

Nia Transcript:

Nia: When I was in high school, I was physically at school but my mind wasn't at school.

Nia: I had problems at home and that's hard when you feel like you're doing it alone.

Nia: That's when I met Nornise, my mom as I call her.

Nia: She started helping me a little bit, like "Nia I don't know what you're doing with your life, but your future is more important".

Nia: She is my strength.

Nia: Just being that support for those hard days and those hard nights and not giving up on me.

Super: At age 24, with the help of her godmother Nornise, Nia finished her high school diploma.

Nia: Thank you to my mama, I wouldn't have done this if it wasn't for her.

Nia: Today is for my mama and for everybody who had my back.

Nia: It takes a village to help somebody get their diploma.

Nia: Some people may think that maybe it really isn't that big of a deal, but it really is.

Nia: It changes your whole life.

Super: No one gets a diploma alone.

Super: You have more help than you realize.

Super: FinishYourDiploma.org. Find free classes to finish high school.

VO: Find free adult education classes near you at FinishYourDiploma.org