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Program Name: Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central OH - Project Mentor

Resources

What resources will be needed to conduct this program?

BBBS Staffing: 3.0 FTE Program Coordinators; 0.40 FTE Program Managers; 1.05 FTE Program Leadership and Support; 0.06 FTE Administration

Partners: 296 staff hours per year from Highlights, McGraw-Hill and City of Zion; ongoing support from Col. City Schools

Program Supplies

Background checks for all mentors

Up-front and ongoing volunteer training for all mentors and parent workshops provided by Mentoring Center

Program Activities

What will we do with the resources?

Mentors meet weekly with their child for 45 minutes to an hour during the student's lunch hour throughout the school year. BBBS program coordinators provide structured activities which align with the Community Connectors core principles. In addition, BBBS program coordinators will meet with students in small groups weekly to help the students improve in their attendance, behavior and academic performance.

Outputs

Briefly describe the number of students engaged and the number of adults involved.

1. 140 mentors and students in 2015-16 (approximately 3,150 volunteer hours).

2. 154 mentors and students in 2016-17 (approximately 3,465 volunteer hours).

3. 158 mentors and students in 2017-18 (approximately 3,555 volunteer hours).

Outcomes

What are the short or intermediate term results that will be achieved?

1. Setting goals to be prepared for 21st century careers
2. Building character
3. Developing pathways to achievement
4. Building resiliency
5. Believing in a positive future

Goal

What are the long term results that will be achieved?

Strengthen communities, encourage mentoring opportunities, and create new pathways for civic engagement that will result in higher educational achievement, higher levels of well-being, and health and workforce readiness for our state.