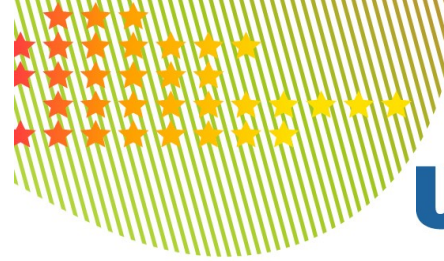


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What's a Half Hour Hero?

"Half Hour Heroes" are men and women who volunteer at a local public elementary, middle, or high school for 30 minutes, once per week (often during lunchtime) as a tutor or just to be a friend to a student that could benefit from having a positive adult male or female in their life.

Did you know...

The percentage of students in metro Atlanta who are unable to attain reading proficiency by the 3rd grade (30%) is directly proportionate to the number of students that do not graduate from high school (30%)?

Statistic revealed from research by Unite! churches

Of all High School students, only 8% will end up in poverty IF they: a) graduate from high school b) get married after the age of 20 years old, and c) have children after their married. If a, b, and c don't happen, then the chances of that student ending up in poverty increases from 8% to 80%.

Statistic provided by Georgia Family Council

We Can Make a Difference

If every student in need of an adult friend or a tutor had a "Half Hour Hero," we could help more students achieve success in life.

Volunteers from churches, businesses, civic organizations, and neighborhoods to join with us in making a difference in our public schools.

For more information about volunteering as a "Half Hour Hero," contact your local public school or Heidi Hooper at heidih@perimeter.org or 678-405-2164.



Half Hour Hero