

Reasons for tutoring

Genesis and Light Center Educational Assistance Mentoring Project considers tutoring important; we provide students an environment where they can study with the assistance of qualified instructors; we provide tutoring to students who are failing or feel they need additional assistance to grasp specific concepts; we inform students of the importance of education and help students prepare for the district achievement test; we provide educational materials and books to enhance students' learning skills; we expose students to teaching outlets like computers, theater, and arts; we expose students to new places and events that will help them develop an appreciation of other cultures; we provide students with recreational events that will enhance physical fitness, and we develop student work ethics.



According to Juvenile Crime statistics:

Eighth graders left unsupervised for 11 or more hours a week experience twice the risk of substance abuse than those who are under some form of adult supervision.

Children have 4 times greater risk of being the victim of a violent crime during the hours after school. For young people, ages 6 to 17, this risk peaks at 3:00 p.m., the end of the school day. Juvenile crime triples when the school bell rings at the end of the day.

Children's grades and attitudes improve about learning because they have a safe, relaxed atmosphere in which to work.

Without a meaningful attachment to a group, some kids are drawn to gangs. Children, especially adolescents, crave excitement and group activity. If they can't find it in programs organized by responsible adults, they become far more likely to find it in gangs.

Too many children in our targeted communities have too little access to structured activities with positive role models.

A licensed Math, Reading and Language Arts Program, approved by the Dept. of Health

Helping Youth



to GLEAM



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AT Genesis & Light Center

WE OFFER:

- A district-based curriculum
- A phonics-based reading program.
- A low student-teacher ratio.
- An atmosphere of firm, loving discipline, with clear standards of behavior.
- A highly qualified and dedicated staff of instructors and mentors.
- An academic program with high standards, especially in Math, Reading, and Language Arts.

Call (601) 362-6736

OUR MISSION

Established in 1992, Genesis and Light assists low achieving schools in developing positive self-esteem and moral values while encouraging academic excellence.

OUR PURPOSE

Our purpose is to provide opportunities for academic enrichment, including tutorial services to help at-risk students who attend low-performing schools, to meet state and local student achievement standards and content standards in core academic subjects such as: reading, language arts, and mathematics.

OUR SERVICES

Offer students a broad array of additional services, programs, and activities such as: youth development activities, drug and alcohol prevention, counseling, art and drama, music, and recreation programs, technology education, and character development that are designed to reinforce and complement the regular academic program of participating schools.

Genesis and Light Center's Educational Assistance Mentoring Project (**GLEAM**). **GLEAM** empowered youth through its Saturday Math Club, After-School Enrichment, Drama Club, and Summer Enhancement Programs. Its services include: tutoring, counseling, educational assistance, arts and crafts, drama and dance, and extracurricular/ enrichment activities.



STAFF

Teachers at Genesis and Light Center are highly qualified instructors. Our faculty members are qualified and experienced teachers, role models, and examples for the students and the community.

ADMISSIONS

Students of any color, national origin or ethnic background may apply for enrollment. Testing results and previous academic performance are thoroughly evaluated.

