

Mentoring by Royal Appointment Secondary School Programme

“ IT’S AN AMAZING AND HUMBLING THOUGHT THAT WITH A LITTLE INVESTMENT OF OUR TIME AS PROFESSIONAL ADULTS WE CAN MAKE REAL AND LASTING CHANGES TO SO MANY CHILDREN. I’M SURE IF WE COULD GET MORE PEOPLE INVOLVED, WE COULD MAKE EVEN MORE OF A DIFFERENCE TO SCHOOLS AROUND OUR OFFICES AND HOMES. ”

AMRAN MAJID, MOSAIC MENTOR, CAPGEMINI



Mosaic’s Secondary School Mentoring programme helps thousands of young people (aged 11-18 years old) increase their aspirations, confidence, self-belief and motivation by having relevant and effective role-models to look up to and engage with.

Why is mentoring so important?

- **Bridging the aspirations-attainment gap.** Research shows an extensive aspirations-attainment gap to exist with our young people. Mosaic mentoring helps to bridge that gap..
- **Creating a new generation of role models.** Mosaic mentoring cultivates a new generation of successful adults that become

beacons of positivity and role models for fellow pupils, siblings and the wider community.

- **Boosting social mobility.** Mosaic places mentors with professional backgrounds into our schools, with 80% of our beneficiaries from 20% of the most deprived wards in the UK. We help expand their connections and broaden their life and career options.

Why should you mentor with Mosaic?

- **Personal Development.** Becoming a mentor is not all about giving. Our mentors find that the work they do with Mosaic brings personal benefits including boosting their own professional development.

→ **Full Training.** Mentors are given full-training so they are able to go into our secondary schools and offer support with an approximate commitment of 16 hours over one academic year. This comprises 2-3 one hour sessions per term and will vary depending on the school you are allocated.

→ **You are Mosaic.** Without our volunteer mentors, Mosaic would not have reached the 8,246 young people it did last year with the help of 1,466 mentors. We rely on your commitment and passion for our cause.

“ I WANTED TO BECOME A MENTOR SO I COULD GIVE BACK TO THE CHILDREN WHO NEEDED SUPPORT. I THOUGHT THAT THE BEST WAY TO DO THIS WAS TO JOIN MOSAIC’S MENTORING PROGRAMME. A GOOD MENTOR IS ONE WHO SHOWS COMMITMENT TO ADDING VALUE TO THE LIVES OF THEIR MENTEES AND IS MOTIVATED BY A GENUINE COMPASSION AND UNDERSTANDING OF THEIR LIVES. ”



YVONNE OMINI
MENTOR,
SELF-EMPLOYED



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