

Summer Work Experience Program

MassHire Lowell Young Adult Career Center



General Eligibility

- Lowell Resident
- Between 14-21 years of age
- Low Income
- Legally eligible to work in the United States (has Social Security Card, US Birth Certificate/Unexpired Alien Registration/Green Card/Naturalization Papers)
- Additional eligibility and criteria apply

Program Options

- 14-15 year olds- Service Learning Virtual Projects (38 spots)
- 16-21 year olds- Career & Early Trajectory Virtual Projects (145 spots)
- 16-21 year olds- Traditional Work Experience Placements on site (42 spots)
- 17-21 year olds- Career Pathway Virtual Program (10 spots)

Program Options- Service Learning

- 38 Spots available
- Must be 14-15 years of age
- Participate virtually for 5 weeks, 15 hours per week.
- Will receive weekly stipends of \$190.00 for participation.

Program Options- Early & Career Trajectory

- 145 Spots available.
- Must be between 16-21 years of age
- Participate virtually for 5 weeks for 20 hours per week.
- Will receive weekly stipends of \$255.00 for participation.

Program Options- Traditional In place Work Experience

- 42 Spots available.
- Must be between 16-21 years of age (18 plus is preferred in this category and will be given first choice).
- Participate at a worksite in person for 6 weeks, 20 hours per week plus 15 hours of Signal Success training done virtually for a total of 135 hours to be paid hourly at prevailing minimum wage (\$12.75 per hour).

Program Options- Career Pathways

- 10 Spots available
- Must be between 17-21 years of age
- Participate virtually for 6 weeks for 20 hours per week.
- Will receive a certification in Digital Web Design and a stipend for completion.
- Will receive weekly stipends of \$260.00 for participation.

How to Apply

- You can show you are interested in this program by completing the following online application:
 - <https://youthworksdata.org/aboutyouthworks.asp?key=key1&yw=MHLCC>
- Upon arriving at the link click “Lowell” in the drop-down menu and then click “continue”
- Complete all of the screens and click save at the bottom of each screen.
- Once you have completed and saved everything you will receive an email or phone call from a Career Center Staff with more information.

How to Apply Continued

- Remember that just because you fill out an interest form does not mean that you have secured a spot in the program.
- This is first come, first full. Since we only have limited spots within age brackets and can't deviate once an age group is full, additional applicants will be put on a waitlist.
- Additional documentation will be required of you.
- A zoom interview will also be a requirement for entrance into the program.

To Recap- Applying

- You can click directly on this link:
<https://youthworksdata.org/aboutyouthworks.asp?key=key1&yw=MHLCC>
- You can visit: <https://masshirelowellcc.com/> and hover over the “Young Adults” Tab, click the Summer option which will also have the above link available to click.
- In order to get an email or call back from the department you must complete the interest link listed above.

Thank you!

