

Mentor Guide April 2025

Reminder: Please set healthy boundaries with your mentees. Also, please be sure to engage and share, as your energy and willingness to be present sets the vibe for the meeting.

- Ice Breaker
 - What's your favorite part of spring? Do you have an activity or hobby you like to do specifically in the spring?
 - Please share at each of your own comfort level.
- How have you been? Anything that is timely or important to you that you would like to talk about?
- We are already in April!
 - The semester is going to start coming to a close soon.
 - Let's review a few things together!
- How has the semester been going?
 - We are in April now, so any outstanding assignments, or things you are behind on, need to be corrected now.
 - Are you happy with where your midterm grades are?
 - What needs to happen between now and the end of the semester for you to either get where you want to be, or, if you are doing well, stay consistent?
 - Please make sure students are getting to office hours, tutoring, etc. if needed.
- How has your time management been going this semester?
 - How do you find balance during times when life gets busier?
 - Are there any obstacles that you have had to get past recently, or you are currently working on?
 - What have you learned about yourself?
 - Is there anything I can do to support you?
- In preparation for next year, please ask the following questions:
 - What was the best part of the mentoring relationship this year?
 - Have we met the goals you set in the beginning of the relationship?
 - What did you get out of your participation in the program?
 - Will the student be returning to QCC in the Fall of 2025 or the Spring of 2026?
 - If so, do you think you would like to continue the relationship?
 - What could the mentor and the mentee have done differently to improve the relationship?
 - Are you interested in remaining in contact informally over the summer?
- For those graduating, please consider becoming a mentor for QCC students in the fall! Please reach out to mentoring@qcc.mass.edu to let them know your interest in becoming a mentor and next steps!