

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Your child has been selected to participate in the Some Other Solutions' Child & Youth Team's **Mentoring Program** in your school! Your child will meet one-on-one or in a group with a trained Mentor on school property for 30-50 minutes per week in a duration of 6-10 weeks. The Mentor will engage your child in activities that are interesting and fun and provide them social support in non-formal setting. Meetings will be monitored and structured by the Program Coordinator and your child's school faculty. The school feels that your child will greatly benefit from having another positive adult role model their life and hopes that the relationship will lead to increased academic performance, self-esteem, and emotional development.

The Mentors have been thoroughly screened and investigated by Some Other Solutions and your school. Your role as a parent is the most important. If you would like to meet the Mentor, please speak with your school administrators to arrange a meeting.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the Mentoring Program, your child's school or the Mentor can provide you with additional information. If you would like your child to participate in the program, talk to them about the program. If they are willing and comfortable with the program, please grant your permission by signing below.

Sincerely,

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I, _____, am the parent or legal guardian of _____, (Parent/Guardian Name) (Student's Name)	
have read all information regarding the SOS Mentoring Program and agree that it will benefit my child and would like for him/her to participate. I understand all rules and boundaries set before the school and Mentors.	
Signature: _____	Date: _____
Media Release Policy Agreement	
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