



Nutmeg Big Brothers Big Sisters

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ENROLL YOUR CHILD TODAY!

Nutmeg Big Brothers Big Sisters offers community-based, one-to-one mentoring to children throughout Connecticut.

WHAT IS A BIG BROTHER/BIG SISTER! A “Big” is a volunteer friend and role model, one who can make a powerful difference in a child's life. Bigs are interviewed, screened, and provided with training on the role of a mentor, building and a strong relationship, child development, behaviors and challenges, communication, and safety. Mentored children are more likely to improve academic performance, stay in school, build positive relationships, avoid risky behaviors, and become responsible members of the community. *Mentoring works!*

COMMUNITY-BASED PROGRAM: Bigs and Littles participate in activities for **6-10 hours per month**, individually and within the community, to build their relationship and encourage learning of new skills, role modeling, and new experiences. **Bigs and Littles are asked to make a one year commitment.**

HOW YOUR CHILD CAN BECOME A "LITTLE": Families a brief application packet before being interviewed and screened by Nutmeg BBBS. Littles are then matched with Bigs based on common characteristics and interests.

SUPPORT PROVIDED: Nutmeg BBBS provides monthly support to mentors and families. Support Coordinators ensure the match relationship is developing positively and help participants to handle issues and concerns that arise. Nutmeg BBBS and its participants are fully insured.

Contact Us Today!

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