

Why Apply?

If you are 14-17 years old and looking for an opportunity to Serve, Learn, and Earn during the Summer . . . **Apply To Be A Summer Intern!**

- Serve by growing food that will be distributed through The Neighborhood Center's food pantry and other distribution points.
- Learn important job and life skills, learn about food by seeing where it really comes from, learn what it means to be an engaged community member
- Earn money working outdoors

Plus, you'll make new friends and learn a lot about yourself!



Easton Urban Farm



The Neighborhood Center is located in a city park and uses over half-an-acre for the Easton Urban Farm. In conjunction with The Neighborhood Center's Food Pantry and other distribution points, hundreds of families gain access to fresh produce grown on the farm. In 2021, there were over 11,000 pounds of produce was harvested. A master gardener leads the effort, assisted by dozens of volunteers. Youth interns will be a welcome addition.

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Combating Poverty, Hunger, and Homelessness

Youth Internship Program Summer 2022

Growing Food
Growing Leaders
Growing Community





What Will I Be Doing?

The Neighborhood Center is hiring 4 students from the Easton area to join us for the 2022 season to grow food and serve the community. Our farm interns will gain valuable life and job skills, and have a great time while doing it!

You will work at the Easton Urban Farm located at The Neighborhood Center, 902 Philadelphia Road, Easton, PA, growing food for the community. You will learn everything you need to know about farming as well as teamwork, communication, self-discipline, problem solving and perseverance. You will have the opportunity to get new perspectives about service, work and yourself!

How Much Will I Get Paid?

Interns are paid a stipend. Each intern will earn \$200 per week.

When Will I Work?

Interns will work Monday through Friday, from 8 AM—1 2 PM. The four hours each day will be spent outdoors at the Farm. Each day will include working on the Farm, as well as activities to enhance interpersonal skills, build character and assist with The Neighborhood Center's food pantry.

The summer program will run from

June 20—August 12, 2022

Am I A Good Candidate?

We are looking for interns who are motivated, community-minded, and willing to work as part of a team. No previous farming or job experience is necessary. To be eligible, interns must:

- Be 15 years or older by June 1, 2022
- Be entering 10th, 11th, or 12th grade for the 2022-2023 school year
- Commit to the full eight week summer schedule
- Be physically able and willing to work outside in the summer

How Do I Apply

- Download an application from the Neighborhood Center's website [insert address] or contact the Neighborhood Center at 610.253.4253 to request an application.
- Complete the application form.
- Give the Reference Form to an adult who knows you well but is NOT in your family (for example, a teacher or a coach).
- Submit your application to the Neighborhood Center by **June 3, 2023**.

What If I Have Questions?

We are happy to answer any questions you may have about the program and/or application process. Contact Jake Williams at 610.253.4253 or jwilliams@eastonanc.org

