

# *School of the Arts Counseling Department (Grades 10-12)*

## **NEWSLETTER-** March/ April 2026

### **COLLEGE APPLICATION PROCESS**

#### **College Research Websites:**

- **SchoolLinks- Access through your RoConnect Dashboard**
- **College Board Big Future:** <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>
- **State University of New York (SUNY):** [www.suny.edu](http://www.suny.edu)

#### **College Application Process:**

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/13Z0C4yALRY406AijqMEV7bhdcqx4JpDfjNkizh7Oq8/edit?usp=sharing>

- ❖ **Create a Common Application account:** [www.commonapp.org](http://www.commonapp.org) and remember to write down your username and password to access in the fall
- ❖ **Please add ALL colleges you are applying to in your SchoolLinks account..** This is how we will send transcripts, school reports, and letters of recommendation. You can access SchoolLinks through your ROConnect dashboard on your Chromebook. Please see our **College Application Process** document for more information-  
<https://www.rcsdk12.org/cms/lib/NY01001156/Centricity/Domain/5271/College%20Application%20Process%20for%20Seniors.pdf> .

**Rochester Education Foundation:** <http://rochestercan.org/>. For help with college/ financial aid related questions and FAFSA Fest information.

**RCSD College Ready Resource Page:** <https://www.rcsdk12.org/Page/55421>

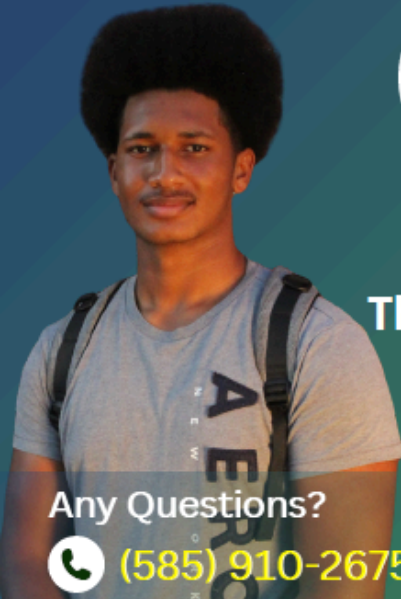
**NEW YORK STATE HESC (Higher Education Services Corporation):**

<https://www.hesc.ny.gov/>

**FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)-** Online form available October 2025-

<https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>

**SUNY (State University of New York) UPDATES:** [www.suny.edu](http://www.suny.edu)



# CITY-WIDE FAFSA FEST

Thursday, April 9<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 p.m - 7:00 p.m  
Rochester Educational Opportunity  
Center (REOC)

Any Questions?



(585) 910-2675

[www.rochestereducation.org](http://www.rochestereducation.org)

Location: 161 Chestnut St, 5th Floor,  
Rochester, NY 14604



What is being offered that day:

- Get financial aid help
- Help understanding the college award letters

Other details:

- Parking will be validated at the Washington Square Garage.
- We will also have refreshments and childcare.

**SIGN UP! IT'S FREE!**



# SOTA SPRING CAREER AND COLLEGE FAIR 2026



**Tuesday**  
April 14, 2026



**Time**  
6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

This event is open to students in grades 9 - 12 and their families. Please join us to receive information from local colleges, employers and job training programs.



School of the Arts - 45 Prince Street

## SAT/ ACT UPDATES

### Weekend Test Administrations:





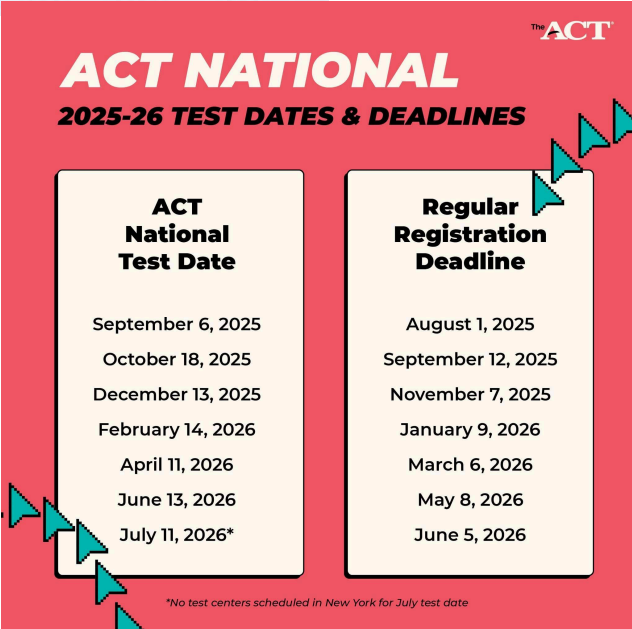
### SAT Dates and Deadlines

Fall 2025

SAT Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline
August 23	August 8	August 12
<b>NEW</b> September 13	August 29	September 2
October 4	September 19	September 23
November 8	October 24	October 28
December 6	November 21	November 25

**Fee Waivers-** Please see your counselor if you think you may qualify for an SAT or ACT fee waiver.

**SAT Test Day Reminders-** Arrive at your testing site on time, bring your Admission Ticket, photo ID, a calculator, #2 pencils, and any drink/snack you would like. You will not be admitted without your Admission Ticket and Photo ID.



The ACT

## ACT NATIONAL

### 2025-26 TEST DATES & DEADLINES

ACT National Test Date	Regular Registration Deadline
September 6, 2025	August 1, 2025
October 18, 2025	September 12, 2025
December 13, 2025	November 7, 2025
February 14, 2026	January 9, 2026
April 11, 2026	March 6, 2026
June 13, 2026	May 8, 2026
July 11, 2026*	June 5, 2026

\*No test centers scheduled in New York for July test date

## COLLEGE VISITS @ SOTA

- ❖ **SOTA will host visits with College Admissions Representatives on Tuesdays and Thursdays.** We have College Admissions Representatives from the schools list below coming to SOTA. If you are interested in meeting with any of these colleges, please register through your **SchoolLinks** account, which can be found on your RoConnect dashboard. Once you are on your SchoolLinks account, go to the tabs on the left side of the screen, click on **"School"**, then **"Events"**. Here you will find a list of all the colleges signed up to visit SOTA and you can register to attend. All visits will be in the Ensemble Theatre unless otherwise noted.

- 4/9 University of Calgary, 4th period, A179
- 4/28 University at Buffalo, 2nd period, Ensemble Theatre

## COLLEGE OPEN HOUSES/ COLLEGE FAIRS

- ❖ **SUNY Campus Visit Opportunities-** [suny.edu/visit](http://suny.edu/visit)
- ❖ **SUNY Virtual Events/ Information Sessions-** [suny.edu/studentevents](http://suny.edu/studentevents)
- ❖ **SUNY Fredonia Open House Events-** April 25-  
<https://www.fredonia.edu/admissions-aid/visit-tour>
- ❖ **SUNY Canton Open House-** April 25- [www.canton.edu/admissions/open\\_house.html](http://www.canton.edu/admissions/open_house.html)
- ❖ **SUNY Alfred State Open House-** April 11-  
<https://admissions.alfredstate.edu/portal/open-house>
- ❖ **University of Rochester Research Rochester Open House-** March 31-  
[admissions.rochester.edu/visit/research-rochester](http://admissions.rochester.edu/visit/research-rochester)
- ❖ **SUNY Morrisville Open House-** March 28  
-<https://admissions.morrisville.edu/register/march28-openhouse>
- ❖ **SUNY Oswego Open House-** April 25- [www.oswego.edu/visit](http://www.oswego.edu/visit)
- ❖ **Nazareth University Open House-**  
<https://apply.naz.edu/register/?id=3c257f2c-a6e3-4997-95a9-2d973fd1159b>
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## SCHOLARSHIPS

