



Volunteer Opportunity Description

Title: Virtual Tutor

Purpose/Objective: Positively relate to a child and assist with homework, study skills and grasping concepts in various subject areas.

Location: Remote/Virtual, but location must protect sound and visibility privacy.

Key Responsibilities: Be a positive role model, spend one-on-one virtual time with a child (with parent knowledge and supervision) teaching a school topic with patience and positive communication. The virtual tutor will report any problems or concerns to the family's case worker (Family Specialist) or to the Community Engagement Manager within 24 hours.

Impact/Goal: To help a child understand academic work and concepts in order to improve academic performance. To lead the child to build solid study habits and develop a structured approach to homework.

Qualifications: Knowledge in the area of study and ability to convey that information effectively with children/teens.

Time Commitment: Weekly one-hour sessions for a pre-determined number of weeks within the semester or until the child is comfortable working through the material by themselves.

Training/Support Provided: The Family Specialist will always be available to you (weekdays 9 AM – 5 PM) to assist with any issues happening during your on-screen time or shared about life in the home. Parents will be responsible for ensuring a child has the necessary material ready for the tutoring session.

Benefits: Increased self-confidence in the child, academic success, development of social skills, development of personal interaction skills and genuine relationship building. Volunteer gains experience working with youth, teaching and building cultural competency.

Supervisor: Family Specialist or Penny Wright, Community Engagement Manager

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