

# AT&T Aspire: Boys & Girls Clubs of Schenectady

## *Graduating Students, One Community at a Time*



### Program Description:

The Teen Empowerment and Mentoring Program is a partnership between the Boys & Girls Clubs of Schenectady and Schenectady High School. We serve Schenectady High School students on the brink of success that could benefit from having another caring adult in their life. Our mission is to empower our students to develop their character, competence and resilience through structured relationships with caring, positive adults with a goal of academic success.

The purpose of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Schenectady is to promote the social, educational, health, leadership, and character development of boys and girls during critical periods of their growth.



**Students:**  
60



**Funding:**  
\$150,000

"Without my mentor, Tim, I wouldn't have graduated. He helped me write essays and made sure I handed my work in on time."

Dwight H., 17

"The best thing about my mentor is she listens to me and doesn't judge me."

Anjanae W., 15

We provide:

- A safe place to learn and grown;
- Ongoing relationships with caring, adult professionals;
- Life-enhancing programs and character development experiences;
- Hope, opportunity and fun.

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