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The New York State Department of Labor has information on apprenticeship training programs for a variety of skilled jobs.

<http://www.labor.state.ny.us/apprenticeship/appindex.shtm>

The Brooklyn Public Library Education and Job Information Center has information on many technical and vocational training schools. To see some of them, click on

<http://www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org/pdf/ejic/tech-vocational.pdf>

Go to

www.50States.com/cc/newyork.htm

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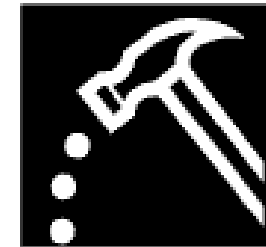


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How To Gain Skills, Discipline and Independence Have More Choices and Get Good Jobs



Are you about to finish school but unsure how to get a job? Do you need more skills? Are you interested in vocational training? There are lots of opportunities to prepare yourself for a variety of jobs in business, computers, health care, and other fields. There are free programs that teach you specific job skills, improve your communication abilities and prepare you for the job market.

Check out these programs:

Covenant House Regional Training Center

Covenant House offers many free programs for jobs such as bank teller, nurse's aide, culinary arts, security guard and Microsoft office specialist. They also help with job placement.

75 Lewis Ave, Brooklyn. 718 452-6733.

Opportunities for a Better Tomorrow

Opportunities for a Better Tomorrow offers two 20-week cycles per year, serving 240 youth, 17-21. Daily classes in Business English, Business Math, Keyboarding, Office Procedures, Computer Training, Public Speaking & Communication (2 hours/week), and World of Work; Pre-GED and GED are offered.

There are two OBT sites in Brooklyn: Sunset Park, 783 4th Avenue, 718- 369-0303 and Bushwick/Williamsburg, 25 Thornton Street, 718-387-1600.

Bed-Stuy Restoration Corp. Community Technology Center

This center has a 40-station computer facility. They offer technology education, internet access, job readiness and job placement. **1368 Fulton Street, between Brooklyn and New York Avenues. For more information call 718-636-6978**

The NYC Department of Youth & Community Development

The DYCD runs Out-of-School Youth (OSY) employment programs that focus on vocational training and education for low income youth. Some programs serve older youth aged 19 – 21, some serve younger youth aged 16 –18, and some both age groups. Both high school dropouts and high school graduates are eligible.

<http://www.nyc.gov/html/dycd/html/services-employment-osy.html>.

There are several Brooklyn locations:

Arbor Employment and Training at the Brooklyn Job Corps Center

Serves youth aged 19-21
585 Dekalb Avenue
718-623-4031

CAMBA

Serves youth aged 19-21
2211 Church Avenue, Room 204A
718-462-4244

www.camba.org

Medgar Evers College

Serves youth aged 16-21
1150 Carroll Street
718-270-6474

NYSARC

Serves youth aged 19-21
57 Willoughby Street, 4th floor
718-634-8657

www.ahrcnyc.org

Other Organizations

CAMBA

The CAMBA REACH program provides free training in customer service, job readiness and basic computer skills for out of school youths 19-21.

2211 Church Avenue, 2nd floor.

718-462-4244. www.camba.org

Brooklyn Woods

trains youth in carpentry. **718 389 3636.**

info@brooklynwoods.com.

The Vocational Foundation, Inc.

is a private, non-profit organization that helps disadvantaged disconnected youth from all five boroughs gain the skills and tools they need to achieve financial independence.

<http://www.vfinyc.org>

New York City Housing Authority

The NYCHA offers free job training and placement for housing authority residents.

<http://www.nyc.gov/html/nycha/html/community/res-employ.shtml> or call:

718-250-5904.

CITY TECH

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