

Worcester Community Action Council, Inc. (WCAC)

Job 1

Job1 is a youth (16 - 21) workforce development initiative that provides a single point of contact for local businesses.

Using existing resources, such as state funded youth employment programs, YouthWorks and the Shannon Community Safety Initiative, partners are able to provide youth with professionally developed work readiness training and support throughout their employment.

Working with Job1 Partner Agencies, WCAC will help to create a professionally developed, standardized work readiness curriculum. Employers will come to know that "Job1 Youth Graduates" are skilled and ready to work!

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Education Services

Project Excel & Wings

Offering HiSET[®] (formerly GED[®]) preparation for youth ages 16 - 25. Both programs include work readiness training and assistance in exploring a career pathway, attending college or finding a job.

Financial Literacy

Workshop style programs centered around the latest topics in Financial Literacy. From creating a basic household budget to saving for college, we have you covered.

Computer Skills

Job searching online can be overwhelming. Let us help! The JEC offers online job searching and application help. Need to brush up your computer skills or resume at the same time? This is the perfect place to do it!

Healthy Outlook

Let's face it. Life can be tough. The JEC team is dedicated to working individually with participants so that their desired outcomes are achieved. Weekly group counseling workshops are offered as well as Life Skills groups.

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Employment Services

Youth Employment Seminar

Did you know that employers report that most young people, including those who have attended a four year college, lack work readiness skills?

Let the JEC help! We offer 2 - 3 weeks of work readiness training for ages 17 - 24. Topics include resume writing, mock interviews, online job searching and applications and workplace culture. Seminars are hands on, interactive and incorporate guest speakers.

YouthWorks Year-Round and Summer Employment Programs

Statistics show that youth who work are less likely to commit crimes and engage in at risk behavior.

Ask us about the YouthWorks Year - Round or Summer Employment Programs! Youth (16 - 21) will participate in a one (1) week professionally developed work readiness training followed by six (6) weeks of paid, on the job work experience. Youth are supported by a Case Manager for the duration of the program and are placed at one of WCAC's trusted business partner worksites.*

**Eligibility requirements apply and work experience duration may change based on funding received.*