

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northwest Florida

United Way Funded Program:
Middle School Bigs

Funding Amount: \$24,200
3-year grant



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Description of Program Services: Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northwest Florida provides children primarily from single parent families with positive adult mentors.

Impact Area: Education

Significant Statistics: The growing need for mentoring services in Escambia County is evidenced by the fact that there were 4,313 in-school suspensions and 4,266 out-of-school suspensions in 2011-2012. The Middle School Bigs Program engages children through one-on-one mentoring with a focus on academics, extended classroom learning, and research based instruction to address individual skill gaps.

http://www.bbbsnwfl.org/site/c.gwKZLIO5LnKaF/b.9172887/k.3F80/Big_Brothers_Big_Sisters_of_Northwest_Florida.htm