

ICAN Start Working



A program of ICAN: Positive Programs for Youth, **ICAN Start Working** is designed to provide teens with a “bridge” between high school graduation and their future career. This includes employment placement; resume and interview training; and workplace opportunities at ICAN, as well as with partners in the community.



Program Structure Includes:

- Completing high school coursework
- Time management
- Resource management
- Leadership development
- Job application assistance
- Computer skills classes
- Resume development
- Transportation assistance
- Independent living skills
- Job training assistance
- Driver’s license assistance
- Financial aid application assistance
- Youth career scholarship assistance
- Aligning their skills and interests with meaningful employment

Program Goals:

- Develop leadership skills
- Develop and strengthen career competencies
- Provide networking and internship opportunities
- Engage local employers in preparing tomorrow’s workforce
- Create a pipeline of youth prepared for quality employment

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