



Young Adult Advancement Initiative (YAAI) Parent's Guide

Prepare your young adult for their
journey into the world of work

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The Young Adult Advancement Initiative (YAAI) is a program designed to provide eligible young adults with exposure to the world of work and potential careers while earning a paycheck during the summer.



About the Program



The purpose of YAAI is to provide young adults with summer employment and work readiness training. YAAI is designed to engage the talents and interests of young adults, develop their skills and competencies, and provide positive adult role models. The goal is to help young adults find and sustain employment.



General Program Information

- Eligibility is based on age and household income.
- Chautauqua Works is the employer and partners with area businesses to provide the work sites.
- The young adults can work a maximum of 35 hours a week. The young adults may work less based on the needs of the company.
- The young adults are paid minimum wage and cannot receive overtime.
- There is no guarantee that every youth will be accepted.
- Incomplete applications will not be considered for placement.



For more information:

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