Knowledge is Power!

Youth Ambassadors for Peace is a program that encourages the youth, ages 16-24 in our community to finish High School or get your GED. Helping them apply for college or a vocational training in pursuit of a better future. As mentors we assist them with career exploration and the path that is needed to obtain their desired career. This is accomplished through various hands on workshops that are designed to prepare them for work, school and life in general. Once a career is chosen, an internship is arranged in the area of interest to the youth making them a valued member of their community. This then empowers them to make better decisions for themselves and their family.

Monterey County Youth Ambassadors for Peace Project

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YOUTH

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IS A PROGRAM OF THE
MONTEREY COUNTY
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
BOARD AND
DESIGNED TO REDIRECT AND
RE-ENGAGE
DISCONNECTED YOUTH IN
MONTEREY COUNTY



Creating a Community

Let us help YOU LEARN

Life Skills

- Creating monthly budget (personal money management)
- Cost of living
- Learn between wants/Needs
- Employability skills

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Resume
Writing
Skills
Customize
your resume
to the industry that you
are applying
for, chronological, a
functional,
combination
or a targeted

resume.



Higher Education

- How much will it cost?
- Do you qualify for Financial Aid? (FAFSA)
- What major is of interest to you?

Job Interview Skills

Conduct research on employer; review common interview questions & prepare responses; arrive on time for interview; make good first impressions



Who's eligible?

If you meet one <u>OR</u> more of the following eligibility guidelines, the Youth Ambassadors for Peace may be the perfect program to complete your education and start your career:

- In-School Youth or Out-ofschool Youth currently on probation
- If you are 16-24 years old
- Involved in the juvenile justice system OR have not attended secondary school for the most recent complete school year quarter
- Individuals with multiple barriers including academic truancy or criminal delinquency
- Youth that are disconnected from the education system
- At risk youth involved with gang affiliation/association



The Youth Ambassadors for Peace Program is designed to provide assistance toward the completion of young adults educational goals and the development of work skills leading to fulfilling employment.



- Internships
- Mentoring
- Leadership Training
- Vocational



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