



WE INSPIRE, IGNITE, & EMPOWER POTENTIAL

MISSION

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Colorado creates and supports one-to-one mentoring relationships that ignite the power and promise of youth.

OUTCOME

We know from research and over 100 years of our own experience that spending time with a child through mentoring works. It leads to improved grades in school, decreases in risky and delinquent behaviors, and increases in self-confidence.

Connecting children facing adversity with safe, long-lasting, one-to-one relationships since 1918.

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2019 HIGHLIGHTS

2019 BBBSA
Board of the Year

1,615
Matches Served

BBBSA Gold
Standard Award
for High Quality
Programming

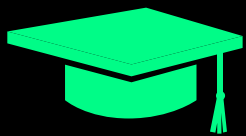
Outstanding
Nonprofit
of the Year
Governor's
Service Awards

90,000
Volunteer Hours

57
Mentee Graduates

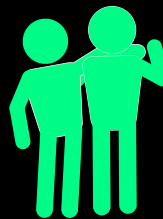
Mentor Colorado
Gold Badge for
Excellence and
Quality

OUTCOMES



91%

of graduating students
continuing their education



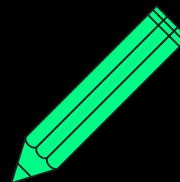
96%

of youth rated their relationship
as strong or very strong



94%

of youth feel accepted
by their peers



94%

of youth maintained or improved
their grades

THE RESULTS OF OUR EVALUATION DEMONSTRATE THE DEPTH OF THE OUTCOMES AND THE BREADTH OF THE POTENTIAL LONG-TERM IMPACTS OF BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS PROGRAMS FOR THE CHILDREN WE SERVE, LEADING TO STRONGER COMMUNITIES FOR ALL.

PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

SUPPORT AN EVENT: We provide a variety of fun and engaging events throughout the year that not only support our mission but also provide great networking and team-building opportunities. With multiple sponsorship levels and engagement opportunities available our events are the perfect way to engage your company with our mission while providing a great environment to bring your team together.

SUPPORT A PROGRAM: Support one of our core mentoring programs and you can help create and support matches, provide training and enrichment activities, and help connect families to resources. Benefits include recognition on social media, website, e-newsletter, and blog, along with invitations to engage in program events.

SUPPORT MATCHES: Provide professional ongoing support, training, and coaching to our matches.

GIVING IMPACT



WHY PARTNER?

- ⇒ Community Impact
- ⇒ Networking Opportunities
- ⇒ Improve Brand Awareness
- ⇒ Employee Engagement
- ⇒ Employee Retention
- ⇒ Workforce Development

THE NEED ⇒ IN DENVER & CO SPRINGS ⇒ 80,000 KIDS LIVING UNDER POVERTY LINE ⇒ 45,000 KIDS LIVING IN SINGLE PARENT HOMES

OUR PROGRAMS



COMMUNITY BASED MENTORING: Big Brothers Big Sisters Community-based mentoring program matches 9- to 13-year-old children with a Big Brother or Big Sister. Mentors are expected to commit to meet with their mentee for a minimum of one year. Throughout the mentoring relationship, BBBSC program staff monitor the match and provide support to the mentor. Typically, mentees and mentors meet two to four times each month, with each meeting lasting at least 2-4 hours.

SPORTS BUDDIES: The Sports Buddies program develops one-to-one mentoring friendships between an adult and child through participatory and spectator sporting events. Sports Buddies activities are designed to deepen mentoring relationships while supporting self-confidence, goal setting, collaboration, skill development, and healthy lifestyles.

MENTOR 2.0: Mentor 2.0 matches students from participating schools with college-educated mentors and provides them with the support and guidance they need to graduate high school and succeed in college and the workforce. Mentor/mentee matches get to know each other through an innovative combination of weekly online messages (via a secure web-based platform) and monthly group meetings at the high school that mentor 2.0 organizes and hosts.

BIGS WITH BADGES (PIKES PEAK ONLY): Bigs with Badges is a one-to-one mentoring program that connects youth facing adversity with first responders in our community, building strong, trusting, and lasting relationships. These relationships can help children develop into confident adults and help build stronger bonds between first responders and the families they serve.

OPERATION MENTOR (PIKES PEAK ONLY): Operation Mentor is offered in partnership with Fort Carson in Colorado Springs. Mentors from the community are matched with children who have a deployed military parent, active duty parent, or a parent who has died as a result of combat-related duty.



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