Learn & Earn



Summer Youth Employment Program

Application Dates: March 11—June 14, 2019 www.jobs4summer.org
Work Experience Dates: June 24—August 2, 2019
Orientation begins the week of June 17, 2019

What is Learn & Earn?

Learn & Earn is a six-week summer employment program for teens and young adults ages 14-21 in the Pittsburgh region. Participants have the opportunity to earn money, gain valuable work experience, and develop soft skills to help them become college and career ready. Young adults between 18-24 are invited to apply for the Corporate Internship Program. Learn & Earn is made possible through a partnership between Allegheny County, the City of Pittsburgh, and Partner4Work with support from local foundations.

What are the dates of Learn & Earn?

Young people who are selected will work from June 24, 2019 to August 2, 2019. Orientation begins the week of June 17.

Who can apply?

The application is open to Allegheny County and/or City of Pittsburgh residents who meet program income requirements (see p. 4) and who will be at least 14, and no older than 21 years old, as of June 17, 2019.

How much can I earn?

Pay rates vary according to the type of job offered. Most youth will earn \$7.25/hr. Youth who are selected for the competitive Corporate Internship Program (ages 18-24) can earn up to \$10.35/hr.

How many hours can I work?

Youth can work as many as 25 hours per week, Monday through Friday, for a maximum of 150 hours during the summer program. Corporate Intern young adults can work as many as 35 hours per week and 280 hours during the summer program.

What kinds of jobs are available?

Too many to list! Past participants have planted urban gardens, created websites and business plans, conducted research, helped run businesses, and much more. In 2018 more than 380 businesses and non-profits hosted youth workers in fields like Education, Health Care, Technology, Trades and Community Development.

What do I need to apply?

Applicants will need some basic information to verify age, address, household income, and identity. A complete list of required documents is on page 3 of this packet.

Where can I apply?

The online application can be found at **www.jobs4summer.org**. Access computers and get individual assistance in completing your application at Application Support Centers located throughout the county. See the next page for a complete list of Application Support Centers.

Learn & Earn is made possible through a partnership between:







Learn & Earn Application Support Centers

Not sure if you qualify? Need help applying online?

Stop in any of our support sites during drop-in hours and get access to computers, scanners & trained staff who can help.

1) Auberle Main Campus

1101 Hartman St. McKeesport, 15132

Mon - Thurs: 7am-8pm Fri: 7am-5pm Saturday: 10am-2pm Sunday: 9am-3pm

2) Carnegie Library Hazelwood

5006 Second Ave Pittsburgh, 15207

Mon: 10 - 5pm Tues - Thurs: 10am-8pm Fri & Sat: 10am-5pm

3) Carnegie Library – Homewood

7101 Hamilton Ave. Pittsburgh, 15208

4) Carnegie Library – East Liberty

130 S. Whitfield Street Pittsburgh, 15206 Mon - Thurs: 10am-8pm Fri & Sat: 10am-5pm Sun: 12pm-5pm

5) Youth Enrichment Services

6031 Broad Street Pittsburgh, 15206

Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri: 9am - 6pm April 6 & May 4: 10am-2pm

