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## Black History Month “I AM STEM – DNA” Video Competition - 2020

“DNA” by Kendrick Lamar  
Adapted lyrics written by Dr. Natalie King

### DNA: I AM STEM Version

I got I got I got I got  
scientists and presidents inside my DNA  
self-made millionaires and billionaires inside my DNA  
Mathematicians and human computers in my DNA  
Athletes who do more than dribble are inside my DNA

I was born like this, was formed like this  
Immaculate conception  
Added melanin into my skin  
Black excellence expected  
Vibranium inside of me  
Giving me all this energy to  
Realize who I'd really be and

I got I got I got I got  
Leadership and service 'cause it's in my DNA  
I've got Book smarts and got street smarts building in my DNA  
My ideas will be my business 'cause it's in my DNA  
I can be the boss with employees it's in my DNA.  
Having multiple streams of income making money while I'm sleeping  
With property, savings, investments that I'm overseeing  
Solution to a problem I'm an answer to a question. I will change my generation because

We got, we got, we got, we got  
Rappers who are influencers in our DNA  
Preachers, teachers, keynote speakers are all in our DNA.  
Abolitionists and activists are in our DNA  
Movie writers and producers are inside our DNA

Rocket scientists, technologists, and engineers too  
I've got medical physicians who will take great care of you  
Archeologists, geologists, geneticists, psychologists, biologists, economists

And I wish I was them  
but I am  
Yeah yeah yeah it's in my DNA

Instrumental taken from: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MOrgAJ8P9xl>

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