

# WHAT IS BOOM?

BOOM seeks to make a difference in the life of a child by providing amazing mentors who can serve as positive role models and guides in their lives. Our mentors are caring adults who spend time one on one with a young person in order to meet their individual needs. Our goal is to impact the life of a child, YOUR child.

## WE PROVIDE SERVICES IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

The Tri-State Area; Bronx, Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens & Yonkers

## WHY BE A MENTOR?



## WHO CAN BE A MENTOR? ANYONE

- With the desire to be a role model
- Men and women over 18yrs old
- Men and women who can commit to 8 HOURS per MONTH for 1 year with a youth.
- Attend an orientation/training session
- Have a genuine concern for young people
- Respect & accept different points of view
- Be a good listener
- Be encouraging & supportive

- Contribute positively to a young person's development.
- Share your life experience, wisdom & knowledge.
- Inspire & encourage great attitude.
- Encourage community service & a giving mentality.
- Enrich your own life through altruistic means.
- Help guide a young person toward their dreams.
- Help develop future leaders.
- Have fun!

## WHAT DOES A MENTOR DO?

A mentor can be a friend, coach, sponsor, guide, advocate & role model. The mentor and mentee meet to do community base activity. Or Meet Monthly at school, usually during "home base," lunch, or before or after school. Mentors may tutor students in academic subjects, share common interests such as sports or music, and serve as good listeners.

## THE BASIC TASKS OF MENTORS ARE TO:

- Establish open, friendly, & trusting relationships
- Help develop life skills
- Provide new possibilities and opportunities
- Increase ability to interact and communicate

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## MENTORING BENEFITS...

Enhance participants

- Skills
- Aspirations
- Teamwork
- Creativity
- Self-empowerment
- Interests
- Teach values in leadership
- Integrity
- Community service

## WHO ARE OUR MENTEE?

Children/Youth of Parents...

- Incarcerated
- Facing Deportation
- Probation Status
- Immigration Status
- Foster Care
- Kinship
- Halfway House
- In after school program

“ A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way. ” - JOHN C MAXWELL

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Bronx One on One  
Mentoring Program

*Transforming the future, one child at a time*



**"MENTORS WANTED"**

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