goal-oriented futures through a comprehensive, community-based approach.

We partner with organizations to deliver a range of impactful programs, including professional counseling, academic enrichment, anti-bullying initiatives, one-on-one mentoring, faith-based guidance, community service projects, and athletic development. This multi-dimensional strategy allows us to address the full scope of a young person's needs—academic, emotional, and behavioral.

Since our founding, The CROOM FOUNDATION has made measurable strides in the lives of countless young people. Our focus on long-term personal development ensures that participants are equipped with the skills and mindset necessary to succeed in school, life, and beyond.

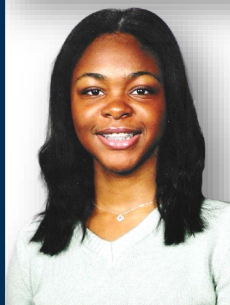
With strong community partnerships and a focused mission, The CROOM FOUNDATION remains committed to being a force for progress—delivering practical solutions, meaningful support, and a clear path forward for the communities we serve.

## Making A Difference

### Officer Kennis W. Croom Memorial Scholarship Recipients



**SCOTTY HOLLINS JR.**  
Class of 2025  
Northridge High School  
Received: \$5,000 Scholarship  
University of Central Florida



**MARIAH DRAKE**  
Class of 2025  
International School of Paris  
Received \$5,000 Scholarship  
University of Alabama



**Kayden Williams**  
Class of 2025  
North Cobb High School  
Received \$5,000 Scholarship  
University of So. California

## Fast Facts

- ➔ Founded in 2018
- ➔ Total Donations to date: \$823,370
- ➔ States Served: 5
- ➔ Counties Served: 43
- ➔ Schools Served: 60
- ➔ Over \$5.8 million in scholarships
- ➔ Headquarters: Tuscaloosa, AL

## In the News

- The Croom Foundation is in the process of acquiring 19 acres as we start drawing up plans for our 300,000sq. facility.
- The Croom Foundation is now expanding to add full time staff to assist in our rapid growth.
- The Officer Kennis Croom Memorial Scholarship had its first international applicant.
- Marquis Nash was selected for the second time in as many years to study a month abroad in Tokyo, Japan.

**OUR VISION:**  
**CHANGING LIVES**  
by  
**CHANGING ENVIRONMENTS**

