





Your Partner in MENTORING

COVINGTON PARTNERS









MENTORING PROGRAM









Research shows that spending time with a caring adult helps youth succeed; however, only 25% of the student population in Covington schools report having an adult to model responsible behavior. That's why we need **YOU!**Students who have mentors through the Covington Partners Mentoring Program have fewer discipline referrals, earn better grades, and attend school more regularly than they did prior to having a **MENTOR**.

Whether you have thirty minutes or one hour a week to volunteer, you can make a **DIFFERENCE** in Covington Independent Public Schools. Share your time and talents with youth of any age by getting involved in one of the following mentoring programs offered through Covington Partners, in partnership with Covington Independent Public Schools and Esperanza Latino Center. Training and ongoing support is provided for all volunteer mentors.



Unite, Grow, Succeed.













MENTOR. FRIEND. ADVISOR.

92% of mentored students report feeling more hopeful about their future because of their mentor.

ROLE MODEL

96% of mentored students report feeling more confident in themselves as a result of spending time with their mentor.



MENTORING AT A GLANCE:

- Program options include school-based, community-based, work-based, and remote-based.
- Elementary matches typically meet during lunch (Lunch Buddies) or the afterschool program (After School Buddies).
- One to One reading and math coaches are also needed for students in grades 1–3.
- Mentors must complete a background check and interview.
- Training and match support will be provided to mentors.
- Elementary mentors must be at least 18 years old, while middle and high school mentors must be at least 21 years old.
- Mentors must commit to a minimum of one year of service.
- Mentors typically meet weekly with their mentee.

Investing in another life is both life changing and life sustaining, not only for the mentee, but also for the mentor. It is a mutually satisfying journey filled with opportunity and hope.

-Dan Francis, mentor

WANT TO LEARN MORE? READY TO BECOME A MENTOR?

Contact us at:

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859.392.3172 | partners@covington.kyschools.us

Is Spanish your native language, or are you proficient at speaking Spanish?

Are you interested in becoming a mentor to a Hispanic/Latino student?

Contact our partner agency at:

ESPERANZA LATINO CENTER OF NKY

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