

Bill Chong, Commissioner

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Job Corps

Job Corps is the nation's largest career technical training and education program for students ages 16 through 24. They provide 60,000 students per year with hands-on training in America's fastest growing careers.

For locations and more information, <u>click here</u>

Year Up

Year Up offers job training and internships for youth 18-24. Get work experience, college credit while getting paid!

For more info, click here



NYC Summer Enrichment

Opportunities are still available for middle school-aged participants in our Summer Enrichment programs. Secure a spot at one of the many summer programs across the City, and enjoy everything from dance, music and sports to Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) and public service.

To find your local provider and to enroll, download the Directory of Summer Programs at www.nyc.gov/Summer and email or call the Program(s) you select from the Directory.

Please contact 311 or DYCD Youth Connect at 1-800-246-4646 for more information or if you need assistance with enrolling.

And check back with August's e-blast for more on the new SONYC after-school program coming this fall!



2014 Youth Guide to Summer Fun

It's that time of year again: time to start planning a summer of fun. DYCD's Summer Fun Guide is here! From the hottest happenings and places to visit to information about museums, pools, beaches and BBQ, check back with www.nyc.gov/dycd for the latest and greatest guide to all things summer in New York City.

2014 Fall FDC Scholarship Applications Are Now Available

The Family Development Training and Credentialing (FDC) program is a major New York State initiative to change the way health, education and human services are delivered to families. This professional development training benefits staff, organizations and, ultimately, families.

For more information, <u>click here</u>.

Young Adult Internship Program

Apply now! The Young Adult Internship Program (YAIP) is an internship program for low-income New York City youth ages 16 to 24. The program begins with two to four weeks of orientation followed by a 12-week paid internship. Once interns have completed their internship, YAIP offers nine months of follow-up services to help participants find a permanent job or a vocational/educational program.

For more information, visit: <u>www.nvc.gov/dvcd</u>

US OPEN

The US Open offers a great variety of seasonal opportunities, for students college graduates and people who love sports events.

If you are interested in applying for a seasonal postion, contact <u>usopenstaff@usta.com</u> or <u>click here</u>

High School Alternatives

As of January 1, 2014, the GED® test was replaced in New York State. The new test is called the TASC® (Test Assessing Secondary Completion) and students will achieve the same award for passing the TASC® as they currently do for the GED: a High School Equivalency Diploma.

To find an alternative school near you, <u>click</u> <u>here</u>

Out-of-School Youth Program

The Out-of-School Youth Program (OSY) is a year-long program for low-income youth between the ages of 16 and 21 who are not working and not in school. OSY provides services to help youth upgrade their job skills and find permanent work.

The program offers occupational skills training in many industries, including construction, food service, tourism, healthcare and retail, as well as assistance with job and college placement, GED preparation and support services.

For more information, visit: www.nyc.gov/dycd or call 800-246-4646.

New York Peace Institute

The New York Peace Institute is committed to promoting peace in our communities. Whether a dispute involves two people, dozens of people, or several groups, they can help.

For over 30 years, they've offered free professional mediation and conflict resolution services for people involved in all kinds of disputes.

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Monday - Friday, 9 am - 7 pm

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