

DO YOU QUALIFY?

Here's how it works:

By May 28: Apply for a summer career experience by completing the registration form at your school and turn it in to your counselor or principal.

On June 13: You will begin attending Summer school at your high school. In the afternoons, you will begin training for your career experience.

The week of June 20: You will continue Summer school in the mornings and start your paid career experience.

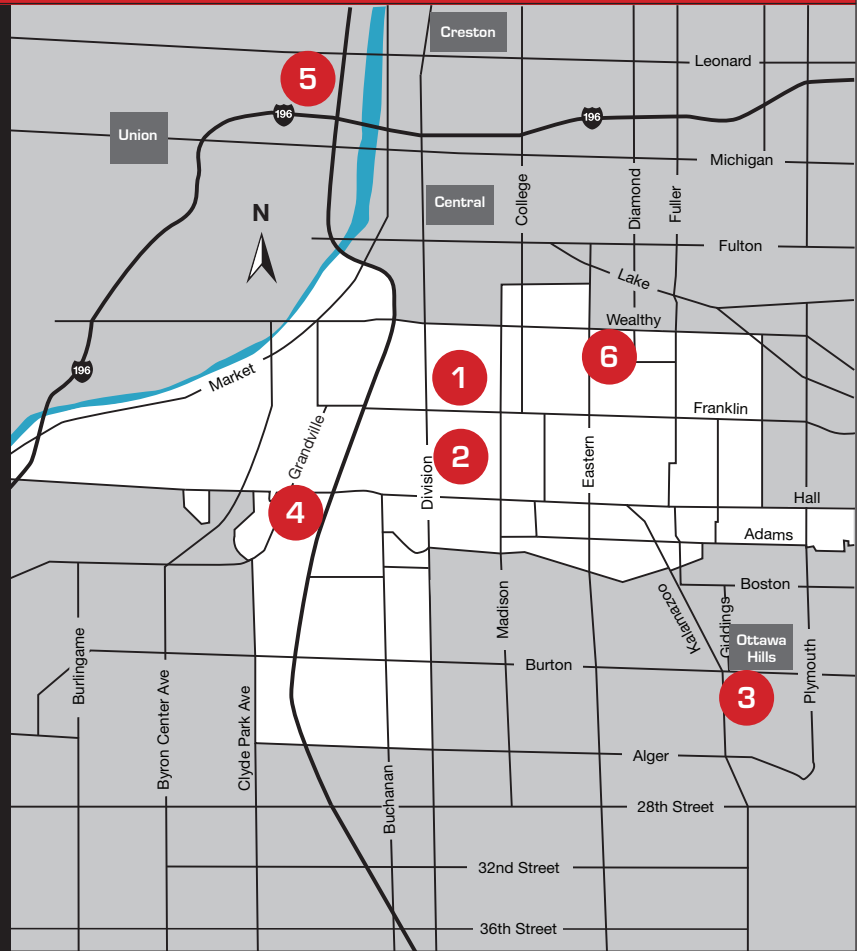
On some Fridays, you'll get together with other summer career experience students to compare notes, share stories, and visit a college campus or two.

Note: You will be allowed only three absences, so clear your calendar and make this experience your priority.

Funded in partnership with Grand Rapids Public Schools, Grand Rapids Student Advancement Foundation, ACSET/Michigan Works!, W.K. Kellogg Foundation and The Douglas & Maria DeVos Foundation.

*Earnings are based on fulfilling a minimum of 12-15 career experience hours per week over the course of eight weeks at eight dollars per hour.

● Program Partner ■ GRPS High School



A SUMMER CAREER EXPERIENCE FOR YOU!

- 1 Y.E.P I'M WORKING!**
Brown-Hutcherson Ministries
618 Jefferson Avenue SE
Grand Rapids, MI 49503
- 2 YES! 4 U**
Jubilee Jobs
935 Baxter Street SE
Grand Rapids, MI 49506
- 3 G.R.I.L. B2B**
Grand Rapids Initiative for Leaders
2010 Kalamazoo Avenue SE
Grand Rapids, MI 49506
- 4 SUPPORTING OUR LEADERS**
Hispanic Center of Western Michigan
1204 Grandville Avenue SW
Grand Rapids, MI 49503
- 5 HOY (HONORING OUR YOUTH)**
Steepletown Neighborhood Services
671 Davis Avenue NW
Grand Rapids, MI 49504
- 6 WILD OVER WORK**
United Methodist Community House
904 Sheldon Avenue SE
Grand Rapids, MI 49507

SUMMER CAREER EXPERIENCES ARE AVAILABLE ONLY TO STUDENTS WHO:

- are qualified by GRPS for this honor
- live within the boundaries shown in white on the map
- will enter tenth or eleventh grade at a Grand Rapids Public School in September 2011
- will attend GRPS morning summer school at your high school

WANT MORE INFORMATION?

