



Summer Jobs/All Year Round Jobs 🕶️

Lifeguard4Hire

- Lifeguard positions available for ages 15+
- This position is seasonally
- You can apply [here](#).

St. David's Jobs

- Apply for jobs as a:
 - Patient Care Technician
 - Sterile Technician
 - Housekeeping
 - Monitor Tech
 - And More!
- Apply [here](#)

Typhoon Texas Water Park - Summer Opportunity

- Typhoon Texas Waterpark is currently hiring for the summer. The departments they are hiring for are: lifeguard, cashier, cook, front gate, and more.
- Some of the perks you will enjoy are: free season passes, free family entry, 50% off food and beverage.
- For more information click [here](#)

Austin Park & Recreation Aquatics

- The City of Austin is hiring for Lifeguards throughout several communities in the greater Austin Area.
- Students can apply as young as 15, and training will be provided.
- Pay starts at \$20 per/hr.
- Apply [here](#)

City/County Summer Youth Employment

- The Work-Based Learning/Summer Youth Employment Program (WBL/SYEP) is for youth between the ages of 14 to 17 (14 to 22 for youth with disabilities) (participants must be 14 years of age no later than April 1, 2016) who reside in the City of Austin and/or Travis County, and attend school within that same area. Youth are recruited and referred through a number of avenues such as faith-based, non-profit, and community-based organizations. Each participant is



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provided with a broad range of projects in work settings within the public sector (City of Austin and Travis County), non-profit organizations, and private businesses.

- Parents can apply for their children for enrollment into the program as well as register the youth for Job Readiness Training. For more information, call 512-854-4590. The program fills up quickly and usually ends registration by late January to early February for the summer program. All Job Readiness Training should be completed by the end of Spring Break of each year.

Travis County Summer Youth Employment Program

- Each summer, for 5–7 weeks, eligible youth ages 14–17 (and up to age 22 for those with disabilities) are matched with paid work opportunities across a variety of sectors. After applying and completing the eligibility screening process, qualified youth are invited to participate in job readiness training. Participants receive mentorship, hands-on experience, and exposure to professional environments that prepare them for future employment. Please note that completion of all application requirements does not guarantee placement in the program.
- Visit the website [here](#) for the application and more information.

City of Austin Youth Employment and Program Opportunities

- Explore more opportunities with the City of Austin here: [Youth Employment and Program Opportunities | AustinTexas.gov](#)

Internships

Austin Corps High School Senior Civic Engineer Program

- AustinCorps combines classroom curriculum on local government with hands-on experience within many city departments. In the fall semester, students meet twice weekly with city officials and administrators to become familiar with city government. In the spring, students complete a mentored internship in a variety of city departments to get a closer look at how the city functions and operates.
- Questions? Contact Dr. Chiquita Eugene at chiquita.eugene@austintexas.gov

Breakthrough Central Texas Teaching Fellow Program

- This program introduces students to a career in education. Teaching fellows will guide Breakthrough students on their path to college through a 9-week summer teaching residency (June 1-July 31, 2026).
- Must be 17 years old by June 1st, 2026. Open to Juniors and seniors. No experience is required.
- You can find the link to apply [here](#).



Kalahari Hospitality Introduction Internship

- This program is geared toward those ready to dip their toe into the hospitality pool and serves as an excellent introduction to the industry. Salary: \$16.25/hr. This is a working internship, open to students ranging from incoming freshmen to current juniors.
- Students can apply through Kalahari's [website](#). On-going opportunity.

TxDOT Intern

- As an intern at TxDOT you will be introduced to career opportunities and gain practical work experience in transportation-related fields and support occupations. Full-time and Part-time positions available year-round.
- Must be a student enrolled in high school or any institution of higher education.
- Must be at least 16 years of age
- To apply, visit www.TxDOT.gov/Careers and click **Student Internships**

Texas Parks & Wildlife

- This internship is **ONLY** available for high school students that have completed 18 hours or more of college credit.
- Internship opportunities will be posted on their website starting mid-February 2026
- You can apply and learn more [here](#).

Volunteer Opportunities 🧑

Austin Public Library Youth Volunteer Programs

- The program is a great opportunity for teens to get involved in their community and gain valuable experience. Teens between the ages of 13 and 17 can apply to volunteer during the fall, spring, or summer.
- Age: Between 13 and 17 years old. Commit to volunteering one 2 hour shift per week during the fall (October - December) or spring (March - May) program season. Commit to volunteering one 2-4 hour shift per week, during the summer program session (June - July).
- Students can register [here](#).

Animal Services Office Volunteer Program

- Volunteer up to 6 hours a month at the Austin Animal Center.
- Eligible to youth ages 13 and up and lasts year-round.
- Students and parents can apply and learn more [here](#).



Dell Children's Medical Center Volunteer

- Volunteers serve inside the hospitals and in outpatient clinics throughout the area. They provide non-clinical support to staff, freeing up staff to spend more time with patients. Volunteers commit to a 3 or 4 hour shift each week. Shifts are available 7 days each week.
- Eligibility- Minimum 18 years of age, must provide Social Security Number, complete Volunteer Application
- Apply [here](#).

