



MentorE Online Youth Services Fact Sheet

WHAT: A New Leaf's MentorE Online Youth Services program helps youth to take charge of their future by giving adults the opportunity to mentor via internet technology. Not only does the program offer a safe space for youth, it teaches valuable computer skills.

WHO: The MentorE program is for youth between the ages of 11 and 15 who want and need a mentor, but are challenged to find one. Youth who are willing to make a six-month commitment must submit an application with their parents signed consent. After they are enrolled into the program, staff matches them with pre-screened adult mentors.

HOW: The MentorE computer lab is located at A New Leaf's MesaCAN facility. It is open Monday through Thursday, 3:30 to 6:30 PM. While youth are at the lab, they can email their mentor, work on homework, play computer games and work on computer projects. Staff monitors computer activity and engages youth in fun and interactive projects with their mentor.

OBJECTIVES:

- Increased self-confidence and responsibility
- Increased resiliency
- Increased school attendance & grades
- Development of conflict resolution skills

WHEN: MentorE was established in 2001 and merged with A New Leaf in June 2009. program receives support through fundraising, donations and volunteer services.

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Mesa, AZ 85204

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