**MENTORING A SCHOLARSHOT SCHOLAR**

**GOAL**

To establish a mutually enjoyable relationship and walk alongside your Scholar as a stable, reliable friend who speaks into your Scholar’s life with respect and wisdom.

* Provide a positive role model
* Encourage focus on goals and if necessary, goal re-set
* Stress the importance of post-secondary education/college completion
* Help build a network of personal and professional resources and support

**CRITERIA**

* Complete a volunteer application with references and background check
* Schedule an interview with the ScholarShot Team

**EXPECTATIONS**

* Attend ScholarShot mentor training
* Text/ call/email your scholar 1-2 times a month
* Meet with Scholar personally at least once/semester (3 times a year) in a visible, public location
* Attend our annual student recognition event, the Cook-In, with your Scholar
* Plan to remain your Scholar’s mentor throughout college completion, if possible
* Help identify summer intern opportunities and/or other resource development
* Report any student or mentor concerns to the Academic Managers

**OPTIONAL, FOR A STUDENT WHO REQUESTS A CHRISTIAN MENTOR**

* Pray daily for your student and pray with your student

**WAYS WE SUPPORT YOU**

* Two hour mentor training
* Scholar and Mentor events for getting to know each other and supporting your Scholar
* Student need/academic support from ScholarShot staff

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