- **Go to SchoolLinks through RoConnect to access more scholarships. Scholarship can be found on your home page under “Here’s What’s Happening” or under the College- Scholarship Matching tab.**
- **MANY OF THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS CAN BE FOUND ON THE SOTA WEBSITE. Go to Counselor’s Corner and click “Scholarship File Cabinet”.**
- **Go to [www.studentscholarships.org](http://www.studentscholarships.org) , [www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com), <https://www.goingmerry.com/> or [www.racf.org/Scholarships/How-to-Apply-or-Renew](http://www.racf.org/Scholarships/How-to-Apply-or-Renew), <https://rochestereducation.scholarships360.org/> to find more private scholarships you may be eligible for.**
- ❖ **University of Rochester- Rochester Promise Program-** For any senior accepted to the U of R under regular admission, planning to enroll full-time. You are NOT eligible for the scholarship if your parent qualifies for any U of R employer tuition waivers or if your household income is

more than twice the Monroe County average (approximately \$150,000). Full tuition scholarship (does not include room and board).

<https://admissions.rochester.edu/national-and-international-partners/>

- ❖ **Rochester Institute of Technology Rochester Destler/Johnson City Scholars Program-** For any senior interested in attending RIT and is accepted under regular admission, meets the requirements, and has a household income under \$75,000/ year. Full tuition scholarship (does not include room and board). Must apply to RIT and submit FAFSA by January 15.

<https://www.rit.edu/aes/destlerjohnson-rochester-city-scholars>



The graphic features a top section with a black and white photo of a smiling man and woman, with the RIT logo in orange. Below this is a white box with a black border containing text about the program. To the right of the text is an orange graphic with the text 'DDI Summer Experience'. Below that is a quote from a student. At the bottom right is a photo of a group of students sitting on the grass, with a graphic that says 'SUMMER 2024'.

## Destler/Johnson Rochester City Scholars

**The Destler/Johnson Rochester City Scholars Program** was created in 2010. This unique program offers full-tuition scholarships for full-time first-year students from public, including select charter, high schools within the Rochester City School District, and the Urban-Suburban Interdistrict Transfer Program.

**Admitted students are eligible for full tuition** covered through a combination of RIT scholarships and state and federal need-based grants.

### Scholarship Program Requirements:

- Students must live in the city and attend an approved high school within the district, or Urban Suburban school, for the last three years of high school.
- **Students should apply for admission by January 15** to ensure full consideration. **The \$65 application fee is waived.** (Applications received after January 15 will be considered as long as space and funds remain available.)
- Must be accepted through RIT's regular admission standards and **enroll full-time** at RIT in the fall semester after graduation.
- The high school counselor, or Urban Suburban Program Director, must submit RIT's electronic Student Eligibility Certification form.
- Must file a valid FAFSA and be a U.S. Citizen or eligible non-citizen to be reviewed by the Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships. The student's total annual family income (including taxed and untaxed income) must not exceed \$75,000.
- **Once the offer of admission is accepted, the \$500 enrollment deposit will be waived.**

**DDI Summer Experience**

Students admitted to the Destler/Johnson Rochester City Scholars program are required to participate in the **Division of Diversity and Inclusion's Summer Experience**, which is a fully funded residential summer program providing personalized one-on-one academic coaching, academic skills enhancement, a strong support network, and the opportunity to **earn up to six RIT college credits.**

**First-year, Lah May Paw, was asked: How did the DDI Summer Experience help her prepare for her first semester, academically and socially:**

"The DDI SE program helped prepare me for my first semester by showing me how I can stay on track with my classes and spend time with my friends. I need to make a weekly or monthly planner in order to succeed academically and socially. The program also opened a connection for me. With my peer advisor and my academic coach, I now know where to get help, make new friends, join clubs, and receive information that might interest me."

**SUMMER 2024**

- ❖ **Excelsior Scholarship**- For any senior interested in attending a SUNY or CUNY school and is accepted under regular admission, meets the requirements, and has a household income under \$100,000/ year. Full tuition scholarship (does not include room and board). Go to <https://www.hesc.ny.gov/pay-for-college/financial-aid/types-of-financial-aid/nys-grants-scholarships-awards/the-excelsior-scholarship.html> for more information and to apply.
- ❖ **St. John Fisher College- Fisher Urban Scholar Award**- \$40,000 over 4 years for first-year undergraduates from the RCSD that are accepted to St. John Fisher College. Students will also be eligible to receive additional merit aid and scholarships, including the Service Scholarship and First Generation Scholarship.
- ❖ **Nazareth University/ RCSD Direct Admission Program**- Any senior with a B average (80) or higher will be eligible for Direct Admissions to Nazareth and offered \$23,000/ annually. Seniors must apply to Nazareth through the Common Application. <https://www2.naz.edu/admissions/rochester-city-school-district-naz>
- ❖ **Rochester Area Community Foundation (RACF) Scholarships**- RACF has many scholarships available, some specifically for RCSD seniors. Go to <https://www.racf.org/scholarships/search-for-scholarships/> to search for scholarships and apply. Go to scholarship file cabinet to access the RACF document listing of specific scholarships for RCSD students and criteria. **Application open December 1- February 28.**
- ❖ **College Board BIG FUTURE Scholarships**- This is a scholarship program for **JUNIORS** and **SENIORS**. Monthly scholarship winners are drawn when you complete steps. Go to <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college/bigfuture-scholarships?excmid=vt-00248> for more information and to get started.
- ❖ **Nazareth University Visit Grant**- Visit the Nazareth campus during the fall semester for a \$1,000 (non-renewable) grant.
- ❖ **Niagara University Full Flight Scholarship**- For students that are admitted to Niagara and whose family income is \$80,000 or less per year. This is a full tuition grant (\$37,000/ year). Applicants must file their FAFSA form to qualify. <https://www.niagara.edu/tuition-aid/scholarships-grants/full-flight-scholarship/>
- ❖ **BigSun Athletic Scholarship**- All senior student-athletes are eligible to apply. \$500 award. Go to <http://www.bigsunathletics.com> for more information and to apply. Deadline- June 19.
- ❖ **TMCF/McDonald's Black and Positively Golden Scholarship**- For any senior planning to attend a HBCU next fall, 80 GPA, demonstrate leadership, demonstrate financial need. Go to <https://tmcf.org/open-scholarships/2026-2027-tmcf-mcdonalds-black-and-positively-golden-scholarship/> for more information and to apply. Deadline to apply- April 24.
- ❖ **Utica University Pioneer Passport Scholarship**- Students who are accepted to Utica University, are a NY state resident, and annual family income of \$65,000 or less will be granted free tuition. Go to <https://www.utica.edu/tuition-and-financial-aid/pioneer-passport> for more information.
- ❖ **Charlotte Community Association (CCA) Edward Watson Memorial Scholarship**- For any senior that resides in the Charlotte neighborhood of the city and plans to attend college, trade

school, or vocational/technical program in the fall. \$1000 award. Go to the scholarship file cabinet for application. Deadline to apply- June 30.

