

# CAREER CORNER: A QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE [APRIL]

## Employment Opportunities for Youth Ages 16-24

- Contact Workforce Solutions – Northline 713.692.7755 ext. 0 | [Northline@wrksolutions.com](mailto:Northline@wrksolutions.com)
  - Job search to get a job, keep a job, or get a better job (available year-round).
  - Train for a career in demand in a field that has a bright outlook for growth.
  - Obtain your GED, and/or find the funds for college.
  - Learn how to be on the path towards financial stability.

## Houston PREP – Summer Enrichment Program

- Houston PREP is an intensive mathematics-based pre-college enrichment program, which provides educational enrichment opportunities for high ability middle and high school students.
- Explore and prepare for careers in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics
- 7th, 8th, or 9th grade students who are high achieving and are interested in learning about engineering and science professions.
- **Deadline April 11, 2021** Complete the application form online [www.uhd.edu/prep](http://www.uhd.edu/prep)



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## Summer Earn & Learn- Pathway to Employment for Students with Disabilities

- Workplace Readiness training provided
- Supports and accommodations available
- Meet employers and learn of job openings
- Competitive Wages
- Contact Workforce Solutions at **832-681-2693 Ask about Summer Earn & Learn**

## FEMA Corps Applications are Now Open

<https://americorps.gov/serve/fit-finder/americorps-nccc/join>

- By serving in the FEMA Corps program, you get:
  - Basic expenses covered by AmeriCorps, including lodging and meals
  - Opportunities to travel all around the U.S.
  - A modest living stipend for personal expenses
  - An education award of \$6,345
  - Valuable leadership skills in emergency management
  - A foot in the door for employment with the federal government after service.

## Virtual Job Shadow - Interactive Career Exploration & Readiness

- FREE resource available to all middle and high school students
- More than 200 career profiles available
- Filter for careers by annual income, level of education required, industry sector, etc
- CHECK OUT OUR VJS Career Tip Tuesday video! <https://bit.ly/3bM68Xo>



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## Center Point Energy (FOR RECENTLY GRADUATED SENIORS)

- Job ID DIS00617- Helper- Electric Distribution
- Job ID DIS00606 – Helper-Electric Distribution, Transmission, & Major Underground
- [www.centerpointenergy.com/careers](http://www.centerpointenergy.com/careers)

## Sisters City of Houston- Youth Talent Show Case

- Students ages 13-18 years old
- Competition for poetry, prose, film, and photography
- Contact Kham Vargas, 832.818.3819, [kvargas@sistercitieshouston.org](mailto:kvargas@sistercitieshouston.org)
- More information at [www.sistercitiesinternational.org](http://www.sistercitiesinternational.org)
- **Deadline May 1, 2021**

## BEST OF CTE PATHWAYS- Video Competition

- Prizes will go to the top video submissions
- The competition is open to teams of up to 3 students
- Teams are responsible for supplying their own video equipment
- Contact your CTE teacher for more information.

