



Big Brothers
Big Sisters®

OF THE BAY AREA



BECOME A MENTOR

Join our community and ignite
a child's potential

MAKE A DIFFERENCE

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WHAT'S A MENTOR?

A mentor helps a mentee navigate life's experiences as they strive for a successful future. Our Mentors (Bigs) provide guidance and friendship to their Mentees (Littles) and remain a consistent presence in their lives.

WHAT'S THE COMMITMENT?

- 2 outings per month, such as playing catch at the park or getting boba
- 1-year minimum commitment to the Match

ABOUT OUR LITTLES

1 IN EVERY 4

kids we serve has at least one incarcerated parent.

85%

of our waiting Littles are boys.

94%

of our Littles report healthy behaviors and choices as a result of our program.



BECOME A BIG

STEP 1: APPLY

Let us get to know you. Our application and interview process ensures that we pair you with a Little who can benefit from your life experiences, strengths, and abilities.

STEP 2: TRAIN

We will train you in youth development, goal setting, and establishing a relationship to prepare you for your Match. Once you're Matched, you'll have access to our training center, which provides resources that cover topics like Mental Health and College Admissions to help you support your Little's success.

STEP 3: MATCH

Congratulations! It's time to meet your Little! Throughout the mentoring relationship, you will work with a dedicated Match Support Specialist trained to provide you with guidance, advice, outing ideas, and strategies to ensure that you are supported in helping your Little achieve their goals.

STEP 4: NETWORK

By becoming a Big, you'll also join a network of other caring individuals who are passionate about volunteering and making a difference in the Bay Area community. We offer Bigs Only content, communications, and in-person meetups to help you connect with one another.



Become a **Mentor Referral Partner.**

To learn more about engaging your employees as Bigs, email partnership@bbbsba.org.



BBBSBA is proud to partner with companies committed to our shared vision of serving youth excluded from economic opportunity.




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