- ❖ **Alfred University AU Scholars Award**- For any junior interested in applying to Alfred University. \$30,000 scholarship per year. Must meet admissions guidelines. See your counselor if interested. Deadline- April 15.
- ❖ **Order Sons and Daughters of Italy in America Vincent Lombardi Lodge #2270 Scholarship**- High school seniors of Italian descent, planning to continue study at an accredited educational institution following high school graduation. Go to <https://sonsofitalyrochester.com/scholarships.htm> for more information and to apply. Deadline to apply- March 31.
- ❖ **Student-View Scholarship** - For any senior that plans to attend college or trade school in the fall. Take a survey about colleges in the area and your name will be entered for a random drawing. Awards range from \$500- \$5,000. Go to [www.student-view.com](http://www.student-view.com) to apply. Deadline to apply- April 23.
- ❖ **Willson, Reaves, Spearman, and Simmons (WRSS) Scholarship Foundation**- For any senior planning to attend 2-year college, 4-year college, or vocational institution in the fall. \$1000 award. Go to <https://wrssscholarshipfoundation.org/scholarship/> for more information and to apply. Deadline to apply- April 17.
- ❖ **Corn Hill Neighbors Association Tysean Williams Memorial Scholarship**- For any senior planning to attend 2 or 4 year college in the fall, 75 GPA. **\$4,000 award for a SOTA student.** Essay required-”Describe what you are most proud of in your personal journey, the experiences or people who have most influenced your values, how you hope to positively impact your community and what you hope to gain from your college experience as you work toward those goals.” Go to the scholarship file cabinet for application. Deadline to apply- April 30.
- ❖ **Maude Orman Scholarship (Rochester Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.)**- For any African American/Black high school senior in the Rochester/Monroe County area who possess at least a B average. <https://tinyurl.com/MaudeOrman25>. Deadline to apply- March 31.
- ❖ **Tri Delta Rochester Alumnae Chapter Scholarship**- For female seniors planning to attend college in the fall. Go to the scholarship file cabinet for application and instructions, but all applications must be submitted electronically. Submit your documents electronically at <https://forms.gle/m5av6vgkwi8ZgAU56>. Please contact your counselor to send required transcript and recommendations. Deadline to apply- March 30.
- ❖ **Julie and Dick Baker Memorial Scholarship**- For any RCSD senior planning to study a STEM field in college or technical school in the fall, 80 minimum GPA, demonstrate financial need. \$1000 award renewable for following three years. Go to <https://juliebakermemorialgolf.com/scholarship> to apply. Deadline to apply- March 31.
- ❖ **Stephen A. Segar Epilepsy Scholarship**- For any senior with epilepsy planning to attend college in the fall. \$3,500 award. Go to scholarship file cabinet for application. Deadline to apply- May 22.

- ❖ **AKOMA African American Women’s Gospel Choir Nona Patterson Chambers Merit Scholarship-** For any African American, female, senior planning to attend college in the fall, involved in community and/or church activities. Go to scholarship file cabinet for application or [www.akoma.org](http://www.akoma.org). Deadline to apply- April 1.
- ❖ **Rochester Teachers Association Scholarships-** 5 scholarships available (see below). All scholarship applications due by April 24. Go to the scholarship file cabinet or see your counselor for an application.
  - **General Scholarship-** For any senior planning to attend college in the fall, 3.0 unweighted GPA, demonstrates financial need, \$1000 award.
  - **Scott Spino Teaching Scholarship-** For any senior planning to attend college in the fall to pursue teaching, 3.0 GPA, demonstrates financial need, \$1000 award.
  - **Gordon Dorway Science Award-** For any senior planning to attend college in the fall to pursue a degree in science, 3.0 GPA, demonstrates financial need, \$1000 award.
  - **Ken Silvio Technology Scholarship-** For any senior planning to attend college in the fall to pursue technology or technology in teaching, 3.0 GPA, \$1000 award.
  - **Scholarship for the child of an RTA member** in good standing (can also be a deceased parent)- \$1000 award. Must call RTA office (546-2681) for application.
- ❖ **American Institute of Architects (AIA) Rochester/Architectural Foundation Scholarship Program-** For any senior attending college for architecture. Several scholarships available. Go to <https://www.aiaroc.org/scholarships> for more information and to apply. Deadline to apply- April 6.
- ❖ **Rochester Kids: Jeff Milano-Johnson and Shamar Patterson Memorial Scholarship-** Applicant must demonstrate the ability to succeed in college, technical or trade school or other post high school advancement program. This is most frequently demonstrated in a grade point average of 2.5 or higher AND/OR excelling in a particular subject area or skill set. Applicant must demonstrate financial need. Other criteria considered include employment or volunteering or assisting others, perseverance, and pursuit of a passion or strong expertise/interest. Go to the scholarship file cabinet for application. Deadline to apply extended to March 31.
- ❖ **Timothy Wagner Memorial Scholarship-** For any RCSD senior. Two awards (one for a RCSD senior and one for a graduating senior who is the child of a current ASAR member). \$500 each. Must demonstrate academic achievement, community citizenship, strong work ethic, excellent interpersonal skills, strong leadership and commitment to serving others. Go to the scholarship file cabinet for application. Application due- May 8.
- ❖ **ASAR (Association of Supervisors and Administrators of Rochester)/SAANYS Scholar’s Awards-** For any RCSD senior. There are 10 awards- \$500 each. Go to the scholarship file cabinet for application. Deadline to apply- May 1.

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FOUNDATION**

# **SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM 2026**

## **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENT**

- Male from the greater Rochester community.
- Current 2026 candidate for graduation from an accredited public, private, or charter high school.
- Minimum GPA of 2.75.
- Have applied to, and/or been accepted into, a degree program at an accredited two-year or four-year college/university.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION  
PLEASE CONTACT US**

- [www.rochesteralphas.org](http://www.rochesteralphas.org)
- [erleducationalfoundation@gmail.com](mailto:erleducationalfoundation@gmail.com)
- <https://forms.gle/6faJDnU87gQVYq1G7>



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- *High School Senior*
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For More Information Please Visit  
[www.rabjonline.org/](http://www.rabjonline.org/)

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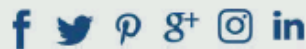
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- Click the “Apply Now” button.

**Apply by March 31st 2026**

(Notification by May 15th, 2026)



Apply at <https://www.cirkledin.com/scholarships>

## PROGRAMS/ EVENTS/ SUMMER PROGRAMS/EMPLOYMENT

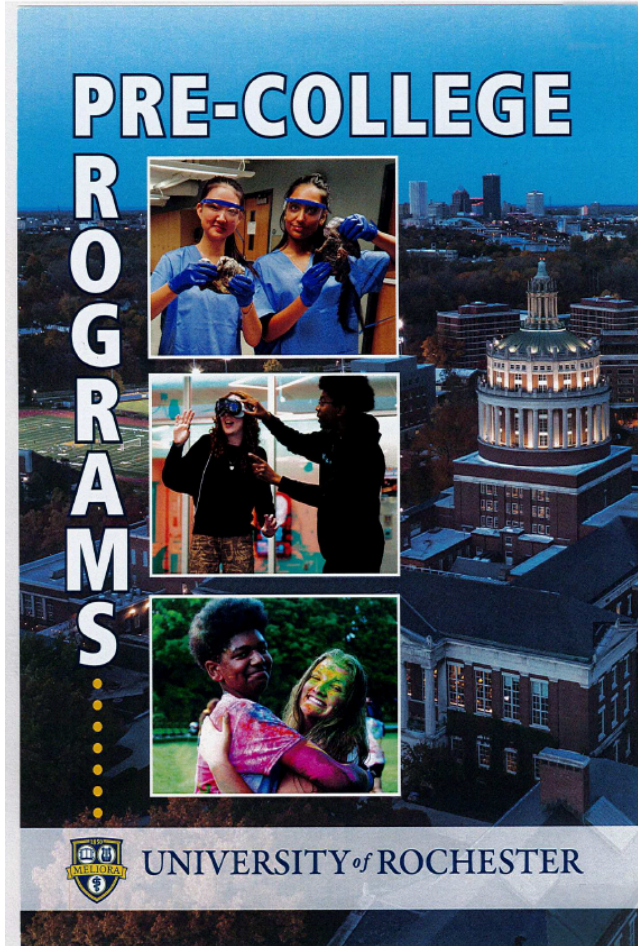
### NEW! SchoolLinks Opportunity Board for Employment Opportunities, Community Events, and Programs! On SchoolLinks, go to “ENGAGE” and then “OPPORTUNITY BOARD”.

