

NOVEMBER IS NATIONAL ADOPTION MONTH!

November is National Adoption Month, a time dedicated to honoring adoptive families and raising awareness about the approximately 1,000 children who desire a permanent, loving home. This month serves as opportunity to emphasize the transformative power of adoption and celebrate the 646 children who were adopted this fiscal year, an 18% increase from 2024.

Under the theme “Family First: Adoption with Purpose and Direction,” we aim to underscore the importance of finding the right adoptive family — where children are not only welcomed but truly understood and supported in reaching their full potential. This year, we are placing special emphasis on the children and youth who often wait the longest for adoption. While every child in our care deserves recognition, our focus is on promoting equity by highlighting the needs of teenagers, sibling groups, and children of color, who remain disproportionately represented among those waiting for permanent placement.

