

JPPSS Students Participate in Summer CTE Internship

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Students from Jefferson, St Bernard, and St Charles Parishes participated in a 4 week pre-apprenticeship training program this summer. The program was provided by the Carpenters Training Fund of Louisiana (CTFLA). The training was conducted at the CTFLA facility in Metairie and students attended Monday through Friday from 7am to 3:30pm.

To be considered for the program, students were required to apply and were selected based on area of interest and attendance history during the school year, as well as behavior. In addition to workshop-based training in carpentry, the internship was designed to assist students with the development of employability skills and applied math related to the industry. In Jefferson Parish, students from both Bonnabel and East Jefferson High Schools participated in the internship.

Participation in the program allows students the opportunity to earn Jumpstart industry based credentials (IBC) in OSHA 10 and Carpenters International Training Fund (CITF) Core. Recognized pre-apprenticeship allows students direct entry into Registered Apprenticeship following graduation from high school. Graduates can put their new skills to work, earning a higher wage, while reducing the time needed to graduate from a post-secondary 4-year apprenticeship in carpentry.



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