- ❖ **University of Rochester Pre-College Programs**- New program for students ages 13+ to explore subjects they may wish to pursue in college, taught by professors, supported by mentors. Currently offering courses in Biomedical Engineering, U.S. Healthcare, and Personalized Medicine. Go to <https://rochesteronline.precollegeprograms.org/> for more information and to apply.
- ❖ **Guided Pathway Support Program for Juniors and Seniors**- The program is a part of the Ron Brown Scholar Program. It is a free, online, African American college advising community-advising services, mentorship, accepts students all year. Go to <https://rbsgps.com/> for more information and to apply.
- ❖ **Project Level the Field**- A non-profit organization with one mission: make sure everybody has access to FREE high-quality college application resources regardless of their race, ethnicity, or financial background. They provide college application support, SAT test prep and tutoring. <https://projectlevelthefield.com/>
- ❖ **Rhode Island School of Design Pre-College Summer Programs**- [www.precollege.risd.edu](http://www.precollege.risd.edu)
- ❖ **SUNY Geneseo Summer Academy**- This is a one-week (July 12-18) residential program for high school students who want to prepare for college, explore academic interests, and gain real college experience. For more information and to apply- <https://www.geneseo.edu/admissions/geneseo-summer-academy-live-and-learn-campus>
- ❖ **Fordham Summer Leaders Academy**- <https://www.fordham.edu/summer-session/pre-college-programs/summer-leaders-academy/>
- ❖ **SUNY New Paltz Summer Honors Program**- [https://www.newpaltz.edu/summer-honors/?utm\\_campaign=honors&utm\\_content=honors&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_source=slate&utm\\_term=25\\_summer](https://www.newpaltz.edu/summer-honors/?utm_campaign=honors&utm_content=honors&utm_medium=email&utm_source=slate&utm_term=25_summer)
- ❖ **Stanford Pre-College Summer Program**- <https://summerinstitutes.spcs.stanford.edu/>
- ❖ **New York University Pre-College Program**- [nyu.edu/precollege](http://nyu.edu/precollege)
- ❖ **University of Chicago Summer Session Program**- [summer.uchicago.edu](http://summer.uchicago.edu) .
- ❖ **Roberts Wesleyan Academic Summer Camp**- <https://www.roberts.edu/summer-at-roberts/academic-summer-camps>
- ❖ **St. John Fisher University College Bound Program**- For current Juniors- must be college bound, first generation college students, and demonstrate financial need. Free, five-day intensive program, July 12-16 on the St. John Fisher campus. Students will explore interests and career options, learn about college life, college search and application process- interviews, completing an application, college essay, get ongoing assistance through senior year. Please see your counselor if interested. Deadline to apply- March 27.
- ❖ **SUNY ESF (College of Environmental Science & Forestry) FREE Engineering Program**- August 2-7, current 10th and 11th graders interested in STEM, problem solving, and environmental challenges. <https://www.esf.edu/go/explore-engineering/>
- ❖ **2026 National Youth Science Camp**- July 11- August 1, West Virginia. For any interested junior or senior. Students will be chosen to represent New York state. The National Youth Science Camp is a science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics (STEAM) opportunity. The camp will provide daily lectures and seminars with leading scientists, directed studies alongside visiting and resident STEAM professionals, and engaging outdoor activities.

Housing, meals, transportation, and supplies are provided to participants at no cost. Go to <https://www.nysacademy.org/programs/nyscamp/2024-national-youth-science-camp-application/> for more information and to apply. Deadline to apply- March 30.

- ❖ **Park Point University Summer Camps and Intensives-**  
<https://www.pointpark.edu/about/aboutpittsburgh/livingandlearninginpittsburgh/community-and-summer-programs/youth-and-high-school-students/index>

**UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER PRE-COLLEGE SUMMER PROGRAMS:**  
**Scholarships available for RCSD students!**  
<https://admissions.rochester.edu/pre-college/>



The graphic features a large background image of the University of Rochester's main building at night. On the left, the words "PRE-COLLEGE PROGRAMS" are written vertically in large, white, bold letters. Three smaller inset photos show students in various activities: two students in lab coats holding a small animal, a student using a VR headset, and two students smiling. At the bottom left is the University of Rochester crest, and at the bottom center is the text "UNIVERSITY of ROCHESTER".

### EXPLORE THE UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER DURING THE SUMMER

BROADEN YOUR EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE, SHARPEN ACADEMIC SKILLS, AND ACCELERATE YOUR FUTURE

University of Rochester's summer Pre-College Programs provide an immersive academic experience with renowned professors from our faculty. We offer online options year-round and on-campus opportunities during the summer. You'll gain insights into your academic potential and experience our unique curriculum and collaborative learning.

#### STUDY WHAT YOU LOVE

We invite students like you to deepen your academic and college preparation through our programs for high school students. The University of Rochester offers summer pre-college courses to explore subjects that fascinate them - before going to college. This is a great way to see if an interest could turn into a major or even a future career, and demonstrates your academic abilities when they apply to colleges.

#### BECOME A GLOBAL CITIZEN

For over twenty-five years, these programs have welcomed students from around the globe. This means students make significant contributions to campus, foster respect for other cultures, and bring unique perspectives to the classroom. If you're an international student, never fear - Pre-College residential staff will help you adjust to a new culture, environment, and educational system.

#### BE EVER BETTER

Students can choose courses ranging from one week to three weeks in a variety of disciplines, including:

- Arts and Sciences
- Business
- Engineering
- Health Care

#### LEARN MORE



[admissions.rochester.edu/pre-college](https://admissions.rochester.edu/pre-college)

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## GEWEP- General Education Work Experience Program



# GEWEP



## General Education Work Experience Program

- Have a job?
- Earn HS Elective Credit!

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### Sign up for the GEWEP Class!

Sign up ASAP to start counting your hours worked for elective credit!

Credit is given based on how many hours you work. (example: 150 hrs. = .5 credit / 300 hrs. = 1 credit, etc.)



**SIGN UP:** Scan the above QR code to fill out the GEWEP Interest Form

Or type in the URL: <https://forms.gle/1zZRLgi8Lh11fd4g6>

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### This is a Virtual Course!

Your teacher: Ms. Richardson, RCSD Work Based Learning Coordinator

Assignments: all in Google Classroom

Offered: first and/or second semester

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#### Q&A's

Q-When can I sign up? A- As soon as you are employed and earning a paycheck

Q-How old do I have to be? A- 14 or older and employed

Q- If I don't have a job, but get one later this school year, can I join in the middle of the year? A - Yes, join at any time

Q- I work for my family, can I join GEWEP? A - You must be paid "on the books" and earn a paycheck (you can't be paid "under the table") and the business must provide Workers Compensation

Further Questions: Contact Ms. Richardson, RCSD Work Based Learning Coordinator at [donna.richardson@rcsdk12.org](mailto:donna.richardson@rcsdk12.org) or see your school counselor

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# ***A DIFFERENT KIND OF HIGHER EDUCATION*** REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIPS



## **Benefits Include:**

- **EARN \$\$ WHILE YOU LEARN** in a full-time job from day one
- Hands-on learning from experts
- Supplemental classroom instruction
- A nationally recognized credential upon completion
- Often no cost or debt!

