

**DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY  
COLLEGE OF EDUCATION**

**DELTA PROJECT**  
*Developing and Enhancing Leaders and Teachers for Achievement*

**Funded by the Delta Health Alliance**

**GOALS:**

- **To prepare beginning leaders and teachers to create healthy school environments and develop healthy, high achieving students who can positively impact the economic viability and quality of life in communities across the Mississippi Delta**
- **To provide continued professional development and support to practicing leaders and teachers to assist in retention of high quality personnel in Delta schools**

**FUNDS PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR:**

- **Scholarships for undergraduate teacher education candidates and full-time educational leadership cohort candidates**
- **Faculty salaries/benefits**
- **Graduate assistants**
- **CTL staff and student assistants**
- **Curriculum/assessment development and revision**
- **Instructional materials and equipment to support implementation of curricula**
- **COE Assessment Program and NCATE accreditation**
- **Faculty travel for professional development conferences and workshops**
- **Leadership/teacher candidate travel for field experiences & conferences**
- **Recruitment activities for undergraduate and graduate programs**
- **Literacy Enhancement Clinic**
- **Dean's Scholars program**
- **Development/Implementation of professional development modules for in-service leaders and teachers**

*DSU/COE has been awarded approximately \$4,000,000 from DHA since 2006*