

# COMMUNITY-BASED MENTORING



**Community-based mentoring** is a traditional one-to-one mentoring program for Bigs and Littles to spend time together engaged in activities they choose based on shared interests. It provides fun & educational experiences, access to free events, and the opportunity to get involved in the community.

## HOW IT WORKS:

- ❖ We carefully match a mentor "Big" with a child "Little" in Milwaukee or Waukesha county.
- ❖ Bigs in this program must be 21+, have access to transportation and auto insurance.
- ❖ Bigs commit to a minimum of a one year relationship. This ensures the children we serve have quality experiences and successful outcomes.
- ❖ Matches should meet 2-4 times a month for low to no cost activities.
- ❖ BBBS provides FREE group activities in collaboration with our community partners through our REACH Program - *Recreation, Education & Careers, Arts & Culture, Civic Engagement, and Health & Fitness.*



## WHO ARE OUR LITTLES:

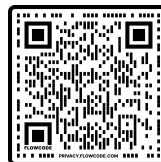
- ❖ A targeted population of youth ages 6-18 facing adversity throughout Milwaukee and Waukesha counties.
- ❖ Youth come from a variety of backgrounds and circumstances, and are generally enrolled in our program by their parent/guardian.



## AS A MENTOR, YOU WILL:

- ❖ Have fun with a purpose!
- ❖ Help defend a child's potential by avoiding risky behaviors.
- ❖ Help improve a child's social and emotional development.
- ❖ Receive ongoing professional support from a dedicated BBBS staff member.

## HOW TO GET STARTED:



- ❖ **Scan here** to apply →
- ❖ Meet with Big Brothers Big Sisters staff for an interview and complete pre-match training.
- ❖ Once approved, we will facilitate your match introduction meeting.

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