Mini MAC Program Goals...

• Encourage students to have a personal commitment to academic success and achievement

• Encourage students to celebrate academic success each and every day

• Encourage students to start thinking about college

Achievement Matters
Mini MAC Scholars Program...
The Mini Multicultural Achievement Committee (MMAC) program is a holistic collaborative, educational support function of Columbia Public Schools. The Mini MAC program is designed to provide students with the necessary skills and support to achieve success academically, emotionally, and socially. We believe the achievement mindset begins in elementary school.

We support Columbia Public Schools’ three tenants of *Achievement, Enrichment and Opportunity*, and to ensure that all of our students receive an excellent education.

Mini MAC Program Offerings...

- **Parent of Influence Summit**... Parents/guardians are the #1 influence of their children. The summit is designed to share best practices and provide parents/guardians with tools and ideas to best support their scholar’s learning in areas of reading, writing, and mathematics. The summit will empower parents/guardians to successfully engage in their scholar’s success. District and community resources will be available to provide parents/guardians with key information to support their K-5 scholar’s success. Parents/guardians will have the opportunity to interact with seasoned educators and community leaders and ask questions.

The Parents of Influence Summit is free and held in the fall annually. Information is available at CPS/MAC.org.

- **Transition to Middle School Academy**... is designed to prepare rising middle school students for life and expectations as a middle school scholar. The academy will provide students with essential skills in organization, time management and note taking; using Cornell note taking strategies (AVID).

- **MAC Scholars Club**... Secondary students have enjoyed the benefits of a structured MAC Scholars program for many years. We are excited to introduce and implement a Mini-MAC Scholars Club in selected elementary schools. The program will be designed to develop leadership skills, achievement skills and appreciation for community through community service.