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# GET ACTIVE! CHANGE THE GAME!

# **SPORT**

Husky Sport is a community-campus partnership that has utilized the power of sport to connect Hartford and UConn stakeholders since 2003.

#### **RELATIONSHIPS**

Collaborative partners work to identify needs, implement programming, assess progress, and build lasting impactful relationships through in school, after school and weekend programs.

# **PROGRAM PILLARS**

Sport Based Youth Development programming aims to intentionally engage youth, college students, and partners through shared learning in the following four areas:



**Nutrition Education** 



**Academic Enrichment** 



**Physical Activity** 



Life Skills

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# Community-Campus Partnerships



# **Community Partnerships**

Active communication and alignment with Hartford youth, families, schools, and community-based agencies, allows for Husky Sport to offer programming six days a week within the city of Hartford's North-End community.

- ▶ 3 high school-based collaborative partnerships
- ▶ 4 elementary and middle school-based collaborative partnerships
- ▶ 5 after-school and weekend community-based collaborative partnerships



### **Campus Partnerships**

Husky Sport staff and students collaborate with UConn affiliates in working to align with university-wide goals related to a high standard of teaching, pursuit of research and funding opportunities as part of our model of sustained community engagement.

- Over 500 students have completed Husky Sport developed and instructed curriculum for University of Connecticut course credit
- Over 1,500 university students, volunteers, professors, and staff have engaged in Husky Sport sponsored programming and events
- Over 100,000 hours of community service and engagement have been devoted to Husky Sport sponsored programming and events

Empowering
Students as
Civically Engaged
Scholars and
Practitioners



Husky Sport has funded students and staff in the following positions since 2003:

- ▶ 16 PhD graduates
- 32 Master's degree graduates
- 47 AmeriCorps members

