

# Black Youth Success (BYS) Volunteer Opportunity Details

**Name of community agency/organization:** Black Youth Success (BYS)

**Description of community agency/organization:**

BYS is a culturally relevant prevention and intervention wrap around school and community support initiative that holds the student and his/her family at the center.

Our goal is to support up to approximately 1000 (500 in 5 years) Black children and youth in grades 6-8 and for all four years of high school to achieve graduation or be on track to achieve graduation rates on par with the regional average by 2026.

**Position title:** Online Tutor/Homework Support

**What will the student do:**

- Review homework questions/concerns and provide feedback on assignments.
- Deliver a mini micro-teach on STEM related topics. Making learning real, relevant and rigorous.
- Provide participants with relevant STEM activities/resources to enhance the learning experience/outcomes.

**Skills required:**

- Excellent interpersonal/communication skills.
- Strong in the following middle & high school academic subjects: Science/Math/French.
- Time Management (available twice a week to provide online student support).
- Be: Available, Engaging and Professional.

**Skills student will learn:**

- To develop their skills in communication and ability to effectively facilitate a small group session.
- To grow/expand their professional and social network.
- To develop skills in leadership that can help them during group projects in academic and career settings.

**Length of time required:**

Our volunteers will have the opportunity to provide weekly tutoring/homework support on: **Tuesdays or Thursdays between 3 pm and 5pm.**

**Location:** Remote via Microsoft Teams.

**How students can get involved/How to apply:** Interested student volunteers can register using the following link: <http://tiny.cc/byssiintake>

**Contact person(s):**

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