Quick and Easy Overview

The GoodGuides[™] Youth Mentoring Program provides structured, supportive relationships with trusted mentors that help youth:

- Build Career Plans and Skills
- Feel Connected to Their School
- Graduate
- Access Post-Secondary Training
- Prepare for Productive Work

GoodGuides Will Provide Youth With:

- Career Awareness
- Life Understanding
- Planning
- Coaching

Mentoring Programs

- School Based
- Staff Support and Oversight
- Youth and Adult Volunteers
- Make a Difference
- Time Out from the Stress of School
- Connect with Adults and Each other
- Flexible Volunteer Opportunities





SUPPORTS

NETWORK OF

DEVELOP COMPREHENSIVE

ESTABLISH COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

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Mission:

Licking/Knox Goodwill Industries, Inc. provides training, employment, and support services to individuals with disabilities and other barriers to employment.





GoodGuides® Youth Mentoring Program





"SELF-DIRECTED" You get what you put in!

Mentoring Basics

- Mentoring is to be a place of "safety."
- What someone says in mentoring, shares, or does, stays in mentoring.
- Violence or bullying in mentoring is unacceptable.
- Respect the surroundings, the staff, and each other.





Who Can Enroll?

- Targeted youth are grades 7-12
- Enrolled in a participating school

How Do I Enroll?

- Ask a teach at your school
- A teacher will tell you when and where to be
- The first time you attend you will have to fill out a 1 page form about yourself





What Do Volunteer Mentors Do?

- Direct mentoring services to youth
- Pass extensive background check
- Be a friend
- Be a listener
- Be a guide
- Be willing to share

Adult Mentor Pre-Service Requirements

- Written application
- Criminal history check and Child Protective Services Registry check with clearance to work with children
- Provide one personal references
- Training and orientation

