Our goal is to develop youth into Leaders of Tomorrow, Readers and Problem-Solvers who can Write, Spell, and Perform Basic Math Skills.

The 21st Century Offers ...

- New Lessons
- New Procedures
- New Products
- New Beginnings
- New Results
- New Hope

Your Benefits Include

Working with tomorrow’s leaders
Watching individual growth
Aiding in academic achievement
Personal Satisfaction of being part of a solution
Role Modeling for younger children

We are looking for FEMALE and MALE volunteers to serve as mentors. There is no time like the present to be involved in the community!

The Spartan Friends Mentoring Program is designed for a One-on-One positive relationship, where caring is present, study habits are developed, academic and social performance improved, and positive personal behaviors promoted.

Collaboration with the best of the Lansing School District, Lansing Community College, Michigan State University, and the Lansing Community.

The Program will match at-risk youth with student mentors who will help in areas of tutoring and problem solving to improve self-esteem.

The Youth will be referred to the YDC from area schools.

Mentors will have an orientation and training session which will consist of an individual session and on-going support services as needed from area schools.

Twice a week, the Spartan Friends Mentoring Team mentors will meet with their student for two hours each session. This period will be set by the mentor and the mentee. Two hours will be spent in academic tutoring and time can be spent in a mutually agreed-upon FUN activity!

The Youth Development Corporation is looking for someone like YOU to join their team!

A Participating Agency in the Capitol Area United Way