**Find Your Career Pathway**  
[dol.ny.gov/apprenticeship](http://dol.ny.gov/apprenticeship)



**ACTION** for a **BETTER COMMUNITY**  
**ABC's Of College**

ABC's Youth Services Department will provide year-round college and trade school exposure through guided workshops and campus tours throughout New York State. Exposing ABC youth participants to college will allow students to feel a sense of belonging and learn what college entails, while increasing their likelihood of attending a post-secondary educational institute.



**Shamira McClain- Director**

**Our Focus Areas**

**College Awareness**  
 Students will get college exposure by hearing from College Admissions and College Tours.

**Application Process**  
 Students will learn how to apply to college, search for scholarships, and utilize the FAFSA

**College Experience**  
 Students will participate in interactive workshops that cover dorm life, sports, class, Greek life, and more

**The Basics**

- ✓ Monthly Workshop ( Capacity of 35)
- ✓ Quarterly Tours (Capacity of 12)
- ✓ After School 4:00pm - 6:00pm
- ✓ Prizes and Takeaways for Participation

**Requirements**

- 1 Students must be willing to learn and respectful of staff, peers, and visitors
- 3 Open to 7th-12<sup>th</sup> grade students to increase student understanding by senior year.
- 5 Students must attend 3 workshops to be eligible to attend a tour.

**Launching February 2026**

Call Us For More Info **585-325-5116**
 Register for Workshop Information Here

# START YOUR FUTURE TODAY AT THE CENTER FOR WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT



## TRANSPORTATION

### BUS AND HEAVY EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE

18 weeks \ 118 hours

Work on steering, suspension, brake systems, engines, & electrical components

### CDL CLASS-B

7 weeks \ 53 hours

Prepare for the Class-B road test in an entry-level driver training program



## CONSTRUCTION

### BUILDING MAINTENANCE

18 weeks \ 118 hours

Learn basic plumbing and electrical to drywall repair and HVAC maintenance

### ELECTRICAL FOR CONSTRUCTION

18 weeks \ 121 hours

Gain skills to begin a career in residential or commercial electrical

### HVAC/R

18 weeks \ 118 hours

Discover the basics of heating, ventilation, air conditioning and refrigeration

## HEALTHCARE

### DENTAL OFFICE ASSISTING

18 weeks \ 180 hours

Learn a variety of skills to prepare for dental office work and patient care

### NURSE ASSISTING

18 weeks \ 138 hours

Gain essential experience and skills to provide safe, compassionate patient care as a nursing assistant.

### PHLEBOTOMY

18 weeks \ 126 hours

Understand the theory and practice of safe and proper blood draws

### REGISTERED DENTAL ASSISTING

Online \ Self-Paced

A NYS approved Dental Assisting program for individuals working in the field and seeking licensure.



**SCHOLARSHIP & FUNDING**  
OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE!



## MANUFACTURING

### INDUSTRIAL ELECTRICAL

18 weeks \ 118 hours

Discover the basics of industrial and mechanical power distribution

### MACHINING FUNDAMENTALS

18 weeks \ 133 hours

Gain skills in manual machining and related instruction for apprenticeships

### MANUFACTURING PROCESS TECHNOLOGY

18 weeks \ 118 hours

Learn all about the process technology industry, an in-demand, growing field

### WELDING

18 weeks \ 118 hours

Explore and practice the most common processes of joining metal to metal



## ADULT EDUCATION

**FREE**

### HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY/GED

No-cost individualized instruction in preparation to earn a GED

### ENGLISH FOR SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES (ESOL)

Learn and improve your English for work, school and life at no cost

### ESOL COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S (CDL) PERMIT

Learn the information and skills to pass the CDL permit test

### ESOL PARAPROFESSIONAL/SCHOOL AIDE

Learn about the public school system and prepare to assist in the classroom

## YOUR FUTURE AWAITS AT THE CENTER FOR WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Monroe 2-Orleans BOCES  
Center for Workforce Development

WEMOCO CTE Center  
3589 Big Ridge Road,  
Spencerport, NY 14559

(585) 348-9000

CWDinfo@monroe2boces.org

### The CWD Advantage

- Earn while you learn with a schedule that allows for work and class
- Be supported from enrollment to employment
- Work on employability skills such as building resumes and interviewing
- Network and connect with potential employers for in-demand jobs

Get started  
today!



www.monroe2boces.org/cwd



@BOCES2CWD

# ROC Your Job

## Youth Employment Event

Why wait until the summer to  
get a job?

10:00 am - 2:00 pm

October 18, 2025

- \* Learn about exciting career opportunities
- \* Sign up for afterschool jobs on site
- \* Bring birth certificate, Social Security card, work permit, most recent physical papers and report card
- \* Community vendors present to help

**MCC Downtown Campus  
High Falls Room  
321 State Street**

**Apply Today at  
[RocYourJob.com](http://RocYourJob.com)**

Call the Youth Bureau  
for more information  
753-6280



ADAM J. BELLO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



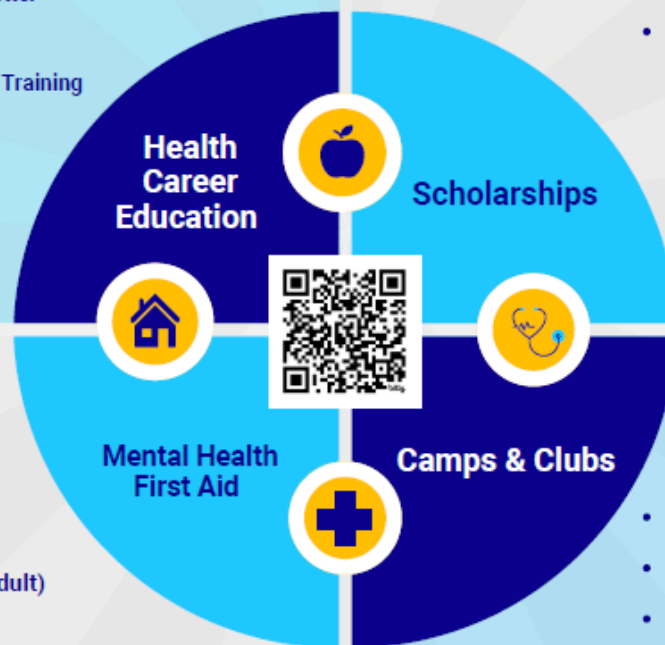
# WNY R-AHEC SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES



Improving the quality of healthcare in our region through workforce development, education, and resources.

