



YOUTH PROGRAMS

# Summer Jobs & Beyond

Summer 2017 Youth Application

### Who is eligible?

- Must be 16 years or older (as of 6/21/17).
- Must be entering your junior or senior year in 2017-2018.
- Must attend Ware, Turners Falls or Mahar High School OR live in Ware, Gill/Montague, or Orange.
- Male participants 18 and over must be registered for the selective service.

### Priority will be given to:

- Students currently enrolled in the Next Steps program.
- Students with low incomes and/or barriers to success in education and employment.
- Ware, Turners Falls and Mahar HS Students who apply by the priority deadline of 5/19.

### Application Instructions:

- Fill out the application **completely** in blue/black ink
- Sign page 2.** If under 18, your parent/guardian must sign
- Make **copies of required identification:**
  - o Photo ID (State ID or School ID) *\*if you are under 18 and do not have a photo ID, submit a copy of your most recent report card instead*
  - o Birth Certificate (Send a copy. DO NOT submit original)
  - o Social Security Card (Send a copy. DO NOT submit original)

**Submit Completed Application & Copies of Required Identification:**

*Mail or Hand Deliver to:*

**Community Action Youth Programs  
154 Federal St.,  
Greenfield, MA 01301**

*Or Fax to:*

**413-774-7565**

Questions? Contact Lee Fournier-Lewis, 413-774-7028 ext. 793, [lfournierlewis@communityaction.us](mailto:lfournierlewis@communityaction.us).

<b>Important dates:</b>	<b>May 19</b>	Preferred deadline for early applications from Ware, TF, and Mahar HS Students
	<b>June 2</b>	<b><u>Final Deadline: all applications due</u></b>
	<b>June 7-13</b>	Youth Interviews <i>(tentative dates: 6/7-6/8 Ware &amp; Turners Falls; 6/12 Orange;)</i>
	<b>June 19, 20, 23</b>	Required Orientation <i>(tentative dates: 6/19 Orange; 6/20 Ware; 6/23 Turners)</i>
	<b>June 26-30</b>	Required Job Readiness Training
	<b>July 5-Aug 25</b>	8 Week Internship

Please keep this page for reference!  
Remember to sign page 2 &  
submit copies of required ID!

## 2017 Summer Jobs & Beyond –Summer Application

Last Name	First Name	Preferred Name	Pronouns (optional)			
Address		City, State, Zip				
Phone number	E-mail	Emergency Contact	Phone number			
High School: ___Ware ___Turners Falls ___Mahar <b>OR</b> Residence: ___Ware ___Gill/Montague ___Orange		Grade in 2017-2018 ___Junior ___Senior	Last 4 digits of SS# ____			
If assigned male at birth & 18 or older: Registered for selective service? ___Yes ___No ___N/A						
<b>Schedule &amp; Availability: Please indicate the days and times you will be available to work this summer.</b>						
___Sunday	___Monday	___Tuesday	___Wednesday	___Thursday	___Friday	___Saturday
From_____	From_____	From_____	From_____	From_____	From_____	From_____
To_____	To_____	To_____	To_____	To_____	To_____	To_____
How many hours would you like to work each week? ___20-25 hrs/wk ___26-35 hrs/wk						
<b>School &amp; Training</b>						
Do you have an IEP? ___Yes ___No						
Have you ever attended special classes or received extra help in school when you had a hard time with a subject? ___Yes ___No If yes, which subject(s)? _____						
Have you had any vocational training? ___Yes ___No						
If yes, describe: _____						
Special certifications or recognition:						
What subjects do you enjoy in school?						
Are there any subjects that you especially dislike?						
Computer Skill Level: ___Beginner ___Intermediate ___Advanced ___Expert						
<b>Employment History</b>						
<b>Most recent employer:</b> _____ ( ___none)			Dates worked: From _____ to _____			
Skills learned:			Reason for Leaving:			
<b>Next most recent employer:</b> _____ ( ___none)			Dates worked: From _____ to _____			
Skills learned:			Reason for Leaving:			
What type of job interests you?						
Are there any jobs you definitely do not want this summer?						
What kinds of things get in the way of your employment goals?						
What kinds of things do you like to do in your spare time?						

<b>Tell us a little about yourself</b>	
Do you have a place to stay every night? ____ Yes ____ No	Housing situation: ____ Stable ____ Foster Care ____ Homeless/Unstable Living with _____
How do you plan to get to work? ____ Bus ____ Car ____ Ride with others ____ Walk ____ Bike	
Who do you rely on when things get tough?	
What positive things are going on in your life right now?	
What things in your life could be better?	
Are there any opportunities available to you that you need help to access?	
Are you pregnant? ____ Yes ____ No Do you have children? ____ Yes ____ No	
If yes, what is your child care plan?	
What is your primary language? _____	
Have you been involved with the juvenile justice system? ____ Yes ____ No	
Is your family eligible for or receive any of the following benefits? ( <i>circle all that apply</i> )	
Free/Reduced Lunch    WIC    Fuel Assistance    Section 8    TANF    SNAP/Food Stamps    SSI/SSDI	
What do you hope to get out of the Summer Jobs & Beyond Program?	
Why should you be selected to be part of this program?	

*I certify that the information provided in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize the release of information for the purposes of verifying my eligibility. I understand that this information will remain strictly confidential.*

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Participant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Signature (if under 18) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_