6) Phase 4 East Liberty

Best Buy Teen Tech Center 5850 Centre Ave Pittsburgh, 15206 (412)441-0102

Mon - Thurs: 7:30am-7pm Friday: 7:30am-6pm Sat: 9am-2:30pm

7) Bloomfield Garfield Corporation

5321 Penn Ave, Pittsburgh, 15224

Mon-Fri: 9am-5pm

8) PCSI

249 N. Craig St, Pittsburgh, 15213

Mon, Wed, Thurs: 9am-8pm Tues: 9am - 6pm Fri: 9am-5pm Sat: 10am-2pm

9) Carnegie Library – Main

4400 Forbes Ave Pittsburgh, 15213

Mon - Thurs: 10am-8pm Fri & Sat: 10am-5pm Sun: 12pm-5pm

10) Auberle 412 Youth Zone 304 Wood Street

304 Wood Street Pittsburgh, 15222

Mon - Thurs: 11am-7pm Fri: 11am-5pm Sat: 11am-3pm

11) Youth Places 711 W. Common, Pittsburgh, 15212

Tues -Thurs: 10am-6pm

12) Carnegie Library Allegheny

1230 Federal Street Pittsburgh, 15212

Mon - Thurs: 10am-8pm Fri & Sat:10am-5pm Sun: 12pm-5pm

13) Carnegie Library – Woods Run

1201 Woods Run Ave. Pittsburgh, 15212

Mon - Thurs: 10am-8pm Fri & Sat: 10am-5pm Sun: 12pm-5pm

14) FOR Sto Rox 420 Chartiers Ave,

McKees Rocks, 15136

Mon-Thurs: 9am-7pm Fri & Sat: 9am-5pm

15) Carnegie Library West End

47 Wabash Street Pittsburgh, 15220

Mon - Thurs: 10am-8pm Fri & Sat: 10am-5pm Sun: 12pm-5pm

16) Goodwill

118 52nd St, Pittsburgh, 15201

Tue-Thurs: 10am-4pm

17) Carnegie Library - Knoxville

400 Brownsville Road Pittsburgh, 15210

Mon - Thurs: 10am-8pm Fri & Sat: 10am-5pm Sun: 12pm-5pm

18) Carnegie Library - Brookline

708 Brookline Blvd Pittsburgh, 15226

Mon - Thurs: 10am-8pm Fri & Sat: 10am-5pm Sun: 12pm-5pm

19) Phase 4 South Hills

557 East Bruceton Pleasant Hills, 15236 (412)650-9004

Mon - Thurs: 7:30am-7pm Friday: 7:30am-6pm Sat: 9am-2:30pm

20) Goodwill at Neighborhood Learning Alliance

5429 Penn Ave, Pittsburgh, 15206 (412)363-1910

Mon - Thurs: 3pm-8pm Every Saturday (except 4/20 & 5/25): 10am-2pm

Questions/Concerns?

We can help!

Call 412-932-2950 Or email summer@partner4work.org

Learn & Earn Required Eligibility Documents

Category	Please submit one document for each category:
*Age (Birthdate between August 3, 1997-June 17, 2005)	 Youth's birth certificate (recommended) OR Youth's driver's license or state ID OR Youth's valid passport OR Youth's alien registration or naturalization form OR Youth's baptismal certificate signed by authorized individual
*Social Security Number (SSN)	 Youth's social security card (recommended) Approved federal document with youth's name and SSN listed (please give us a call to approve document)
*Citizenship Status	 Youth's birth certificate (recommended) OR Youth's passport OR Youth's alien registration card OR Youth's certificate of naturalization OR SNAP printout with citizenship designation
*Address MUST BE DATED NO EARLIER than 6 months prior to application	 Youth's report card or school record (recommended for youth under 18) OR Youth or parent/guardian's home utility bill OR Youth or parent/guardian's lease agreement OR Postmarked mail with youth or parent/guardian's name and address on it OR Youth or parent/guardian's public welfare printout OR Youth's driver's license OR A paystub or letter from youth or parent/guardian's employer
*Household Income Must submit income documentation for ALL members of the household Adults income MUST BE DATED NO EAR- LIER than 6 months prior to application. If applicable, youth	 The most recent paystub or earning statement from adult and youth members of the household (recommended) OR Letter from employer verifying income OR Notarized statements or affidavits signed by applicant that describe amount and source of income. OR Public benefit award or benefit notification letters prepared and signed by authorizing agency OR Public benefit award letters or computer printout from court or public agency OR Most recent quarterly pension account statement If self-employed, please submit ONE of the following: IRS Form 1040/1040A showing amount earned and employment period OR Notarized statement or affidavit signed by applicant showing amount earned
income should be dated no earlier than one month prior to application.	 OR Notanzed statement of anidavit signed by applicant showing amount earned and pay period If unemployed, please submit ONE of the following: Unemployment compensation benefit notification letter signed by authorizing agency OR Copies of unemployment compensation checks or records from agency provided by applicant stating payment amounts and dates
Selective Service REQUIRED FOR MALES AGE 18+	Printout of selective service registration verification from website https://www.sss.gov/Registration/Register-Now/Registration-Form

Questions/Concerns? We can help!
Call 412-932-2950 or email summer@partner4work.org

Learn & Earn 2019 Income Guidelines

Household Size (# members)	Maximum Gross Household Income for Last 6 Months	Maximum Gross Household Income for Last 12 Months
1	\$21,300	\$42,600
2	\$24,325	\$48,650
3	\$27,375	\$54,750
4	\$30,400	\$60,800
5	\$35,450	\$70,900
6	\$40,643	\$81,287
7	\$45,837	\$91,674
8	\$51,030	\$102,061

For more than eight persons **add \$10,387 to the yearly income** for each additional person in the household, and \$5,194 to the six month income.

Partner4Work sets Learn & Earn income eligibility using a combination of regulations. The 2019 eligibility has been set using 2019 TANF and 2018 CDBG income guidelines. **Please note:** these income guidelines may be changed based upon the 2019 CDBG eligibility regulations.

Work Permit FAQ's

Do I need a work permit?

If you will be under 18 years old at any time during summer program, you will need a work permit to participate in Learn & Earn. If you already have one, we encourage you to upload it when you apply. This will make it easier if you are selected for a job. However, your work permit is not a required application document.

How do I get a work permit?

Contact your home school district for more information.

Pittsburgh Public School students: Fill out your <u>Application for Work Permit PDE-4565</u> and bring it to 341 S. Bellefield Avenue, Room 11, Pittsburgh, 15213. For hours and questions, call the PPS Work Permit Office at (412) 622-3757 or 412-622-3952 or go to http://www.pps.k12.pa.us/Page/635