- Career & Behavioral Health Presentations
- Monthly Career Newsletter
- Career Guide
- Career Fairs
- Career Shadowing
- Virtual Reality Medical Training
- Other Events & Presentations
- Discover Wellness Program

- Annual scholarships available to seniors pursuing a career in health care



- Teen MHFA
- Youth MHFA
- QPR (Youth & Adult)
- Resiliency

- In School & After School Clubs
- Summer & School Break Camps
- HCOP (Health Careers Opportunity Program)



For more information contact [info@r-ahec.org](mailto:info@r-ahec.org) | 585-786-6275

"Thank you for believing in me and giving me the confidence to soar beyond just a job, allowing me to find a career."  
-Amanda, Graduate

"My interest and decisions about college increased through college tours and presentations. As a result, I applied to more than 10 colleges and I have already been accepted into 5... It makes me so happy to think about how I came to Future Ready so far behind and that now I only need to finish two classes to graduate."  
-Liniaha, High School Senior

**Are you Future Ready?**

**Quick, Online Application:**  
[bit.ly/futureready-app](http://bit.ly/futureready-app)





**Contact Us**

EnCompass: Resources for Learning  
Future Ready Program  
16 Lake View Park  
Rochester, NY 14613  
585-505-3936  
futureready@e-success.org  
Learn More: [www.bit.ly/enc-FR](http://www.bit.ly/enc-FR)



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College & Career Preparedness  
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Learn More & Apply Today!  
Enrolling Teens Grades 6-12



## About Future Ready


Future Ready prepares middle and high school students for lifelong success in school, college, and career. Students in Future Ready receive year-round academic and navigation support as they develop job and life skills. Students work 1:1 with a Navigator to chart the college and career pathways that will make them Future Ready!



## Academic Success

Bright futures start with the foundations students need to succeed in school and graduate from high school:


- Academic Tutoring
- Regents Exam Prep
- Other Test Prep
- Experiential Learning
- Summer Learning & Enrichment




## Career & College Ready

Preparing for post-graduation success starts with the skills training, navigation support, and interactive experiences students need to be college and/or career-ready:

- Career Spotlights & Enrichments
- Networking Opportunities
- Future Ready Employment Education (FREE) Academy
- College Tours & Readiness Academy
- College Application and FAFSA planning



## How Students Benefit



## Navigation Support

Navigators are mentors and guides who meet with students regularly to:

- Develop & Implement Personal College & Career Plans
- Identify & Assess Academic Needs
- Coordinate Wraparound Services and Hands-On Career Exposures
- Arrange Work-Readiness Training and Job Placement

## What's New?

Future Ready is focused on providing unique and life-changing experiences:

- Cross-Community Activities as Part of "The Hive"
- Mystery Trips
- Student-Designed Spaces
- Local & Out-of-State College Tours
- Summer Career Immersions

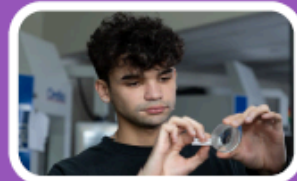
# The Optics Industry Needs YOU!

The optics industry is exploding locally, nationally and internationally. Optics is the backbone, driving cutting edge innovations in every sector of our economy: medical, environmental, manufacturing, communications, research, security and defense.

Come learn how you can become part of it!

## Monroe Community College Optical Systems Technology Program

- Nationally recognized
- Employer connections
- State-of-the-art lab facilities
- Industry experienced faculty
- Supported by state and federal grants



## Optics Spring Information Sessions

**When:** Thursdays, 6:30-8:00 PM

- January 8, 2026
- February 12, 2026
- March 12, 2026
- April 9, 2026

**Where:** Building 9, Room 9-132  
Monroe Community College  
1000 East Henrietta Road  
Rochester, NY 14623

**Parking:** Lot J Parking Permit & Map  
on the back of this flyer

**Questions:** [www.monroecc.edu/go/optics](http://www.monroecc.edu/go/optics)  
[optics@monroecc.edu](mailto:optics@monroecc.edu)  
(585) 292-2677

**Information to be covered:**

- Optics Industry & Careers
- MCC Optics Programs
- Financial Aid & Scholarships
- Application Process
- Lab Tours

**Register for a session:**



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# WILDLIFE ACTION CREW

Wildlife Action Crew is for teenagers interested in animals and conservation. Crews conduct a conservation case study, select an action that addresses the conservation issue, and create a campaign to promote their message. This is a six-week program that is offered multiple times throughout the school year.



**WHO**  
13- to 18-year-olds

**WHERE**  
Seneca Park Zoo

**WHEN**  
Wednesdays, 6-8 p.m.,  
for six weeks

**COST**  
\$57 for Zoo members  
\$62 for non-members

 Seneca Park Zoo



LEARN MORE



# ZooTeens

The ZooTeen program gives young adults the opportunity to work together with like-minded peers from around the region, as well as with the Seneca Park Zoo education team, to help educate the public about the animals in conservation care and the importance of saving animals from extinction.

 Seneca Park Zoo



LEARN MORE

## WHO

Any teen currently in grades 7-12

## WHERE

Seneca Park Zoo

## WHEN

Teens sign up for a minimum of 12 shifts over the six-week summer program in July & August. Shifts run 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. or 12:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. The program runs seven days a week and teens select the shifts that work for their schedule.

## REQUIREMENTS

Submit an online application: [senecaparkzoo.org/zooteens](http://senecaparkzoo.org/zooteens)

- Group interview for new ZooTeens
- Participation in training

## COST

There is a fee of \$125, due after acceptance into the program. Need-based scholarships are available upon request.

Questions?

585.336.7208

[zooteen@senecazoo.org](mailto:zooteen@senecazoo.org)

## Open Interviews at Seneca Park Zoo!

### **We're Hiring — Interview on the Spot!**

SSA Group at Seneca Park Zoo is hosting **open interviews** for individuals who are passionate about animals, conservation, and outstanding guest service. This is a great opportunity to meet our team, learn about available roles, and potentially receive an offer the same day.

#### Positions May Include:

- Guest Services & Admissions
- Food & Beverage Services
- Retail Sales & Services
- Seasonal & Part-Time Positions

#### Open Interview Details:


**Date:** \*\*\*\*Friday February 20th and Saturday February 21st

**Time:** \*\*\*\*10:30am to 2pm

**Location:** Seneca Park Zoo

2222 St. Paul Street, Rochester, NY

#### What to Bring:

- Resume (if available)
- A positive attitude and willingness to learn  Why Work at Seneca Park Zoo?
- Unique and exciting work environment
- Flexible schedules
- Opportunities for growth
- Support wildlife conservation and education

#### Who Should Attend?

- Team-oriented and reliable individuals
- Great communication and customer service skills
- Animal lovers and conservation supporters

#### Walk-Ins Welcome!

No appointment needed — just stop by during open interview hours!

Prepare for a future beyond the desk



# TradeUP

Looking beyond high school...  
Do you see yourself behind a desk?  
Or do you picture yourself out in the world...



Creating?



Building?



Helping?

A great career doesn't always start with college.  
Sometimes, the best path is learning a trade and getting to work.

**It pays to TradeUP.**



**Thursday,  
April 9th, 2026**



**6-7:30 p.m.**  
Sign in from 5:30-6 p.m.



**Professional Development  
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Spencerport, NY 14559



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**At TradeUP, explore how skilled trades can lead to high-demand, well-paying careers that fit your talents and interests.**

#### Event Features

- Explore how skilled trades can lead to high-demand, well-paying careers that fit your talents and interests.
- Hear from local experts in construction, manufacturing and healthcare about what makes skilled trades a valuable career choice.
- Connect with representatives about career training options, apprenticeships, union pathways, civil service opportunities, tuition assistance, and community services.

Find out more and register: [www.monroe2boces.org/TradeUP](http://www.monroe2boces.org/TradeUP)



# FUTURE ACCOUNTANTS START HERE

Explore college life and the accounting profession with NYSSCPA.

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**O**PPORTUNITIES  
**A**CCOUNTING  
**P**ROFESSION

COAP is a FREE program to introduce high school students to accounting and finance careers. You will meet successful business leaders and get need-to-know college tips right now.

COAP helps you explore what you can do in the accounting field. Plot your future as a chief financial officer, forensics investigator, data analyst, cybersecurity consultant, entertainment and sports agent, auditor or entrepreneur.

