

ANNUAL REPORT









>> OUR MISSION

To enable Texas students to pursue careers in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) by:

- » Creating partnerships among educators, industry, government and families to inform, educate and motivate students
- » Implementing classroom and extracurricular programs and activities
- » Focusing on populations that remain underrepresented in fields of STEM
- » Promoting diversity in STEM careers

>> OUR VISION

Every K-12 student has the educational experiences necessary to pursue a career in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and math.

Let's build a workforce that looks like Texas.

>> OUR PHILOSOPHY

...we envision a two-pronged strategy for transforming K-12 education.*



And we must **INSPIRE** students so that all are motivated to study STEM subjects in school and many are excited about the prospect of having careers in STEM fields.



We must **PREPARE** students so they have a strong foundation in STEM subjects and are able to use this knowledge in their personal and professional lives.

*Report, The President's Council of Advisors on Science and Technology, September 2010 https://nsf.gov/attachments/117803/public/2a--Prepare_and_Inspire--PCAST.pdf

>> WHAT WE DO



Start with a great story: TAME Science Squad™ Comic Books

- » Adventures of five ethnically diverse student superheroes
- » Professionally produced series in English and Spanish

STEM saves the day! (Elementary School, Inspire)





Get their hands on STEM: TAME Trailblazers

- » STEM museums-on-wheels visiting schools, libraries and community events
- » 5 exciting, hands-on exhibit areas
- » Fun introduction to STEM concepts, electives, and career paths with local STEM professionals

STEM field trip comes to you! (Elementary/Middle School, Inspire & Prepare)





Take time to explore: TAME Clubs

- » Deeper skill building and problem-solving activities
- » Peer network of students
- » Strong network of STEM educators

Hands on STEM! (Middle/High School, Inspire & Prepare)





Celebrate learning: Divisional & State STEM Competitions

- » Individual math and science tests
- » Collaborative, group engineering design challenges
- » Computational thinking

Showcase STEM Skills! (Middle/High School, Inspire & Prepare)





See them through: TAME Scholarships & Mentoring

- » Financial boost and encouragement
- » Support students in the critical first year of college

STEM Careers take off! (High School/College, Prepare)





Discover Potential: TAME Educator Workshops

- » Expand awareness beyond STEM stereotypes
- » Tools and skills for educators to cultivate an inclusive learning environment

Untap STEM potential! (Elementary - High School Educators, Inspire & Prepare)





>> HOW WE DO IT

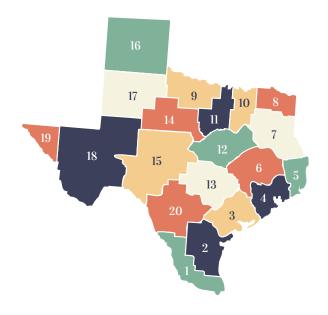
Our model is built on collaboration. Representatives from corporations, higher-education partners, independent school districts, and community organizations inform and lead our work—all centering around Texas students.



Our STATE OFFICE connects and coordinates with TAME CHAPTER leaders and partners across Texas. Dedicated volunteers lead the TAME Chapters that map to the regions defined by the Texas Education Agency. Educators lead TAME CLUBS by accessing and implementing rich, high-quality STEM content in afterschool and in-school environments.



Every year, more than 1,500 volunteers across the state support locally-relevant STEM opportunities through statewide programs and Chapter-led initiatives that encourage local leadership & participation. With the help of parents/guardians, teachers, volunteers, industry and academic partners, and mentors, TAME sustains strong networks of support for STEM achievement.



OUR CHAPTERS

1: Valley	11: Fort Worth
2: Corpus Christi	12: Waco
3: Victoria	13: Capital Area
4: Gulf Coast (GC TAME)	14: Abilene
5: Golden Triangle (GT TAME)	15: San Angelo
6: Huntsville	16: Amarillo
7: East Texas	17: Lubbock
8: Mount Pleasant	18: West Texas

19: El Paso

9: Wichita Falls

>> TAME PROGRAMS: 2018-19





12,762 INSPIRED

Comic Books: 2,533

Trailblazer @ Community Events: 4,655

Trailblazer @ STEM Camps: 912

Trailblazer @ STEM Events: 1,530

Trailblazer @ Science Rocks (Libraries): 3,132

20,815 PREPARED



Trailblazer @ Schools: 17,624

TAME Clubs: 3,191

Divisional & State STEM Competitions: 2,686

Scholarship & Mentoring: 29

OVERALL PARTICIPATION STATISTICS:

ETHNICITY:

Hispanic: 48%
Caucasian: 30%
African American: 17%
Asian/Pacific Islander: 4%
Other: 1%

>> FINANCIALS: 2018-19



REVENUE

Contributions: \$695,750

Program Fees: **\$210,634**

Other Income: **\$31,529**

TOTAL: \$937,913



EXPENSES

Program: \$790,470

Administration: \$51,531

Fundraising: \$31,487

TOTAL: \$873,488

>> OUR GREAT TEAM

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