WHO WE ARE

Mirror Image Leadership Academy (MILA) is a 3-year leadership program for 7th graders, primarily targeting African American students. Our program includes a School Year Academy, Extended Day After-school Program, and a Summer Academy with local and international travel. Each year, we focus on expanding young minds through exposure to diverse people, places, and ideas.

Our approach is mindset over behavior.

Real change doesn't happen without a shift in mindset. Throughout their journey with MILA, scholars follow our True Leader Model curriculum, emphasizing how exposure can positively change their self-image, purpose, faith, character, and work ethic.

MIRROR IMAGE True LEADER MODEL



With your support, we aim to address the root causes of distorted self-image in young men, influenced by society, economy, and family.

Sponsoring our gala will help finance our Academies, guiding young men in self-discovery and unlocking their potential. We are grateful for your generosity, partnership, and commitment to future generations.



"Being a part of Mirror Image Leadership Academy has been a great opportunity. Over the years, I have become a better version of myself. I am more confident, and I understand that I must set goals and keep God first in all I do to achieve those goals. I have also been exposed to things that I would have never thought I'd ever experience. I better understand what it takes to be a real leader and respectful man. Thank you, MILA, for everything."

TRAVIS CARTER Graduating Scholar



"Mirror Image Leadership Academy means the whole world to me. I have come a long way in this program. Before this program. I was getting into trouble not just in school but at home as well. I come from a background of men who didn't make the best choices. MILA has shown me I can be better than that."

ALMARI KITCHEN Graduating Scholar

