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# Mentor Opportunities



## Grades 3-12

**SpringBoard** mentors serve as role models, advocates and friends and assist students in grades 3-12 by offering guidance, encouragement and support.

Mentors provide students “on the brink of success” with the skills and supports needed to reach their potential and succeed academically, socially and emotionally.

In just 30-60 minutes weekly, mentors supply the gift of hope and give young people a vision of success.



## Grades 11-12

**Supporting Spring Branch’s Goal of T-2-4 for Every Child**

**Collegiate Challenge** mentors help high school juniors and seniors prepare for college. Mentors support students with admissions, scholarship and financial aid applications, SAT® and ACT® preparation and career exploration.

In 60-90 minutes a week, mentors provide guidance and motivation to students, empowering them to become all that they can be.

**Mentors inspire minds  
and shape lives!**

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# Grades 3-12

**SpringBoard** is the umbrella program for community-supported mentoring initiatives throughout Spring Branch ISD.

**SpringBoard** is grounded in extensive research affirming that all children and young adults benefit from the consistent presence of a caring adult serving as a role model, advocate and friend.

Mentoring supports our goal of Spring Branch T-2-4. Every SBISD graduate will attain a technical certificate, military training, or a two-year or four-year degree.

- **Students with a mentor are more likely to attend and enroll in college.**
- Students with a mentor are **130%** more likely to report taking on a leadership position in a club or sports team.
- Students with a mentor are also **78%** more likely to regularly volunteer in their communities.

With just a small investment of time each week as a mentor, you can make a big difference in the life of a student in SBISD.

## How do I become a Spring Board Mentor?

### STEP 1

**Complete the online SBISD Mentor Application/ Volunteer Registration.**

Registration for the school year opens on July 1. Select Spring Board > Mentor. [volunteer.springbranchisd.com](http://volunteer.springbranchisd.com)

### STEP 2

**Attend a training.**

Trainings are provided September through early March. Register at: [springbranchisd.com/engage/mentors/training](http://springbranchisd.com/engage/mentors/training)

### STEP 3

**Get matched!**

You will be matched with a student at the school of your choice.

### STEP 4

**Attend Mentor U.**

SBISD provides a continuing education opportunities for mentors throughout the school year.

### STEP 5

**Sign up for Mentor Matters.**

Stay informed! Sign up for the *Mentoring Matters* newsletter and follow us on social media @SBISD #SBISDmentors.



# Grades 11-12

## Supporting Spring Branch's Goal of T-2-4 for Every Child

**Collegiate Challenge** matches experienced community members and district administrative staff as mentors to support high school juniors and seniors prepare for college.

Mentors help students with admissions, scholarship and financial aid applications. They also may help with SAT® and ACT® preparation and career exploration.

In 90 minutes a week, mentors provide guidance and motivation to students, empowering them to reach post-secondary success (Spring Branch T-2-4).

Historically, 100 percent of our **Collegiate Challenge** students have attained college enrollment and attend college.

Annually, our **Collegiate Challenge** students earn millions of dollars in scholarships and grants.

## How do I become a Collegiate Challenge Mentor?

### STEP 1

**Complete the online SBISD Mentor Application/Volunteer Registration.**

**Registration for the school year opens on July 1.** Be sure to select Collegiate Challenge within the registration form.  
**[volunteer.springbranchisd.com](http://volunteer.springbranchisd.com)**

### STEP 2

**Attend one new mentor training session.**

**SBISD Mentoring will offer a number of training sessions.** Please visit our website (URL below) to review a complete listing of session dates.

### STEP 3

**Get matched!**

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