

What is YST@DLI?

The Youth Skills Training Program at the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry (YST@DLI) supports the development and implementation of experiential learning opportunities for students 16 and older. These locally developed programs are implemented in cooperation with employers and schools.

Youth Skills Training programs include paid part-time employment and related classroom instruction. YST programs are approved and monitored by DLI.

Program highlights

- High-growth, high-demand occupations.
- Local partnerships between employers and schools.
- Related classroom instruction.
- Paid learning opportunities for students 16 and older.
- Safe and meaningful work for youth.
- Program development and support through DLI.
- Grant funding for up to five YST@DLI pilot programs in amounts up to \$100,000.

Questions or more information?

YST@DLI on the web

www.dli.mn.gov/APPR/yst.asp

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