Attend a Summer Learning Academy fair!

April 28 6:30 to 8 p.m. Union High School

April 30 1 to 3 p.m. Ford Middle School



If you're considering a career in health care, business, technology, science, education, human services, engineering, design and the arts, environment, finance, law, psychology... try it out for eight weeks this summer AND...

EARN \$800-\$1,000!*

A SUMMER EXPERIENCE YOU CAN BELIEVE IN!

1. Y.E.P. I'M WORKING!

Brown-Hutcherson Ministries

Discover the new you, cool you and empowered you at BHM's Youth Employment Program (YEP) where there are paid internships, leadership development, creative expressions, and Friday FUN. Come have a slamming summer checking out local colleges, tripping to Cedar Point, and start earning Scholar Dollars year round! Tell your friends Y.E.P. I'm working! How about you? See you in the sun.

June 20 to August 12, Monday–Thursday, afternoons.
Friday field trips. 40 scholarships available.
One free Rapid bus pass per student. **616.988.2016**

2. YES! 4 U

Jubilee Jobs

The future is yours for the TAKING. Preparing for a career track gives you OPTIONS. Options give you FREEDOM. Freedom gives you a FUTURE. A future gives you HOPE. Earn money this summer as you whisk away boredom and connect to a magical, unforgettable experience on college campuses while you get the scoop on the pathway to college. Interact with dynamic professionals on a paid work experience. Use the heartbeat of your creativity to design a youth newsletter and blog page. Challenge yourself to change the way the world sees youth through your photographic lens. Earn Jubilee Bucks as a Jubilee S.T.A.R. (Students Taking Academic Responsibility). Parent Bonus: Earn a "Going D.E.E.P. (Dedicated Engaged Empowered Parents): You Make a Difference" Award as you attend college seminars, tours and celebrate your student's achievements. Additional Bonus: Stay connected to the year round YES! 4 U program.

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3. G.R.I.L. B2B

Grand Rapids Initiative for Leaders

Want to better yourself for the future? Want to make a difference? Want to get paid to do it? Take part in the G.R.I.L. B2B program where you will learn leadership development skills in: establishing goals for the future, creating a mission statement, creating a Success Plan, developing a resume, and community leadership. Make a difference in Grand Rapids by tackling a social justice issue you care about and work side by side with your peers and leaders in the city! Your success for the future and for this city is now – step up and take charge!

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One free Rapid bus pass per student. **616.301.6697**

4. SUPPORTING OUR LEADERS

Hispanic Center of Western Michigan

Earn money by learning and demonstrating positive work habits and skills that employers want, all while having fun and exploring high tech careers via weekly hands-on workshops located at the Grand Rapids campus of Ferris State University and GRCC. Program also includes weekly fun field trip Friday to Lake Michigan, universities around the state, Amway Headquarters etiquette dinner, overnight visit to GVSU and a three day overnight visit to Ferris State University! After-school tutoring and additional field trips during the 2011-2012 school year. Parent Bonus: Bilingual staff, discount on Hispanic Center's computer and ESL classes, financial incentives for attending parent meetings, and moms get to attend the Día de La Mujer conference for free!

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5. HONORING OUR YOUTH (HOY)

Steepletown Neighborhood Services

Learn and Earn! Catch up on your school work this summer and get a summer job—guaranteed! Plus, earn a trip to Michigan Adventure's at the end of summer and a chance to win a college scholarship (free money!). Steepletown will be offering Skills for Success training by Junior Achievement, college visits, and more...come gain the knowledge that will help you earn more in life!

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6. WILD OVER WORK

United Methodist Community House

Get Wild Over Work at United Methodist Community House. Earn a pay check while gaining work experience. Increase job skills and work in areas including child care, culinary arts, building maintenance, grounds keeping and clerical. Earn incentives toward an end of the summer Michigan Adventures trip and cash incentives during the school year. "Know How to Go" up the ladder of success by exploring college opportunities through campus tours, motivational speakers and learn how to make attending college a reality. Parent bonus: attend college seminars and tours, field trips and earn gift cards.

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