



Start Powering **YOUR FUTURE**

What better way to gain experience, make sure this is what you **REALLY** want to do with your life **AND** earn some money in the process.



YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS AVAILABLE IN:

- **Agriculture, Foods and Natural Resources**
- **Architecture and Construction**
- **Arts A/V Technology and Communications**
- **Finance**
- **Marketing**
- **Health Science**
- **Hospitality, Tourism and Lodging**
- **Information Technology**
- **Manufacturing**
- **Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM)**
- **Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics**

HOW IT WORKS

The Wisconsin Youth Apprenticeship program integrates school-based and work-based learning. Students will continue to take Career & Technical Education courses while they work as an apprentice with a local business. Each youth apprentice will have an assigned mentor, and will “learn and earn” while in their position.

Students may have the opportunity to bridge from a youth apprentice to Wisconsin’s Registered Apprenticeship program.

BENEFIT TO STUDENTS

- Build a resume for your career portfolio, and/or college scholarship applications.
- Receive paid on-the-job training while earning high school credit.
- Develop strong academic, technical, and employability skills in a chosen career field.
- Complete advanced coursework in a career field.
- Earn credit for prior learning at a technical college or university.
- Earn a recognized skills certificate of occupational proficiency from the State of Wisconsin.
- Develop a network of contacts in your career field.

WHAT IS REQUIRED

- Students must be on track for graduation. YA is a high school class offered for credit.
- Students have positive attendance record.
- Transportation to and from the workplace is needed.
- Students participate in a weekly YA meeting with the YA Coordinator.
- Students will work a total of 450 hours or more to complete the program requirements. This may include summertime.
- Students will have a portion of their school day built a youth apprenticeship. Additional hours, outside of the school day, will count towards program requirement.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE

- High school students who will be Juniors or Seniors
- Students who complete the application and meet requirements.

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