OUR OBJECTIVE ISN’T JUST TO CHANGE THE LIVES OF STUDENTS, BUT TO TRANSFORM AMERICAN PUBLIC EDUCATION.

WHO WE ARE

SAGA Innovations is dedicated to transforming American public education. SAGA drives the expansion of the nationally recognized innovation of high-dosage, intensive daily tutoring, where tutoring is a part of the regular school day for students as a scheduled class period. We partner with district public schools to provide students the opportunity to work with a qualified, engaging tutor, or “Fellow,” who tailors instruction to the needs of two students at a time.

Our mission is to improve student achievement, student and family connection to school, and to bring talent into under-resourced districts by personalizing education. We drive student achievement through high dosage individualized instruction. Students work with a Fellow every day for the entire school year at no cost to the student or their families.

HIGH DOSAGE TUTORING CAN INCREASE THE LIKELIHOOD THAT YOUTH ARE “ON TRACK” FOR GRADUATION BY 50%

WHO YOU ARE

Every site has a coordinator who is responsible for observing, training and assisting Fellows through the entire year. Fellows will be observed daily and must be hungry for feedback. It’s ideal that you have:

• Bachelor’s degree required (ALL majors accepted)
• Strong basic high school math skills
• Passion for education reform and hunger for feedback
• Prior paid or volunteer experience with students
• Prior coaching, tutoring, or teaching experience
  (Teaching certificate and/or education major not required)

BENEFITS

Fellows receive a stipend for their service, access to health and dental benefits as well as intensive professional development and training on effective instructional techniques and student behavior management. Fellows are also eligible for student loan forgiveness (Federal Perkins Loan only). In addition, there is a genuine opportunity for advancement within the organization after the tutoring position ends in June.

EACH YEAR, OVER 1.2 MILLION STUDENTS DROP OUT OF HIGH SCHOOL IN THE UNITED STATES ALONE

1.2 MILLION

50%
1 SERVICE YEAR
14 STUDENTS
A LIFETIME OF IMPACT
SAGA FELLOWS GUARANTEE THE ACADEMIC SUCCESS OF STUDENTS BY FOCUSING INTENTLY ON INDIVIDUALIZING INSTRUCTION AND BUILDING PERSONAL AND MEANINGFUL RELATIONSHIPS WITH THEIR STUDENTS.

RESPONSIBILITIES

• Tutor students in math. Fellows prepare daily lesson plans with materials that are provided by our curriculum directors.

• Work with two students at a time for 7 of the 8 periods of the school day. Fellows will have a personal caseload of up to 14 students they will work with every day.

• Contact families each week about student progress. This communication forges trust, creates relationships and keeps parents aware of the successes and needs of their children.

• Enter student grades and complete daily reports.

WHY JOIN?

Want to transform American public education? Want to eliminate, not narrow the achievement gap? Then you’ve come to the right place. People join for many reasons. Some are taking a gap-year before graduate/professional school and want to do something meaningful. Others are interested in exploring a career in non-profits or education, or simply are passionate about social justice. We recruit nationally and look over hundreds of resumes for idealistic and talented people committed to education reform.

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