

Mentoring Makes the Difference

NORWALK MENTOR PROGRAM

We are so fortunate to have mentoring available in our schools. Mentoring has been shown in national studies and in our program to reduce chronic absenteeism, social skills and improve overall school performance.

The Norwalk Mentor Program, established in 1986, pioneered school-based mentoring in the United States. The program fosters structured one-on-one relationships and in-school activities between students K-12 and trained adult volunteers.

We currently operate in all 21 Norwalk Public Schools.



➤ Just one hour per week
during the school year

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What Mentors do ?

- Sports
- Play cards
- Arts & Crafts
- Conversation
- Academic help
- Social activities

Why Mentoring helps

Mentors act as friends and role models, providing guidance and encouragement through shared experiences. Seeing the world from a different perspective outside of their own lives can help a child see beyond their current situation and reach their full potential.

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