



..... YOUTH ACCESS POINTS

- Contracted providers • Student Success Centers
- Youth Development Initiative • WorkReady hotline & website



Academic Programs
ages 14 – 21
\$ TANF/CITY

Service Programs
9th – 12th grade
\$ SCHOOL DISTRICT/TANF/CITY

Work Experience
11th – 12th grade
\$ TANF/CITY

Internships
ages 16 – 21
\$ EMPLOYERS/FOUNDATIONS

Summer Programs

Shadowing Day
9th grade
\$ STATE(RCEP)/PRIVATE

YouthWorks
9th – 12th grade
\$ WIA

E³ Centers
Empl. Pathway
Out-of-School Youth
\$ WIA/TANF/CITY

Industry Pipeline Programs
10th – 12th grade
\$ WIA/EMPLOYERS

Year-Round Programs

..... CONTRACTED PROVIDERS
50 Local Non-profit Organizations



An Overview of WorkReady Philadelphia Summer 2009

Overview. WorkReady Philadelphia is the City's system for youth workforce preparation. WorkReady programs include summer and year-round experiences for young people that promote acquisition of academic, work readiness and other 21st century skills. WorkReady Philadelphia is overseen by the Philadelphia Council on College and Career Success (the Council) – a committee of the Workforce Investment Board (WIB) – and is managed by the Philadelphia Youth Network (PYN), under contract to the WIB.

WorkReady programs are operated by dozens of high-quality youth serving organizations, selected through competitive procurement processes undertaken by the Council and approved by the WIB. There were four major program models operating this summer: Work & Learning, Service Learning, Work Experience and Internships.

Major Investments Sources for the 2009-10 Program Year

- Federal Workforce Investment Act
- Federal Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (made available through the PA Department of Public Welfare)
- Federal American Recovery and Reinvestment Act
- The William Penn Foundation + several smaller local foundations
- The School District of Philadelphia
- The City of Philadelphia
- Philadelphia employers (who hire and pay for internships)

Highlights for the WorkReady 2009 Summer Program

- # youth participating in WorkReady Programming = 8,500
- # youth jobs supported through the Recovery Act = 2,500
- # youth jobs supported through employer investment = 1,000
- 100+ summer programs offered through 40+ youth-serving organizations.
- Youth were employed for a total of 120 hours – 20 hours/week for 6 weeks.
- All youth participating in WorkReady programming prepared projects or portfolios that document mastery of academic and 21st Century skills, both of which have the potential to earn high school credit.