

Teen Mentor Program

Teen Mentors build leadership skills by teaching younger and near-aged girls in Girls' LEAP programs. They also raise community awareness about violence that girls face.

Teen Mentors gain valuable life skills including:

- Increased confidence in personal safety
- Increased awareness of higher education opportunities
- Ability to coach and mentor
- Work readiness and confidence in communication and presentation skills
- Professionalism in engagement with peers and supervisors

What's the commitment?

- Weekly Teen Mentor meetings.
- Mentors will assist in at least one full program per year.
- Run or participate in outreach events for Girls' LEAP.
- Participate in workshops to further develop personal and professional life skills such as public speaking, leadership and self confidence.

Who can apply?

- Teenage girls aged 14-18
- We especially encourage those who are interested in empowerment, leadership, or self-defense to apply.
- Mentors are selected through a rigorous training and application process. Once hired, Teen Mentors will be part-time, paid employees with Girls' LEAP.



“Because of Girls' LEAP I learned that I have a voice and am a strong individual.”

- Lisa, age 14