



Cricket Together
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We are thrilled to have you join our team of eMentors!

In just a few hours a month, without leaving your desk, you can make a meaningful difference in the life of a child in need! By simultaneously reading carefully selected digital articles from Cricket Media's magazines with your mentee child and then exchanging eLetters to share your thoughts and ideas, you will help your mentee child gain invaluable literacy skills, build 21st century communication competency and in the process learn about careers in the workforce.

Being an eMentor is an important privilege and responsibility, which, in the case your employer is participating in the Cricket Together program, is a great tool to engage with your employer in social responsibility locally. A child (and his/her teacher) in a local school will be counting on you! Cricket Media commits to supporting the Cricket Together mentoring program with an easy-to-use platform including resources, materials and encouragement. We will notify you when it's time to read or write! If you have any questions, you will be able to message directly with your mentee's teacher. We ask that you please read this volunteer commitment as provided from Cricket Media, below to make sure you can fulfill the commitment and indicate your understanding by checking the box on this enrollment form. We understand that your employer may have provided you with additional volunteer-related forms and releases, which are important to the program as well.

eMentor Volunteer Commitment

To become a volunteer, read and acknowledge the Volunteer Commitment below.

1. **Certification:** I hereby certify that all of the information provided in this form and in connection with my participation in the Cricket Together program, is true, accurate, and complete to the best of my knowledge, and is consistent with my information on file with my employer who is sponsoring this Cricket Together program. I will promptly advise Cricket Together and my employer if there are any material changes in the information provided in connection with my volunteering during the course of the academic year.
2. **Volunteer Conduct:** I agree that:
 - 2.1 Adhering to deadlines is essential. If I miss two deadlines without extenuating circumstances, I understand that Cricket Together may reassign my mentee student[s] to another eMentor and will inform my employer of such change in status.
 - 2.2 I will not disclose any personally identifying information about myself to my student(s) (e.g., my last name, my home or my employer's physical address, and/or phone number[s]) or request such information or any other personal identifying information in the form of photographs or audio/video of or from my mentee student(s). I will not engage in any inappropriate communication in my e-letters to student(s). Inappropriate communication



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- includes, but is not limited to content that is considered hateful, bullying, offensive (including racially or ethnically offensive), obscene, illegal, infringing on the rights of others, or otherwise contrary to the policies of the participating school/teacher.
- 2.3 I will respect and preserve the privacy of my student[s] and will not disclose any private information I may inadvertently receive from him/her, except as necessary to protect the child's safety or required by the participating school/teacher.
 - 2.4 In the event a student's e-letter raises concerns about his/her safety, I will immediately notify the Cricket Together staff and the participating teacher.
 - 2.5 I will not seek personal contact with any Cricket Together mentee student outside of supervised Cricket Together events, if any, or outside of my online e-mentoring communications as part of the Cricket Together program.
 - 2.6 I will send all eMentor letters through Cricket Together's platform as provided for this program. I understand and acknowledge that the participating teacher and/or Cricket Together may read and review any letters sent by or to me, whether on a consistent, spot-checking, or other basis, and make such editorial changes to my letters as are reasonably necessary.
 - 2.7 I hereby grant and have the authority to grant Cricket Media, its parent company, subsidiaries, affiliates, successors, and those acting with Cricket Media's' the authorization to produce, adapt, distribute, perform, display and otherwise use any materials created by me or for me and submitted to the Cricket Together program (including, but not limited to my e-Letters) for illustrative, promotional and other purposes, relating to Cricket Together programs without any compensation to me.
 - 2.8 My participation in the eMentor program known as Cricket Together will constitute my consent to the terms of use/privacy policy for the Cricket Together site.
 - 2.9 I understand that Cricket Media and/or my employer may terminate my participation with or without cause.
3. **Release:** I release Cricket Media and its and its parent, subsidiaries, affiliates' officers, directors, employees, subcontractors, agents, and consultants from any liability whatsoever arising from, or relating to this Cricket Together program, including the program's undertakings, activities communications, or my participation therein. I understand that me or my employer (and not Cricket Media) remains liable and responsible for my actions as a mentor, and for actions or damages that may arise in connection with my participation in this volunteer effort.