

2017-2018

LIFE THAT COUNTS

POSITIVE YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SOLUTIONS

HERE'S THE TRUTH

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**EVERY STUDENT
IN EVERY SCHOOL AROUND THE
WORLD HAS INFLUENCE.**

THINK ABOUT THIS



**Students are Either Intentionally
Using their Influence for
Good or THEY ARE NOT.**

*Over 3.2 million students are victims of bullying each year. (1 Cohn, Andrea, and Andrea Canter, Ph.D. "Bullying: Facts for Schools and Parents." NASP Fact Sheet. Accessed February 9, 2014)

Approximately 160,000 teens skip school every day because of bullying. (The National Education Association. "Nation's educators continue push for safe, bully-free environments." NEA. Accessed February 10, 2014, <http://www.nea.org/home/53298.htm>)

17% of American students report being bullied 2 to 3 times a month or more within a school semester. (Valerie, Strauss. "New data on bullying: 17% report regular abuse." The Washington Post. Accessed February 10, 2014, <http://voices.washingtonpost.com/answer-sheet/bullying/2010bullyvictimdata.html>)

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**POSITIVE YOUTH DEVELOPMENT
(PYD)**



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DEVELOPMENT

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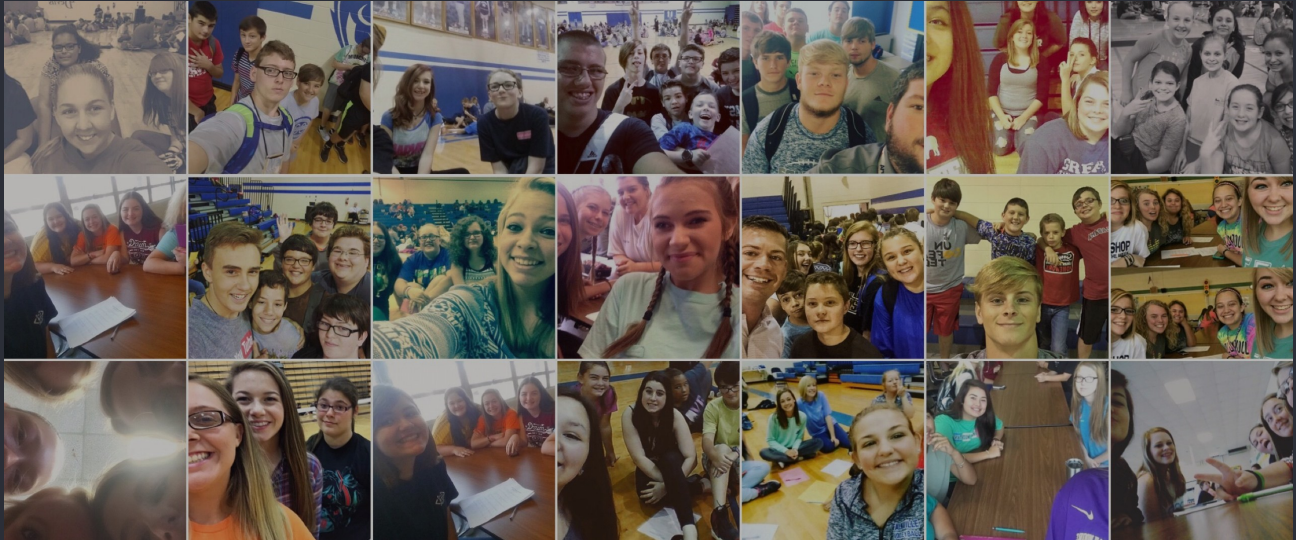
HISTORICAL APPROACH

PYD APPROACH

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**WHAT IS
POSITIVE YOUTH
DEVELOPMENT?**

**P2P Mentoring incorporates the
Best Practices of PYD while Adding
the 6 Elements of Mentoring**



**THOSE
ELEMENTS ARE:**

*Recruiting, Screening, Training,
Matching, Mentoring, Closure*

**PEER-TO-PEER
MENTORING IS PYD**

B.E.L.I.E.V.E. P2P MENTORING

B:P2P IS
DESIGNED TO HELP
STUDENTS MAKE BETTER
DECISIONS
FOR MORE HEALTHY
OUTCOMES

ADDRESSES
STANDARDS FOR
COUNSELING, CHARACTER
EDUCATION, AND
ANTI-BULLYING
CAMPAIGNS

VISIT

WWW.LIFETHATCOUNTS.ORG/MENTORING
**FOR A COMPLETE
OVERVIEW OF THE
B.E.L.I.E.V.E. P2P CURRICULUM**

Engages and Challenges Students



WHAT'S REQUIRED:

1. A DESIRE TO SEE STUDENTS' LIVES
POSITIVELY CHANGED
2. BUY-IN FROM SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS

The Nuts & Bolts:

- Select Two Driven and Caring Educators to Co-Lead the Program
- A Minimum of 35 Minutes, Scheduled, Approximately 20 Times Over the Duration of the School Year for Mentor-Mentee Meetings
- Mentor Trainings Scheduled to Prepare the Mentors for their Mentor-Mentee Meetings

NOTES ~

- IDENTIFY A GRADE LEVEL TO BE MENTORED
- RECRUIT, INTERVIEW, & SELECT MENTORS THAT ARE AT LEAST 2 YEARS OR OLDER THAN THOSE BEING MENTORED (WE RECOMMEND PAIRING LADIES WITH LADIES AND GUYS WITH GUYS)
- WE TRAIN FACULTY MEMBERS WHICH YOU SELECT TO SERVE AS THE PEER MENTORING COORDINATORS
- TEACHER COORDINATORS AND STUDENTS SERVING AS MENTORS WILL HAVE COMPLETE ACCESS TO CLOUD-BASED CURRICULUM AND TRAINING VIDEOS

WHAT WILL THIS COST?

TBD

- Site License to the B.E.L.I.E.V.E. P2P Mentoring Curriculum
- 12 hour Professional Development PYD Training in P2P Mentoring (For Educators leading Peer Mentoring)
 - One Day Mentor Training for Students Serving as Peer Mentors
 - Email and Phone Support
- Monthly Webinar Checkins with a Life that Counts Team Member who is Office for Justice and Juvenile Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) Certified in PYD
- Annual Site Visit to each school for Program Fidelity
- Character Education Assembly by a Life that Counts Youth Speaker

LOVE THE IDEA OF PYD?!



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COMPASSION CHALLENGE
IN YOUR SCHOOL



HERO TRAINING



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OUR MISSION ~ EQUIP YOU TO MAKE BETTER DECISIONS FOR HEALTHY OUTCOMES.