

Youth Programs



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MOTT COLLEGE COMMUNITY

Workforce Education
Center

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Teen CEO



- *This 7-week summer program provides Genesee County youth, ages 14-18, the opportunity to take a business idea and develop it into a business plan.*
- *Participants will also network with local business professionals for mentoring and job shadowing experiences.*
- *A ‘Showcase’ event will give the participant an opportunity to display their business and/business plan to friends, family, area business owners and the public.*
- *At the conclusion of the program, participants will have an understanding of what it takes to be a successful entrepreneur and have the potential to receive seed money to start their business.*

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Summer Youth Employment Initiative



(SYI) The SYI program is made possible through the generous support of the C.S. Mott Foundation, and the Genesee Regional Chamber of Commerce.

- ***The Youth Employment and Enrichment Program** provides youth various learning opportunities within two of the college's Community Technology Centers (CTCs) and Workforce Education Center (WEC.)*

Program includes:

- *Exposure to various computer and database programs and learn how to input data,*
- *assist CTC Site Coordinators in developing strategies to increase customer utilization of the CTCs,*
- *filing, customer service, answering phone and basic office etiquette,*
- *and assist with marketing and community outreach efforts.*



SYI *cont.*

- ***Parks and Campus Care Project-Kearsley Park*** is a collaborative effort between Mott Community College and the City of Flint Department of Parks and Recreation, designed to educate youth on various horticultural and environmental issues related to park/campus care and maintenance.

Program includes:

- *A “hands-on opportunity” to apply the program concepts learned in real environments,*
- *maintenance and upkeep of the park, bike trails, playground equipment and park pavilion, as well as eliminating graffiti throughout the park,*
- *beautification, including planting trees and flower beds,*
- *and giving the youth a sense of community pride and investment*



Youthbuild

Program Description

Youthbuild is an education, work readiness, and leadership training initiative for young adults. The Metro Flint Youthbuild program is coordinated by Metro Community Development with several community partners. As a partner in the program serving young adults (ages 18-24) in Genesee County, we assist by training and providing support needed for the following:

- *Credentialed-construction training (Construction)*
- *GED (Education)*

WIA Older Youth Program



The Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Older Youth Program is a federally funded program designed to improve the skills of our local workforce. The program specifically targets at-risk youth between the ages of 19 and 21 who are living in Genesee County.

The program assists participants in the following areas:

- *Skills enhancement*
- *Career exploration*
- *Connection with area resources*
- *Supportive services*