**Location:**  
**Rochester Institute  
of Technology**

**Date:**  
**May 29th - May 31st,  
2026**

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The Moynihan Scholarship Fund (MSF) sponsors the COAP program on college campuses across New York State. It is open to all regardless of race, color, national origin or sex.

INTERESTED? SCAN THE QR CODE TO COMPLETE THE PROGRAM REGISTRATION FORM.



LEARN MORE @ [NYSSCPA.ORG/COAP](https://nysscpa.org/coap)

# Together for Healthy Minds

Mental Health Forum for Parents and Caregivers

## We want to hear from you!

You are invited to join a panel of Behavioral Health experts offering a discussion on mental health topics in youth.

There will be 30 minutes of open discussion where we want to hear questions from you!



Scan to Register

*Limited Space Available!*

**Topic: Parenting Through a Mental Health Challenge**

**Date: April 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

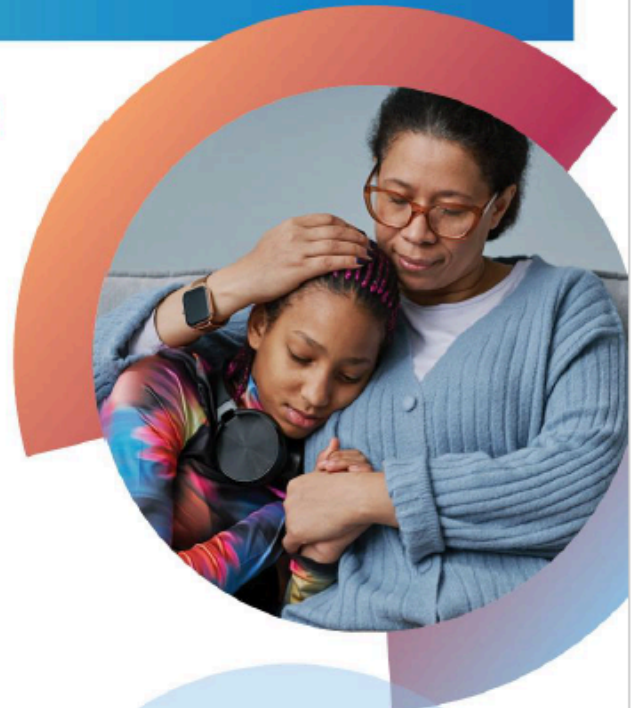
**Time: 5:30pm**

**Where: 45 Prince St. School of the Arts**

**Attendees will be entered to win a \$100 gift card!**

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REGIONAL HEALTH

BH-L25-0079





**LEADERSHIP**  
ROCHESTER

## LEADERSHIP ROCHESTER TEEN PROGRAM

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS  
FOR Spring 2026 COHORT

Emerging Leaders program establishes a cohort of 15-25 high school Teens who build leadership skills while connecting directly with a wide range of leaders across greater Rochester.  
**Spring 2026 Cohort starts Wednesday April 8th**



### Who should apply?

- Students in grades 9 – 12 in the greater Rochester region
- Open to all students across Monroe County and City of Rochester
- Demonstrates leadership potential (does not need to formally hold a leadership position)
- Open to strengthening themselves and their community through personal leadership development and service to others.

Visit [LeadershipRochester.org](https://LeadershipRochester.org) to learn more

Scan QR to Apply!





First Step to a  
**GREAT  
CAREER**

SUMMER  
**PUBLIC SAFETY**  
INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

**EARN**  
**\$17.81**  
**/HR.**

High School Graduates ages 17 - 25  
**Firefighter session:** JUL. 6 – AUG. 14 (ages 17 - 21)  
**911 session:** JUL. 20 – AUG. 14 (ages 17 - 25)



**APPLY BY APRIL 17**  
[CityofRochester.Gov/  
PublicSafetyInternship](http://CityofRochester.Gov/PublicSafetyInternship)



**WORKFORCE  
DEVELOPMENT**



Sign up and join us for a week of excitement and experience what it's like to be a Rochester Police Officer



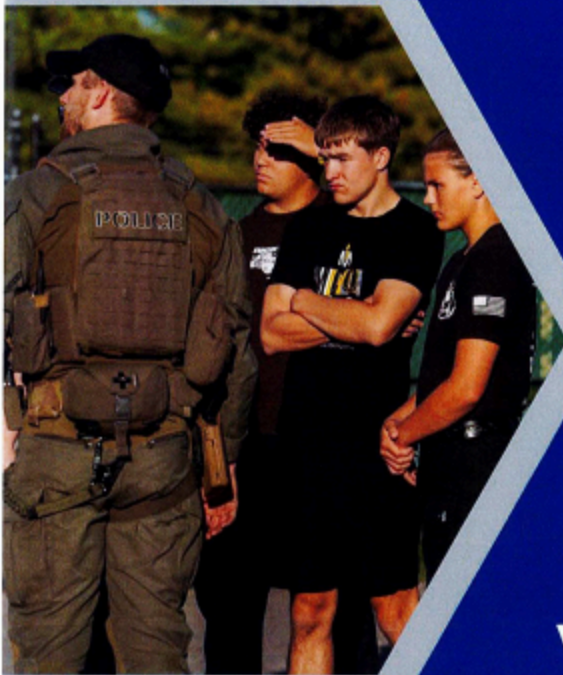
Applications for the Rochester Police Department's Teen Academy are available in your counseling offices

Dates:  
August 3rd, 2026 -  
August 7th, 2026  
8 am - 4 pm daily



Scan the QR code to get started.

Applications need to be handed to your respective Guidance Counselor by April 17th



# Exploring Post 655

The Rochester Police Explorers program is a volunteer opportunity for youth ages 14-18



Visit [JointheRPD.com](http://JointheRPD.com) to sign up today!

## LEARN ABOUT LAW ENFORCEMENT THROUGH

- ✓ Hands-on training
- ✓ Engagement with officers
- ✓ Community service opportunities

This program helps young people build leadership skills, strengthens community connections, and gain real-world insight into careers with the Rochester Police Department.



We meet every 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month 5-7 p.m.  
at the Public Safety Training Facility, 1190 Scottsville Rd.

**SUMMER YOUTH EMPLOYMENT- Deadline to apply- April 17**

Connecting youth to work experience across the City of Rochester and Monroe County.

**ROC YOUTH**  
EMPLOYMENT  
NETWORK

# PAID SUMMER WORK

**Gain work experience, earn money, and level up your future—all while school's out.**

Open to City of Rochester and Monroe County **youth ages 14 - 20**, currently in middle school, high school, or a TASC program.  
*(Class of 2026 graduates are eligible)*



**APPLICATIONS OPEN:**  
**Feb. 9 – April 17**



Scan the QR code or visit **ROCYouthEmployment.com** to sign up for your next work experience and learn more.

**NEW  
NAME!**

This program brings together the best of two programs—Summer of Opportunity (SOOP) and Summer Youth Employment (SYEP).



