

The Ghana Science & Tech Explorer Prize (GSTEP)

Mentor Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible to mentor applicants of the Ghana Science and Tech Explorer Prize (GSTEP):

1. Mentors must be knowledgeable of STEM and its practical application. Knowledge can be demonstrated by professional experience, subject matter expertise, or involvement in STEM-related initiatives.
2. Mentors must be based in Greater Accra, Ashanti or Eastern Regions between June 2023 and October 2023.
3. Mentors must be able to commit an hour a week between June 2023 and October 2023 to work with their mentee group, in-person engagement is preferred.
4. Mentors should have the flexibility to take in-person and virtual sessions.
5. Mentors should be 18 years or older.
6. Mentors should be able to provide appropriate guidance to group members in the development of their solution for the Challenge.
7. Mentors must be able to coordinate with teacher representatives assigned to their mentee group for cohesion within the group and oversight over the group's performance in the Challenge.
8. Mentors should be able to encourage discussion and constructive work within the group without judgment.
9. Mentors should have availability to attend three key in-person events in the GSTEP programme.
10. Mentors must maintain professional etiquette in the discharge of their duties.
11. Mentors must acknowledge that this is a voluntary programme with no payment for the work done.