



Mentoring

FACT SHEET

Community Based Mentoring Program: This program will provide one-to-one mentoring to Tuesday's Children between the ages of 7-18. Children will be matched with appropriate adult positive role models within their community. Mentors will be asked to make a one year commitment, seeing the child they are matched with a minimum of twice a month spending time doing fun activities, or just "hanging out," while building a friendship. This quality time and individualized attention means a lot to a child who will benefit from a special adult role model in his or her life. Matches last at least one year and can continue until the child turns 18 years old. By then, many matches have formed such a strong bond that their friendship lasts into adulthood.

Goals:

- ✓ To provide caring adult mentors to serve as role models for our youth.
- ✓ To provide encouragement, guidance and support to the child, their families and the mentor consistently throughout the length of the match.
- ✓ To build a positive self-image and confidence in our youth by setting a positive example.
- ✓ To empower our youth to set goals and explore ways to reach them.
- ✓ To broaden their experiences and provide them with opportunities.
- ✓ To build relationships to assist with the emotional and social development of each child.

For more information about our Mentoring Program please contact Diana or Megan at 212-332-2980 or Diana@tuesdayschildren.org or Megan@tuesdayschildren.org

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