



Parent/Guardian Permission Form (School-Based Program)

Dear Parent,

Your child has been selected by his/her teacher to participate in the Winning Foundation Mentoring program offered through the school. In the program, your child will be among a group and will be placed with an adult volunteer mentor who will meet the group on school grounds. The volunteer will act as an adult role model and source of friendship and encouragement. The activities between your child and the mentor will be closely monitored and structured by the staff member assigned to the relationship. The school feels that your child will greatly benefit from having another adult role model in his/her life, and hopes that the relationship will lead to increased academic performance, self-esteem, and emotional development.

The mentors that have volunteered for our program have been thoroughly screened and investigated by The Winning Foundation. We respect your role as a parent and will provide every opportunity for you to meet with the mentor and be involved in the development of their relationship.

We feel that these caring adult volunteers will be making an excellent contribution to the quality of education in our school.

Thank you for your time. We hope this program will be of great benefit to everyone involved.

Sincerely,

School Principal

I give permission for my child, _____, to participate in the mentoring program sponsored by The Winning Foundation. I understand the nature and rules of the school's mentoring efforts and reserve the right to withdraw my child from the program at any time.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date of Signature