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OVERVIEW: CHANGING LIVES STEP-BY-STEP

THE WVI DOLPHIN FOUNDATION LEADERSHIP AND LIFE SKILLS MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

PARTICIPATION GUIDE FOR PROGRAM PARTNERS, SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTS (SME) AND CONTENT DEVELOPERS

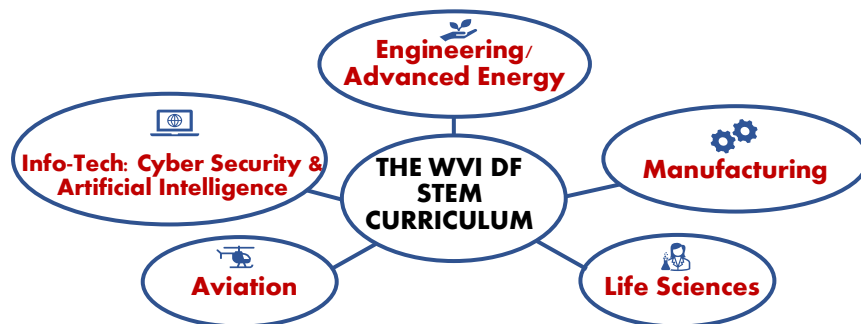
Thank you for participating in our Leadership and Life Skills Mentorship Program. This document serves as an informative guide to those who are aligned with our foundation mission and support our program initiatives. We welcome our advisors and mentors to collaborate with us through our curriculum structure.

THE HEART OF THE PROGRAM – WHAT MAKES US DIFFERENT?

- The WVI Dolphin Foundation drives its contagious virtuous cycle of “give-back” by connecting legacy families and corporations to underserved or Blue and Gold star kids, ages 14-18.
- The program provides:
 - A succinct overview of STEM career paths and their financial rewards in the 5 areas below
 - Clarity on the training and specific educational resources required to attain success
 - Hands on professional guidance to co-create unique and individual career paths
 - A curriculum that includes character development, life skills, and success education
 - Leadership Certificate that will boost college / trade school applications and job opportunities
 - Direct introductions of mentees who receive certificate to corporate and industry decision makers

OUR PROGRAM CONTENT INCLUDES LEADERSHIP AS SERVICE, YOUTH SPORTS LIFE EDUCATION, OVERCOMING OBSTACLES, FINANCIAL LITERACY, AND MORE. WE ARE ALSO INCORPORATING STEM PRESENTATIONS AS SHOWN BELOW.

We welcome resources, connections, and mentors who can present in the following STEM areas within our spoke and hub curriculum:



EACH MODULE IS 75 MINUTES LONG – THE FIRST TEN MINUTES ARE DEDICATED TO GREETINGS AND INTRODUCTIONS, AND THE LAST TEN MINUTES ARE FOR Q&A SESSIONS. THIS ALLOWS FOR APPROXIMATELY 55 MINUTES OF CONTENT DELIVERY.

WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO MAKE YOUR MODULE AS INTERACTIVE AS POSSIBLE - INCLUDE QUESTIONS FOR THE KIDS, SPACE FOR THEM TO EXPRESS THEIR THOUGHTS AND OPINIONS AND WAYS TO LEARN THE CONTENT HANDS – ON. USE THE GUIDE ON PG. 2 TO DEVELOP YOUR MODULE.

OUR AREA OF FOCUS

Our program content depends on your expertise and passions which are presented to our mentees as a **PROFESSIONAL PATHWAY**. As we think about the **END-GOAL** of outlining their success and refining their decision-making, we ask you to fill in the following:

- **OVERVIEW OF JOB TYPES RELATED TO YOUR TOPIC**
- **PRESENTATION OF A DAY IN THE LIFE OF THIS CAREER PATH OR SKILL**
- **WHAT EDUCATION IS REQUIRED TO OBTAIN GIVEN CAREER/SUCCESS?**
- **HOW LONG DOES THE TRAINING AND/OR EDUCATION TAKE?**
- **WHAT ARE STARTING AND AVERAGE SALARY LEVELS?**
- **HOW CAN YOU HELP MENTEES GROOM THEIR PROFESSIONAL PATHWAY?**
- **WHAT OBSTACLES SHOULD WE WATCH OUT FOR?**
- **WHAT CAN MENTEES GAIN FROM THIS TOPIC?**

We will direct students to brainstorm on how this content contributes to the world, the country, city, families, and the individual.

MEDAL OF HONOR CURRICULUM

The Leadership and Life Skills Mentorship Program also focuses on implementing values from the Medal of Honor Curriculum: **Courage, Commitment, Integrity, Sacrifice, Citizenship, and Patriotism**. Our team will speak with you to tie one of these values into the presentation that we will co-create.

CONTENT DEVELOPERS

After you develop your module, practice delivering it and monitor the timing. Make sure that you have 55 minutes of rich, inter-active content to deliver. If you have too much content, please edit and delete where necessary. It is more important to stick to your time frame and allow enough time for key points and learning, rather than squeezing too much information in one module.



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THE OUTCOME

ONE OF THE MAIN TAKEAWAYS THAT MENTEES ARE EXPECTING IN OUR PROGRAM IS REAL-LIFE EXPERIENCE. THIS IS WHAT MAKES OUR PROGRAM UNIQUE!

We ask that you brainstorm and share with us opportunities that are available from your resources – this can include internships, field trips, job opportunities, or even merchandise for those who attend in person. We will share these with the mentees during the module.

WHAT ARE NEXT STEPS FOR 14 -18 YEAR OLD PARTICIPANTS?

As our mentees answer questions throughout our program based on your content curriculum, we will begin to see the fruition of their dedication. After they complete 5 of the 7 modules during the given year, they will receive a Leadership Certificate that will boost their college / trade school applications and job opportunities.



OUR KEY BENEFIT

We will review the feedback and levels of participation that we receive from our mentees. While we are not grading material, our team will match students who are most dedicated, involved, and aligned with our mentors and corporate partners, to provide actual introductions within our ecosystem and kick-off their opportunities for success!

Please email mposwistilo@nextoppgroup.com with any participation inquiries or suggestions.