



MN TRADES ACADEMY

PAID WHILE
YOU LEARN

HANDS ON
EXPERIENCE

CAREER
RESOURCES

Searching for a summer program so you can earn while you learn?

The MN Trades Academy aspires to provide educational and hands-on experiences for high school youth to earn while they learn about construction as a career choice. The internship provides quality educational experiences, work related training and accurate information to enable interns to make informed career decisions regarding future employment in the construction industry.

To achieve this, MTA offers 2 levels of summer internship opportunities for metro youth - Track I Introduction and Track II Advanced.

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TRACK I Introduction

Track I interns will receive an overarching introduction to construction career opportunities within the building trades industry (i.e. carpentry, pipefitting and electrical). Interns will also be exposed to industry related careers such as architecture, surveying, estimating, project management, and design build.

What's It All About

- Opportunity for 16 to 18 year old's
- Paid summer internship
- 20 hours per week; 4 days per week;
8:30am - 2:00pm

Outcomes for Interns

- Construction career exploration
- Identify and safely use tools
- Hands-on experiences in construction and carpentry

TRACK II Advanced

This opportunity will prepare interns to select a construction career path: union apprenticeship training, construction related post-secondary tracks, or direct entry into the construction workplace if desired. Interns visit different apprenticeship training centers where they receive training and supervision from industry experts as they complete projects using both hand and power tools.

What's It All About

- Opportunity for 16 to 21 year old's
- Paid summer internship
- 24 hours per week; 4 days per week;
8:30am - 3:00pm

Outcomes for Interns

- Construction career preparation
- Leadership training
- Construction math and financial management

Requirements

APPLY TO YOUTH PROGRAM

Apply online to be accepted by, and complete all requirements for one of the following city sponsored youth programs:

- Right Track (City of St. Paul)
- STEP-UP (City of Minneapolis)
- Brooklynk (Brooklyn Center)
- HIRED (Ramsey County)

COMPLETE MTA APPLICATION

Complete an MTA application

- Provide two references (required)
- Participate in a MTA interview