Mission:
ACCESS DEVELOPS LEADERS THROUGH HOLISTIC CREATIVE, PHYSICAL, AND ACADEMIC OPPORTUNITIES BY INSPIRING KIDS IN UNDER-SERVED, PREDOMINANTLY IMMIGRANT AND LATINO COMMUNITIES.

VISION:
ACCESS BUILDS JUST AND PEACEFUL COMMUNITIES WHERE KIDS ARE THE CATALYSTS FOR POSITIVE CHANGE.

OVERCOMING OBSTACLES TO SUCCESS

Pilot Programs

ACCESS combats systemic problems in the South Valley through community activities that give our kids and families opportunities to thrive like kids elsewhere.

Teen pregnancy, obesity, and diabetes are serious challenges; the economic, racial, health, and educational barriers are significant, and many South Valley families face a missing parent due to deportation or incarceration.

Low-income families in Albuquerque’s South Valley have limited access to after-school academics, sports, artistic and cultural events, with 66% of South Valley children living below 150% of the federal poverty line.

60% of the population over the age of 25 has no formal post-secondary education, and more than half of South Valley residents have limited English proficiency.