

YOUTH APPRENTICESHIPS



A UNIQUE KIND OF HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION

Instead of rushing to your locker to grab a notebook, you could be checking in for work and gaining skills specific to a dynamic job market.

In addition to being a student in a classroom, you could have an office or industrial setting as your place of study.

While attending high school, prepare for a future career.

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PARTNERS

- Central Wisconsin Area High Schools
- Heart of Wisconsin Business & Economic Alliance
- Marshfield Area Chamber of Commerce & Industry
- Portage County Business Council Foundation

READY FOR A CHALLENGE?





LEARN & EARN

Become a youth apprentice in an exciting and challenging field. Learn and earn while you're still in high school. Youth Apprenticeships are competitive, rigorous and designed for enterprising students who have what it takes to succeed.

Through the Wisconsin Youth Apprenticeship program, area employers invest time and money in students now to gain skilled and educated workers to fill profitable jobs in the future.

Effort and reward often go hand in hand. Consider becoming a youth apprentice in an exciting field such as health services, auto technician, financial services or information technology, just to name a few.

INTERESTED?

To qualify...

- You must be a junior or senior in good standing (can apply during your sophomore year)
- Complete an application, available from your School-To-Work Coordinator
- Complete a personal interview

COOL BENEFITS!

- Develop strong academic and technical skills
- Learn to handle responsibility, develop good work habits, learn problem solving, time management and teamwork
- See first hand the connection between education and real life work skills
- Earn a paycheck while learning from a skilled professional
- Receive a state Certificate of Occupational Proficiency in your industry of study
- Gain potential advanced standing credits toward a technical college associate degree program

Upon successful completion of the program you will be awarded a Certificate of Occupational Proficiency and are eligible to receive advanced standing credits in the Wisconsin Technical College System. In some fields, you can receive credit in the University of Wisconsin System.



YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP OPPORTUNITIES

- Auto Collision
- Auto Technician
- Biotechnology
- Drafting & Design
 - Architecture
 - Engineering
 - Mechanical Design
- Finance
- Freight Movement
- Graphic Arts-Printing
- Health Services
- Hospitality, Lodging & Tourism
- Information Technology
 - Computer Science
 - Networking
- Industrial Equipment
- Logistics
- Manufacturing
- Production Agriculture
 - Animal
 - Soils/Crops
- Welding

For more information on opportunities through the Youth Apprenticeship program, contact your high school counselor or School-To Work Coordinator or visit: <http://dwd.wisconsin.gov/youthapprenticeship/>

