Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Texas exists to help children succeed in life. We do this by creating caring, one-to-one relationships between children and adult volunteers who serve as mentors, role models and guides.

BBBS has served children in Central Texas for more than 49 years. Many have the odds stacked against them, but with the help of their mentor, they are taking steps to a brighter future.

68% of BBBS’ kids are from single-parent families

43% have an incarcerated family member

90% live at or below the poverty level

Our unique model of one-to-one mentoring has a direct and lasting effect on the lives of young people.

BBBS Littles

93.1% Intend to finish high school

81% National Average

76.1% Intend to attend college

45% National Average

99.4% Avoid early parenting

81% National Average

97% maintain or improve their grades and progress to the next grade level
BBBS’ Big Futures Program helps Littles transition to young adulthood. This program offers support to matches as students graduate high school and prepare to enter the workforce, enlist in the military or adjust to college life.

**Big Futures Participation of Eligible Matches**

- 50% in 2016
- 80% in 2019

**Number of Matches Participating**

- 20 in 2016
- 42 in 2017
- 60 in 2018
- 100 in 2019

**Average length of our Big Futures matches is almost 7 years.**

**2019**

- 930 children had a BBBS mentor
- 177 new mentoring matches were created
- 55,800 volunteer hours given by “Bigs”
- $312,000 in new college scholarships promised to “Littles”
- 684 kids matched with their mentor for more than a year
- 29.3 average match length (in months)

**By the Numbers**

- 96.3% say “My relationship with my Big is very important to me.”
- 95.3% say “When something is bugging me, my Big listens while I talk about it.”
- 94.4% say “I feel close to my Big.”

**Join the BBBS Success Story!**

**Become a Big:** Volunteers in the BBBS mentoring program meet with their Little 3-4 times per month for a minimum of one year. Get started at www.BigMentoring.org.

**Become a donor:** Every dollar counts! Your gift allows us to provide life-changing services to more children in our community:

- **$5/month** provides a Big and a Little with their very first visit
- **$10/month** enrolls a child in the BBBS program
- **$20/month** finds, trains and matches a volunteer mentor with a child
- **$100/month** takes a child off the waitlist and supports their mentorship for an entire year!