Eligibility Criteria

Youth must meet all of the following criteria pursuant to the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA):

- Below the Federal poverty guidelines or 70% standard to qualify for services under WIOA
- Be between the ages of 16-24
- Be eligible to work in the United States
- If male age 18-24, must be registered with Selective Service System
- Be a resident of Morris, Sussex or Warren County

AND have one or more of the following:

- Have a documented classification or learning disability
- Basic skills deficient in reading, math and/or language (at or below grade level 8.9)
- High school dropout or HS graduate
- Homeless, runaway or foster child
- Pregnant or parenting
- Ex-Offender
- Lack skills needed for today's job market

For Additional Information Contact:
ETS Youth Office at
Warren County Community College
445 Marshall Street
Phillipsburg, NJ 08865

Phone: (908) 878-0209

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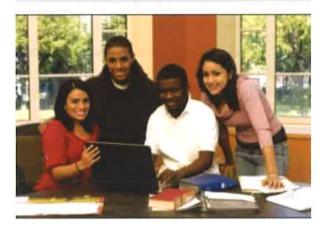


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Pre-Employment Training
HSD Instruction
Career Assistance
Advanced Training



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Need Help Furthering Your Education? Need To Upgrade Your Job Skills? One Of The Following "NO COST" Programs May Be Right For You!

Youth Program

The <u>Youth Program</u> operates through service "vendors" or schools located in Morris, Sussex, and Warren counties. Programs provide work-readiness training, High School Diploma (HSD) preparation and career-building assistance crucial to helping youth achieve their employment and educational goals.

Benefits

- Tutoring and instruction leading to HSD
- · Leadership development
- Work experience and occupational skills training
- Supportive services and mentoring

Eligibility

- Ages 16-24 years
- Meets additional criteria described under "Eligibility Criteria"
- Meets income eligibility requirements

On-the-Job Training

The On-the-Job Training (OJT)

Program assists employers with the cost of hiring and training a new employee. Employers can be reimbursed 75% of the hourly wage of the employee for a maximum of \$5,000. This "earn and learn" experience will provide individuals hands-on work instruction from knowledgeable company staff at the employer's place of business.

Benefits

- Gain full-time employment
- Earn while learning
- Get same wages, health insurance and benefits given to other employees performing same / similar work.

Eligibility

- Ages 18-24 years
- Meets additional criteria described under "Eligibility Criteria"
- Meets income eligibility requirements

Individualized Training Assistance

For youth seeking to gain and/or update their work-readiness skills, taking a vocational skills training course may be the perfect option. Participants may qualify for **training grants** up to \$5,000. Each individual will research a desired course of study aligned with their career objectives and identify training providers that best fit their goals. Training grants allow full-time study in a labor demand field at an approved training center.

Benefits

- Gain real-world skills in a labor demand field
- Increase your marketability
- Pursue a career that fits you

Eligibility

- Ages 18-24 years
- Meets additional criteria described under "Eligibility Criteria"
- Meets income eligibility requirements
- Must have HS diploma



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CAREER TRAINING OPTIONS

- Grant Programs: Up to \$4,000 grant awarded to eligible job seekers who attend training in a labor demand occupation.
- On-the-Job Training (OJT): Job seekers are hired and trained for full-time, long-term employment.
- Online Learning: Take online computer, business, IT or healthcare classes that fit your schedule.
- Basic Computer Skills: Learn or enhance your computer skills essential for today's workplace.
- **Tuition Waiver**: Allows job seekers to fill an open seat and finish a college degree.

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