Urban Roots

- Urban Roots welcomes volunteers throughout the year on our **two urban farms** located in East and South Austin.
- No prior farming experience is necessary!\
- Volunteer as often as you like – but please sign up in advance to help us plan! If you don't see any shifts available, check back soon.
- Visit [here](#) for more information.

Summer Camps

Concordia University AI Creator Camp

- Explore how AI can amplify your creativity! High school students (ages 15+) will use AI tools to create original music, images, videos, and written content. Through hands-on projects, students will build a creative portfolio while exploring the ethical side of AI, including bias, fairness, and sustainability. This camp combines creativity with technology to help students discover new possibilities and develop marketable skills for the future.
- July 13-15 (1-4 p.m.)
- High School Students (ages 15+)
- Register Here: [View AI Creator Camp Details](#)

Check out other Concordia University summer camps here: [Concordia Texas Summer Camps 2026](#)

Apprenticeships

Workforce Solutions Capital Area Apprenticeship Program



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- The Workforce Solutions Capital Area apprenticeship program offers an industry-driven career pathway where participants can earn while learning, gaining work experience, classroom instruction, and a recognized credential.
- Open to those interested in healthcare, IT, skilled trades, and manufacturing, with benefits like paid on-the-job training and no cost for classroom training.
- For more information and to join, visit <https://www.wfscapitalarea.com/apprenticeships/>
Ongoing enrollment opportunities

Texas Rural Water Association (TRWA)

- TRWA registered Apprenticeship Program is a combination of On-the-Job Training (OJT) and Related Technical Instruction (RTI). During this training the apprentice learns the practice, theoretical aspects and concepts of the occupation.
- This apprentice will be paid for the hours they work.
- Upon the completion of the program the apprentice will have acquired three operator licenses: D Water or Wastewater, C Water or Wastewater and CSI.
- Must be 18 years or older, must have a high school diploma.
- For more information and to join, visit: trwa.org/page/rap

City Overview of Apprenticeship Programs in the Skilled Trades/Building Trades:

- [Plumbers & Pipefitters UA LOCAL 286](#)
- Electrical Programs:
 - [Austin Electrical JATC](#)
 - [CenTex IEC \(Non-Union\)](#)
 - [Lone Star Construction Trades](#)
 - [TRIO Electric](#)
- Ironworkers Local 482: <http://www.ironworkers482.org/>
- Sheet Metal Workers Local Union No. 67: <https://biggerbettersmarter.org/locations/austin/>
- Austin Carpenters Local 1266: <http://www.centalsouthtraining.org/Join-Us.xml>
- ABC Central Texas Apprenticeships: <https://www.abccentraltexas.org/Apprenticeship>
- Water and Wastewater systems operator: <https://www.trwa.org/general/custom.asp?page=RAP>

Scholarships

HMAC Scholarship

- *Education and service* are at the core of what we do. Through the HMAC Scholarship Program, we aim to serve the industry and our community by offering a unique educational opportunity that introduces an exciting career path to applicants: helping build Texas' infrastructure. Whether you're a high school senior in search of a job after graduation or someone who is seeking a new



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professional challenge, the HMAC Scholarship offers you the chance to be trained, certified, and employable after a 10-day immersive experience at our Training & Certification Center. Upon successful program completion and certification, we will connect you directly with top employers in your area.

- Requirements:
 - Have never held an HMAC certification *and*
 - Fall into at least *one* of the following categories:
 - High school senior
 - Have a GED
 - Age 18+
- Apply and find more information [here](#).

CLOSED APPLICATIONS !?

St. David's Neal Kocurek Scholarship

- Texas' largest healthcare scholarship for Central Texas high school seniors. Offers up to \$60,000 in aid for undergraduate and graduate studies. Includes benefits like mental health counseling, tutoring, and mentorship.
- Available to high school seniors graduating from schools in Bastrop, Caldwell, Hays, Travis, and Williamson counties who are interested in pursuing careers in healthcare.
- For the application please visit <https://stdavidsfoundation.org/how-we-work/neal-kocurek-scholarship/>

Friends of WTS Scholarship: Promoting Young Women in Transportation

- WTS Heart of Texas (HOT) chapter located in Austin, Texas is awarding multiple scholarships in the amount of \$2,500 each to young women in their senior year of high school to be used for college or trade school. Through this scholarship, WTS aims to support young women who show a strong interest in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematic (STEM) related fields that may lead to a future career in a transportation-related field.
- You can find the application and other details [here](#).

Urban Roots Summer Farm Program



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- The summer farm program has provided young people with paid opportunities to learn how to grow food while growing as leaders. High school youth help grow thousands of pounds of fresh foods on the Urban Roots Farm while leading volunteers in service and collaborating with peers from different schools and backgrounds. Youth receive a participation award for their work and learn vital life and job skills.
- Applications close April 18th, 2025
- Apply [here](#). Applications open until **Fall 2025!**

Community PC Program

- This provides an opportunity for IT interns, volunteers, and students to increase their IT skills. Regularly performed tasks are evaluating and sorting boxes of various peripherals, assessing devices for operability, troubleshooting failed devices, disassembly/reassembly of devices, and installing Windows operating system and software packages.
- Eligibility- minimum of 2 hours each day wanting to volunteer
- Students can register [here](#).