

No Youth Left Behind Foundation of America

Curriculum Outline Age 11 -14

Individual Tutoring

We will personalize academic help, tailored to the individuals needs. We will focus primarily on the areas that the individual needs help. The tutor will not provide answers, but will assist in problem solving so the young person can get the answer themselves. We will use college students that have been properly trained to be tutors to tutor in their particular major. We help students gain the tools they need to excel academically and build confidence.

Some areas we will tutor in are English, Mathematics, Literature, Writing, Reading Comprehension, Test Preparation, & History.

Counseling

We will assist our youth in learning how to face certain issues through information, guidance and support. In this program we will highlight personal strengths. This curriculum may change according to the needs of the youths and the advice of the counselors

- 1. We will provide a safe emotional environment to explore their situation
- 2. Individual counseling will be provided
- 3. Group open night discussions (based on pre-approved topics)
- 4. Talk about peer pressure and how to cope
- 5. Advice Night
- 6. Help identify things that create stress
- 7. Explore ways to eliminate stress or keep it under control
- 8. Anger management



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Foreign Language

Young people will learn the basic in at least one foreign language, primarily Spanish. Develop the ability to maintain a simple conversation in familiar environments and daily situations, expressing ideas in the present, past and future tenses. This curriculum will change according to instructor ideas and interests of the youths.

- 1. Learn to read and speak simple words
- 2. Read and speak the alphabet
- 3. Group conversations in the foreign language

This program is not limited to these things more may be added.

Introduction to the Arts

The Arts provide opportunities for youth to do something positive and creative. This curriculum will change at will.

- 1. learn how to use the Arts to communicate difficult thoughts and emotions
- 2. Creative and Artistic expression
- 3. Dance
- 4. Visual Art techniques
- 5. Learn to relate Art to life experiences
- 6. Performances, exhibitions, and display of public art works

Community Service Projects

Children are encouraged to participate in volunteer service in many forms ranging from individual volunteer activities to service projects organized by student groups. They will learn to put their knowledge and ideas into practice by helping to solve real community problems alongside other community members.

These activities will be created and supervised by college students majoring in business, community info science, ECE, & others.



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Social Skills

Our youths will discuss the need for social skills and understand why these skills are important. This curriculum may be adjusted with approval to better suit the needs of the youths and society.

- 1. Manners
- 2. Positive interaction with others
- 3. Better ways to handle frustration/anger
- 4. Acceptable ways to resolve conflict with others
- 5. Appropriate classroom behavior
- 6. Phone etiquette

Career Interests

In today's competitive job market it is essential that you possess relevant skills and experiences that will set you apart from everyone else. Youths will explore career interest, education goals, and general job tips. This curriculum will change at will.

- 1. Research
- 2. Self-Test (find which careers match with their personality)
- 3. Mock interviews
- 4. Computer familiarization