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**ABC OWNED TELEVISION STATIONS AND WALT DISNEY WORLD RESORT
ANNOUNCE 'OUR AMERICA: IN THE BLACK - DISNEY DREAMERS ACADEMY'**



A trailer for the episode can be viewed [here](#).

ABC Owned Television Stations and Walt Disney World Resort partner for the 30-minute special, "Our America: In the Black - Disney Dreamers Academy." The latest inspirational episode from the "Our America" series showcases the transformative mentorship program and its impact on students while highlighting the importance of entrepreneurship. In the special, [Disney Dreamers Academy](#) pairs Disney Dreamer alum Te'Lario Watkins, who aspires to end food insecurity, with Daymond John of ABC's Emmy® Award-winning series "Shark Tank." John is one of several mentors who lend their time to Disney Dreamers Academy to empower the next generation of students to be champions of change. "Our America: In the Black - Disney Dreamers Academy" is available now across the ABC Owned Television Stations' streaming and digital platforms.

"Our America: In the Black - Disney Dreamers Academy" is executive produced by Nzinga Blake, executive producer, Race & Culture, ABC Owned Television Stations.

The Our America series is available on - 24/7 streaming platforms, 32 connected TV apps across streaming platforms [Amazon Fire TV](#), [Android TV](#), [Apple TV](#) and [Roku](#).

Anyone interested can apply or nominate a student for the 2025 program at www.DisneyDreamersAcademy.com now through Oct. 31, 2024.

Disney Dreamers Academy is one of the many examples of Walt Disney World's commitment to

supporting culturally diverse communities by inspiring young people to dream boldly, pursue their passions, and make a meaningful difference in the world.

About ABC Owned Television Stations

Disney Entertainment Television's eight owned ABC stations are multiplatform leaders in local news and information. Collectively No. 1 across all U.S. television households, the eight stations are comprised of WABC-TV New York, KABC-TV Los Angeles, WLS-TV Chicago, WPVI-TV Philadelphia, KTRK-TV Houston, KGO-TV San Francisco, WTVD-TV Raleigh-Durham and KFSN-TV Fresno. With WABC-NY, they produce the No. 1 syndicated daytime series in the country, "[Live with Kelly and Mark](#)," and with KABC- LA, we produce the leading syndicated entertainment brand ABC "[On the Red Carpet](#)."

The stations also deliver locally sourced storytelling to millions of viewers via its streaming channels that feature 24/7 local news coverage, breaking news, weather forecasts, exclusive premium content and feel-good stories from ABC's award-winning "Localish." The ABC Owned Television Stations ended 2023 with the most streaming minutes among its competitors and have continued to lead into 2024. They are also the leading local station group on social media reaching more than 34 million people across platforms, including four stations that have reached Gold Creator Status on YouTube.

More information about ABC Owned Television Stations streaming channels can be found here: [ABC7/WABC-TV New York](#), [ABC7/KABC-TV Los Angeles](#), [ABC7/WLS-TV Chicago](#), [6ABC/WPVI-TV Philadelphia](#), [ABC7/KGO-TV San Francisco](#), [ABC13/KTRK-TV Houston](#), [ABC11/WTVD-TV Raleigh-Durham](#) and [ABC30/KFSN-TV Fresno](#).

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