

EAGLE RIDGE INSTITUTE

Eagle Ridge Institute's mission is to promote healthy lifestyles for family preservation, youth development, and community progress. By approaching the issues of individuals, organizations, and communities at the relationship building and strengthening level, ERI has successfully changed the lives of thousands of Oklahomans. Eagle Ridge Institute provides over eighteen programs and services for youth, families, women and communities. Eagle Ridge Institute is a 501 (c) 3 non-profit organization whose programs are certified by the Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF).



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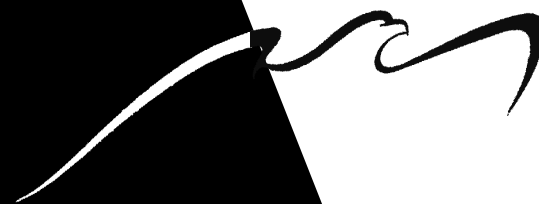
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Eagle's Wings

Youth Mentoring Program



Giving Wings to Dreams

Who We Are

The Eagle's Wings Mentoring Program is a program of the Eagle Ridge Institute. Eagle Ridge

Institute offers comprehensive education, prevention, intervention and treatment services to Oklahoma



youth and families. Eagle's Wings Mentoring has been serving at-risk youth and their families since 1996. Our goal is to help each child develop resiliency skills in social competencies, and problem solving. We plan to increase the number of community youth who are able to live positive productive and healthy lives as adults.

Who We Serve

Our Eagle's Wings Mentoring Program serves teens, ages 12 to 18 years who have been in contact with the judicial system or are at high risk for doing so. Our OKC schools will serve the same identified population, focusing on 6 to 12th graders. Our referrals come from many sources that include: the judicial system, schools, agencies, parents, etc.

After-School Mentoring

Our current after-school activities meets weekly Monday through Thursday from 3pm to 6pm at 601 NE 63rd St, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105. We also meet Monday through Friday, 3:30pm to 7pm at Fred Factory Gardens, Spencer, Oklahoma.

Interest Groups and Activities

We have a variety of interest groups and activities that encourage our youth to develop a positive sense of self and create goals for their future. By attending enriching, cultural events, learning about educational and vocational opportunities, addressing critical life skills issues and exploring artistic and sports skills, our teens perceive a broader picture of their potential.

Delinquency Prevention

Our delinquency prevention program's main focus is preventing youth from becoming involved with the Juvenile Justice System. We will meet on-site with 15-20 high-risk students at various OKC Public Schools, providing groups, activities and support.

Ways to Get Involved!

- Mentoring and tutoring youth
- GED preparation / Drop-out prevention
- Gang prevention / Intervention
- Coaching extra-curricular sports teams

This year, Eagle's Wings...

- Planned alternative recreation activities and programs were enhanced by many volunteer contact service hours.
- Provided Life Skill Training for 6th to 12th grade students.
- Provided numerous special interest programs, including chess, golf, basketball, aquatics, music, dance and a variety of trips.



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