

Bucks County Community College

In-School Youth Workforce Program



Serving Bensalem, Bristol Borough, Morrisville and Truman High Schools

Program Highlights

- Classes held at your high school and on the Lower Bucks Campus
- Potential to earn a free college credit, if you enroll at Bucks after high school
- Career Assessments
- Hands-on Skills Training
- Employability Skills Training
- OSHA 10-Hour General Industry Training
- ACT™ National Career Readiness Certificate
- Speakers, Field Trips, & Industry Tours
- Gift Card Incentives
- Snacks & Transportation Provided

Eligibility requirements on the back

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Eligibility Requirements

- 21 years old or younger
AND in 12th grade
- And low income (as defined by the Workforce Investment Act – see definition #1), or is eligible for Temporary Assistance for Needy Families, receiving food stamps, or is in the Free/Reduced Lunch Program OR has a disability (IEP)

AND is within one or more of the following categories:

- Deficient in basic literacy skills (definition #2)
- English Language Learner
- Homeless, a runaway, or foster child
- Pregnant or a parenting teen
- An offender
- A youth with an IEP or 504 Plan (as defined by the ADA – definition #3), who requires additional assistance to complete an educational program or to secure and hold employment

Definitions

1. *Low-Income*

- Student who receives or is a member of a family that receives cash payments under the Federal, State, or Local income-based public assistance program;
- Student who received an income, or is a member of a family that received a total family income for a 6-month period prior to application, that, in relation to family size, does not exceed 70 percent of the lower living standard income level
- Student who qualified as a homeless individual
- Student who is a foster child

2. *Basic Skills Deficient*

Defined by Federal regulation as computing, solving problems, reading, writing, or speaking English at or below the grade level of 8.9, or the inability to perform these functions at a level necessary to function on the job, in the individual's family or in society.

3. *Youth with a Disability*

An individual with a disability is defined by the ADA as a person who has a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities, a person who has a history or record of such an impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities, a person who has a history or record of such an impairment, or a person who is perceived by others as having such an impairment

