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Rhode Island
Scholarship

"I believe that even by beginning with only providing a few families with what they need, an immense impact will be made in our community. I truly believe that this will make a difference."

Adriyonna LockhartRogers High School

## **BIG IDEA:**

Adriyonna's change making idea is to create a family support center for BIPOC families and single parents struggling with food insecurity, housing, and the increasing high cost of childcare.

## **HOW WILL SHE DO IT?:**

Adriyonna believes that as the cost-of-living increases, so do the burdens placed on people of color. Her family support center will provide

access to a broad array of critical services to assist those in need including free childcare services, a food pantry, and a kitchen that would allow families to enjoy a healthy meal together in a stress free and safe environment.

Adriyonna also puts emphasis on the importance of education and plans to offer a homework room where kids can focus on their studies and receive academic help.



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