

The RISE Project

Re-entry through Industry Specific Education



2013 RISE students working together

Goodwill Program Benefits:

- Hands-on vocational education integrated with academics, life skills and work readiness training, service learning and community service, job shadowing and internships.
- Utilizing an award-winning curriculum that is structured to be competency-based, participants will obtain a Home Builders Institute (HBI) **Pre-Apprenticeship Certificate Training (PACT) Certificate** in the construction industry and a **Youth Policy Council Work-Ready Certificate**.
- Participants will be eligible to take the Apprenticeship test upon completion of the program and work for above minimum wage pay.

Age 17-21? Receive your nationally recognized certification with The RISE Project! Train and prepare for work in the construction and maintenance fields.

Training includes 8-10 weeks of vocational training in the following fields:

- Carpentry
- Brick Masonry
- Green Building
- Electrical
- Landscaping
- Weatherization
- Plumbing
- Facilities Management
- Painting

Participants receive:

- Help with transportation
- Stipend upon completion
- Free lunch
- Free set of hand tools

Participants must be WIA eligible*, out-of-school** youth ages 17-21 who live in the following areas: Hill District, Garfield, Northview Heights, McKeesport, Homestead, Braddock, East Pittsburgh, East Hills or Duquesne.

Training for the RISE Project is held at 2400 East Carson Street on the South Side.

If you or someone you know would benefit from this program, please contact RISE at 412-632-1742.

**Eligible participants will receive funding through WIA.*

***Participants must be currently out of school, but a High School Diploma or GED® credential is not required.*



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