**CITY of ROCHESTER**  
Malik D. Evans, Mayor

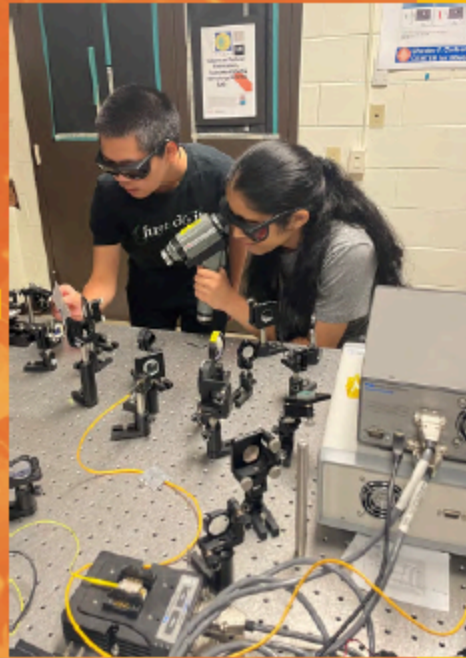


**Adam J. Bello**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

**RochesterWorks**



# RIT Imaging Science Summer Internship Program APPLY TODAY!



A paid immersive college research experience for rising high school seniors

### Details

**July 9 – August 14**

**9:00 AM – 5:00 PM**

54 Lomb Memorial Drive, Rochester, NY

[rit.edu/science/summer-intern-program](http://rit.edu/science/summer-intern-program)

### More information

Join us this summer for a six-week, 40-hour/day paid summer internship, working directly with an imaging science research team. Projects include cultural heritage imaging, machine learning, remote sensing, and other exciting imaging topics.

Visit our website or use the QR code to apply by March 13



# RIT



# Nex+Gen of Surger INTERNSHIP



Are you 16-18 and interested in a healthcare career?

Join our six-week summer program starting July 13, 2026 at URM Strong Memorial Hospital.

## Benefits:

- Paid Internship
- Earn Lifesaving Skills Certifications
- Personal Branding and Networking
- College Prep and Job Placement
- Shadowing in Surgical Divisions



## *Ready to Learn More!?*

### **RSVP and attend 1 Info Session:**



- **In Person**-Tuesday March 3 @ 5pm  
EnCompass | 16 Lakeview Park  
(Refreshments provided)



- **Zoom**-Tuesday March 10 @ 5:30pm



**Scan Above to RSVP**  
**Parents are welcome!**

Questions? Email:  
[ceho\\_surgery@urmc.rochester.edu](mailto:ceho_surgery@urmc.rochester.edu)



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# Pathways to Peace FRIDAY NIGHT CAREERS

(Story of a Side Hustle)

Take 2

Come for one night or all four — it's free, fun, and full of opportunities to explore what you love.

This four-part series is all about pulling back the curtain on some seriously cool careers—think coaching, robotics and automation, culinary, and nursing. Invest in yourself. Take a chance and do something unfamiliar and unplanned.

**FREE** Snacks and Transportation



FEBRUARY  
**20**  
5-7 P.M.

## Story of a Chef

with Master Lee's of Iron Chef Grill

**WHERE:** Iron Chef Grill, 250 E. Main St., Rochester, NY 14604 (The Commissary)



FEBRUARY  
**27**  
5-7 P.M.

## Story of a Nurse

with Tinisha Baxter BS, RN

**WHERE:** 57 Saint Paul Rochester, NY 14604 (Room 341)

Potential opportunity to get certified in CPR and First Aid



MAY  
**8**  
5-7 P.M.

## Story of a Robotic Process Automation (RPA) Developer

(speaker to be announced)

**WHERE:** (TBD).



MAY  
**15**  
5-7 P.M.

## Story of a Coach

with Terrell Cunningham and staff

**WHERE:** 164 Alexander St., Rochester, NY 14607 (James Monroe High School)

FEATURING A  
**3-on-3**  
basketball  
tournament



**RSVP HERE:**  
[forms.office.com/r/jchPK9daeU](https://forms.office.com/r/jchPK9daeU)

**Questions? Contact:**  
[Anthony.Dixon@CityofRochester.Gov](mailto:Anthony.Dixon@CityofRochester.Gov)



**CITY of ROCHESTER**  
Malik D. Evans, Mayor

**VIOLENCE  
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SUMMER  
POSITIONS**  
(SEASONAL)



**MONROE COUNTY**

- CAROUSEL OPERATOR**
- GOLF PROFESSIONAL**
- GOLF PRO SHOP/OUTSIDE OPERATIONS**
- GOLF SERVICES COORDINATOR**
- LABORER**
- LIFEGUARD**
- SNACK BAR ATTENDANT &  
BEVERAGE CART DRIVER**
- ZOO SERVICE ATTENDANT**



**APPLY NOW!**

[monroecountyjobs.org](https://monroecountyjobs.org)

**Looking for a job? Check out the RCSD Job Board for information on local businesses that are hiring:**

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/11oLGRPW1XDrdtSbLSR7bvEnGNy\\_1al-6ZLtdDoUKpmk/edit#gid=0](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/11oLGRPW1XDrdtSbLSR7bvEnGNy_1al-6ZLtdDoUKpmk/edit#gid=0)

## **HOW TO APPLY FOR A WORK PERMIT at SOTA:**

**<https://www.rcsdk12.org/domain/13307>**

**You will need three documents to apply for a work permit.**

- Application- Part I only completed and signed by parent or guardian**
- Proof of Age- birth certificate, learner's permit, license**
- Medical Form- must be completed by your doctor's office (or the school nurse if she has your physical on file at school), you can also use a copy of your most recent physical**
- The application and medical form can be accessed through the link above or there are copies in the counselor's offices and house offices.**

**When you have those three documents complete, you can bring them to the house office and the clerical staff can issue you a work permit. They usually have specific days and times they process work permits, so check with your house office clerical staff.**

# Resources for Social & Emotional Support

## WHO CAN HELP AT SOTA:



### School Counselors

Mr. Murphy - A179  
Mrs. Sirianni - A249  
Mrs. Rossette - A349  
Mrs. Kelly - A432  
Ms. Adams - A249  
Mrs. Everts - A423



### Social Workers/ School Psychologists

Mrs. Lindsey - A179  
Mrs. Gordon - A349  
Mrs. Johnson - A432  
Mr. Blumkin - M325  
Mr. Dingman - M332



### Community Organization Support

Caroline Cuyler - M151  
Ms. Nicki - 4<sup>th</sup> Fl House  
CFY Help Zone - M138  
Pathways to Peace - 4<sup>th</sup> Fl House  
Hillside - 2<sup>nd</sup> Fl House

\*Feel free to reach out to any staff member and they can help connect you to one of us!

## 24/7 HOTLINES FOR SUPPORT:

**Suicide & Crisis Support Lifeline:** Call or text 988

**The Trevor Project Hotline:** Call 1-866-488-7386 or text 'START' to 678-678 (LGBTQ+ safe hotline)

**The Center for Youth:** Call 585-271-7670

**Resource Services Hotline:** Call 211

**For life threatening crises or emergencies please call 911**

## Mental Health Crisis Hotlines

If you are experiencing a mental health crisis these resources are available 24/7 to provide immediate help!

### ❖ 211 Lifeline:

If you need assistance locating long-term mental health resources, talking through a problem, or exploring mental health treatment options, call 211 to speak with a live person who can help.

- 211 conversations are confidential, can be made anonymously, and are available in 180 languages upon request.
- If you prefer to text, use web chat, or search for resources online, click here to find more ways to contact [your local 211](#).

### ❖ 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline:

Dial 988 or 1-800-273-8255 for the <https://988lifeline.org/> . 988 has been designated as the new three-digit dialing code that will route callers to the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (now known as the 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline). When people call, text, or chat 988, they will be connected to trained counselors that are part of the existing Lifeline network. These trained counselors will listen, understand how their problems are affecting them, provide support, and connect them to resources if necessary.

❖ URM C Brighter Days Pediatric Mental Health Urgent Care Center-  
300 Crittenden Blvd., (585) 275-8686  
<https://www.urmc.rochester.edu/locations/mental-health-wellness-brighter-days-pediatric-urgent-care-center>