



**YMI is a school-based mentoring program providing one-on-one relationships for HSE school district students. Last school year YMI supported 215 matches -- that's approximately 450 students and families impacted by volunteer mentors.**

As a volunteer, I get the opportunity to walk alongside youth --fostering their confidence and empowering them to problem-solve independently.





**Did you know that youth benefit from having 4-6 caring adults in their lives outside of their immediate families?**

As a mentor with YMI, I'm able to provide a safe space for youth to talk safely and freely with a trusted adult. 95% of YMI mentees have shared that their mentors have improved their overall social-emotional well-being.





**As a YMI volunteer, I commit 30 minutes of my time once a week during the school year to a youth within the HSE school district.**

This time spent together is as much of a benefit to me as it is to them as we learn from each other. The small amount of time I give weekly causes long-lasting impact.

