

## **Program Overview**

#### **Mission Statement:**

Our mission is to provide our youth with a better way and a brighter path through love, humility, honor, and faith for success today and tomorrow!

# **Program Objectives:**

- 1. Spiritual Growth and Character Development: We aim to deepen our kids' understanding of faith principles to shape their moral character.
- 2. Life Skills and Values: We're committed to equipping our youth with essential life skills, decision-making abilities, and core values.
- 3. Mentorship for Personal Development: Our program provides mentorship and guidance for individualized personal growth.
- 4. Community Service and Outreach: We encourage our participants to engage in community service projects, instilling a sense of social responsibility.

#### **Session Structure:**

Duration: Each group workshop session takes place twice per month on Saturdays to ensure continuous engagement and provide an optimal learning experience. Note: One-on-one sessions will be offered more frequently to cater to individual needs and personal development.

### Components:

- 1. Faith Empowerment: Through Bible Study Sessions, workshops, and faith-based activities, our kids will explore and understand biblical principles.
- 2. Life Skills Development: Decision-Making and Goal Setting sessions empower our youth to make wise choices and achieve personal goals.

- 3. Substance Abuse Education & Prevention: We provide comprehensive education on substance abuse risks, prevention strategies, and decision-making related to substance use.
- 4. Mentorship: Group Mentorship fosters a supportive environment for shared growth, while One-on-One Mentorship offers personalized guidance.
- 5. Community Service: Engaging in planned projects promotes community service initiatives and outreach activities.
- 6. Social and Emotional Development: Emotional Intelligence, Communication Skills, and Relationship-Building activities enhance interpersonal skills.

### **Assessment and Evaluation:**

We track progress using self-assessment tools like journals and mentor evaluations, while implementing an open feedback system for continuous improvement. Regular assessments ensure individual and group progress toward set goals, and we evaluate the impact of community service projects.

### **Program Guidelines:**

Attendance Policy: Regular attendance is crucial for personal growth and community engagement, with consequences for consistent absences and flexibility for special circumstances.

Code of Conduct: Respect, positive attitude, responsibility, confidentiality, effective communication, conflict resolution, safety, and compliance with policies are expected from all participants.

Confidentiality: We emphasize the importance of keeping personal information shared within the program confidential and respecting privacy during mentorship sessions and events.

Resources: We encourage bringing required materials, accessing technology devices if needed, exploring recommended reading, and providing feedback on resources to improve the program.

By following these guidelines, we aim to create a supportive and enriching experience for our children in our faith-based youth mentor program.