

Bridges Through Books: Literacy Access for All

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What is the project?

- Free after-school tutoring program
- Targets underserved K–8 students
- Focus on reading, writing, and math



Main Community Partner

- Local Title I school or community center
- Serves low-income families
- Lacks academic support resources



Current Needs

- Academic support beyond classroom
- Books, supplies, and consistent mentorship
- Role models for students



Who Will You Recruit?

- College student volunteers
- Local high school students
- K–8 students from the partner school
- Some Teammates to also help



Additional Community Partners

- Local libraries
- Educational nonprofits
- Small businesses for donations



Recruitment Strategy

- Flyers and social media
- Collaborate with teachers on which students are struggling
- School announcements and clubs



Project Scope

- 8–12 weeks, 2 days/week
- 45 minutes per session
- Before and after school days

Plans for Success

- Tutor training and curriculum
- Track student's overall progress
- Feedback from teachers and families of students



Measuring Success



- Pre assessments and post surveys



- End of program student progress assessments



- Feedback from participants and tutors

Implementation Plan

- Weeks 1–2: Planning
- Weeks 3–4: Recruit and train tutors
- Weeks 5–12: Tutoring sessions
- Final Week: Celebration + surveys

PLANNING

**RECRUITMENT
& TRAINING**

IMPLEMENTATION

EVALUATION



Closing Slide

Thank you!

- “Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.” – Nelson Mandela