



Rural CAP

Rural Alaska Community Action Program, Inc.

Who Are Elder Mentors?

Elder Mentors are volunteers who serve in their local schools, head starts, and/ or after school programs across the state of Alaska. Elder Mentors are role models, friends, and super heroes to the children that they serve. Activities can include: talking, reading, playing games, 1 on 1 tutoring, mentoring/coaching, modeling appropriate behavior, arts & crafts, telling stories, and sharing cultural skills & language.

Who can host a volunteer?

Host sites are non-profit organizations, schools, or headstarts that agree to host Elder Mentor volunteers. The responsibilities of host sites include:

- Identifying students/classrooms for volunteers to support
- Complete a volunteer assignment plan
- Approve monthly volunteer timesheets
- Provide constructive support and feedback

What Benefits does the Volunteer Receive?

Volunteers who serve a minimum of 5 hours/week receive:

- \$4/hour tax-free stipend with paid time off and holidays.
- Mileage reimbursement
- Additional auto and liability insurance
- Ongoing training including annual spring conference in Anchorage

What are the next steps?

For more information or to apply please visit

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