

FYE Mentor Biography

Name: Gladys Akinjo

Major: Accounting

Primary Campus: Catonsville

Hometown: Baltimore, Maryland

Time at CCBC: Summer 2018

CCBC Involvement:

- FYE Mentor
- Business Club
- Christian Club
- Honors Program
- Phi Theta Kappa (PTK)

Interests/Hobbies:

- Sleeping
- Music (Drums)
- Travel
- TV
- Swimming
- Meditating
- Books
- Cooking

Interesting Facts – I don't have any, pretty boring person.

What has helped you succeed so far at CCBC?

- CCBC's tutoring center has helped me excel in my challenging courses like math and writing. I have built academically relationship with my professors and coordinators.
- The shuttle services has greatly assisted me getting from campus to campus.
- The career services has been a great help as well and it is unfortunate that a lot of students do not utilize these free and incredible services to their benefits. The career service has assisted me in putting together a professional cover letter and resume, also they give advice and job opportunities in my major.
- I cannot but mention the scholarship opportunity CCBC offers. I was fortuitous to be awarded a scholarship that aided me financially.
- I have the wonderful opportunity to become a part of clubs and organizations on campus that are shaping my future to become a better leader and better version of myself.

Why did you decide to become an FYE Mentor?

I wanted to challenge myself, step out of my comfort zone and do something like talking with people and sharing my story. I decided to become an FYE Mentor in hopes of helping someone who wants to succeed, but is not familiar with the resources of whom to ask. I want to assist another my fellow students in their journey at CCBC and make it a blissful, not stressed educated life. Starting CCBC was not a difficult experience because I had someone there for me and becoming a FYE Mentor is my own way of giving back and taking the responsibility to be a positive role model.