Title/Name of Lesson	Recipe for College Application Success
Grade Level(s)	9 th grade
Main Idea/Question	What is the recipe for getting into college?
Lesson Introduction	Ask your students if there is a recipe for success. Let them discuss that. Then ask them if they know the recipe to applying to college and being successful at doing so. List the skills and items needed to be successful. Help them be creative.
Lesson Agenda/Procedure	 Introduce the idea of success. Ask them to define success. Mentees will brainstorm on scratch paper or the whiteboard all the ingredients needed in high school in order to be prepared to apply for college. Remind them they will need to fill out an application, the FAFSA, SAT, etc. Ask them, "Who in high school can help you with all of this? Students can begin to fill in the ingredients on their recipe cards. You can begin to help students complete the recipe instructions step by step.
Closing Activity	Note the similarities and differences that students may have. Success is different for everyone. Discuss the steps for each.

Lesson Reflection (for teacher of lesson): Do you have any suggestions to improve this lesson? What did you like best?

