



MENTOR VOLUNTEER DESCRIPTION: BUTTERFLY PROJECT

(10 month Commitment)

Program Description:

Butterfly Project is a faith-based, The Butterfly Project was established in 2014 by a group of dedicated and passionate female leaders looking to make a difference in the lives of young women in the community. Our goal is to educate and empower young women through a faith-based mentoring environment that will incorporate leadership principles into a weekly group program. The lessons will bring real life issues to the forefront and shine the light of truth and integrity on misconceptions of today's society of who young women can and should become. Our purpose is to help young women develop confidence through mentoring, critical thinking, creative writing and fun! Our target age range for the Butterfly Project is 12 to 21 years old.

Position Description:

Butterfly Project serve to help girls 12-21 years of age get through everyday life situations. Mentors commit to spend at least 10 months of consistent weekly time with their Mentee. Mentors spend this weekly time participating in group discussions about everyday situations that girls go through, one-on-one and some group activities, and a quarterly activity/outing. Also, they are simply being adult friends to the youth (mentee). Not a parent, not a therapist, not a preacher, not Santa Claus. Rather, a team of adult friends that invest their time listening, building trust, establishing a relationship, supporting, and guiding through the course of the year.

Responsibilities/Commitment:

Butterfly Project mentors participate in the following areas:

- 2 hours/week of quality time spent with the mentee;
- All mentor trainings
- Assigned group mentor–mentee activities

Supervision/Support Schedule:

- Assigned phone meetings with Leadership Team
- Monthly reporting to Mentoring Team Leader;
- Monthly or bimonthly team meetings regarding progress of youth;