



Mentor Program

12+ is a 501(c)(3) non-profit focused on closing the college gap in Philadelphia. Our goal is to promote college access and completion for low-income youth, ultimately resulting in greater professional success. To achieve this goal, we partner with Philadelphia high schools to establish college access centers where we will provide workshops, tutoring, and one-on-one mentorships.

The problem: Low-income and first-generation college students do not have sufficient guidance and support to effectively apply for post-secondary education.

Become part of the solution: Become a mentor. Mentors serve as a vital component to the success of our program and have a unique opportunity to make a tangible impact on a youth's life. We're looking for caring, enthusiastic individuals willing to support and guide our students through the demanding process of applying to college. For some, all it takes is a little push to believe college is possible. You can get them there and help close the college gap in Philadelphia.

A 12+ mentor...

- Commits at least one academic school year to the program (9/15/12 - 5/31/13).
- Serves as a positive role model providing guidance, accountability, and motivation throughout the college application process.
- Advocates for student's academic, career, personal, and social development.
- Meets with student at least once every two weeks.
- Maintains weekly contact with student through telephone, email, and other mediums of communication.
- Strives to develop a meaningful and lasting relationship with student.

What's the next step?

Apply to be a **12+** mentor! Fill out an [application](#) and we'll be in contact with you.

We're looking forward to receiving your application. If you have any questions please e-mail us at info@onelittleDID.org.