



## **THE FUTURE BELONGS TO YOU**

### **TFBU Foundation Elite One Mentors Program Initiatives**

Mentorship has proven to help students succeed in their academic and professional careers. TFBU Foundation Elite One Mentor Program provides a convenient way for you to invest in a student's future. Our mentors are dedicated, and caring adults who can provide friendship and encouragement while supporting them through life's various transitions, instilling independence and ultimately building long lasting bonds.

Mentoring relationships are a shared opportunity for learning and growth. Many mentors say that the rewards they gain are as substantial as those for their mentees, and that mentoring has enabled them to:

- Have fun
- Achieve personal growth and learn more about themselves
- Improve their self-esteem and feel they are making a difference
- Gain a better understanding of other cultures and develop a greater appreciation for diversity
- Feel more productive and have a better attitude at work
- Enhance their relationships with their own children

Above all, a good mentor is willing to take the time to get to know their mentee, to learn new things that are important to the young person, and even to be changed by their relationship.

Our program offers:

1. Daily/Weekly sessions for teens educating them on gang violence, drugs, ethic, laws and more.
2. Assist high school students with planning for college.
  - Professional tutors
  - Build relationships with college advisors
  - Offer practice ACT and SAT tests
3. Train youth and adults on resume writing, how to properly prepare for an interview, life skills and partner with business owners in the community to aide in job placement opportunities.
4. Recently implement new program entitled "Fresh Summer". This program will be a summer camp geared towards students from 1<sup>st</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> grade. "Fresh Summer" will keep students fresh on all curriculum learned throughout the previous year as well as prepare them for the next grade

level that they will be promoted to. This will be a safe, fun, and nontraditional learning environment.

5. 6 AAU Basketball teams 4<sup>th</sup> grade, 6<sup>th</sup> grade, 8<sup>th</sup> grade, 10<sup>th</sup> grade showcase team, Junior Varsity and Varsity teams that are competing on a state and national level for maximum exposure. We also utilize the sport of basketball to mentor and teach youth a variety of life skills and valuable principles that would promote positive behavior.

Please mail or email this application to [tfbu2018@gmail.com](mailto:tfbu2018@gmail.com) or P.O Box 121 Hassell NC 27841.



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## TFBU Foundation Elite One Mentoring Application

*This application is for youth ages 6-17 interested in the Elite One Mentoring Program Any youth ages 6-17 are eligible to apply for the program. Filling out this application does not guarantee the youth will be accepted into the program. This application serves to inform the staff of the Elite One Mentoring program that there is an interest on either the part of the child, parent/guardian or other adult in the life of the child for the young person to be involved in mentoring program.*

Full name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Sex  Male  Female

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone# Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Nicknames or Aliases: \_\_\_\_\_ Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Why is youth being referred for mentoring program?

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What are the youth's needs? How can the mentoring program help?

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Parents/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Employment \_\_\_\_\_

Youth being referred by \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to youth \_\_\_\_\_

Any Allergies: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ If Yes, Describe

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Approved Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_