

Mentorship (Peer Counseling 12) Application Form

MENTORSHIP (PEER COUNSELING 12)

Mentorship is an off-timetable course where a Gr.11 student is placed with a grade 8 or 9 class to help mentor and be a role model to the students in that class. Mentors are required to attend that grade 8/9 class every block as part of their regular timetable, to assist students with any questions, classwork, and homework, and to be a role model for being a great student. Mentors are also expected to help these students get adjusted to high school life and to collaborate and communicate with the teacher on a regular basis. Mentors will meet with Ms. Nejad every other week after school for workshops that will help them develop their skills as a mentor. Students will be chosen for this program based on teacher references, applications, and schedules.

Mentors should be willing to mentor in most of the following subject areas:

Math, English, Science, French, Social Studies, PE, Foods, Drama

(you may pick one area that you are not comfortable with and request one that you would really like to Mentor in.)

Why take mentorship?

- To give back to your school and community.
- To gain experience working with younger students.
- Looks good on your resume and university applications.
- To make connections!
- It's fun!

If you are interested in being a Mentor to a grade 8 (or grade 9) class next year in any subject area, please complete this application form and return it to your counselor or to Ms. Nejad in room A310 or to her letter box in the office by **Feb. 28**. You must be in Grade 11 next year to be eligible for this course!

5. **I will meet with mentors once every other week after school from 3:10-4:30.**

Please indicate if there is any day of the week that absolutely does NOT work for you because of another commitment.

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday

6. List a grade 8 subject (academic or elective) that you are NOT comfortable mentoring in.

7. Which subject area would you really like to Mentor in? This is JUST A REQUEST, not a guarantee that you will get this subject area.

8. Do NOT sign up for this course on your own, pick another elective until you know that you are accepted in the program. Which elective course are you willing to drop if you are accepted into Mentorship?

9. Please provide names and signatures of two teachers / counselors who can confidently state that you would be a good mentor.

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Signature: _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO MS. NEJAD IN ROOM A310 OR TO HER LETTER BOX IN THE OFFICE BY **Feb. 28!**

You will be notified by email in March if you have been accepted into the course and your elective listed in #8 will be swapped for it.