

National Parks of New York Harbor

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Spend the summer working outdoors in your local National Parks by joining the Youth Conservation Corps



If you are a high school student between the ages of 15 and 18 who enjoys working outdoors with others and wants to help the National Park Service preserve the environment, then a position with the National Parks of New York Harbor (NPNH) Youth Conservation Corps (YCC) could be for you.

Job Description: NPNH is looking for highly motivated students ages 15-18 to work outdoors in locations throughout New York Harbor on a variety of weeklong environmental conservation and maintenance projects. Projects may include work in natural resource protection, maintenance of historic structures, displays or exhibits, light trail work, gardening, working with volunteers, etc.

Hourly Pay: \$7.25 per hour.

Work Schedule: Five days per week, seven hours per day (35 hours per week).

Employment Dates: July 2 – August 25, 2012.

Possible Work Locations: The national parks in your backyard include Gateway NRA, Statue of Liberty NM, Ellis Island, African Burial Ground NM, Governors Island NM, Federal Hall NM, General Grant NM, St. Paul's Church NHS, Hamilton Grange NM, Castle Clinton NM, Theodore Roosevelt Birthplace NHS, Lower Eastside Tenement Museum NHS (*an affiliate site of the National Park Service*).

Qualifications: Students must be able to work well in teams, follow directions, participate in education and environmental training, overnight trips and must work well with others. Students must have an interest in working outdoors, learning about history and building public speaking skills.

How to Apply: Download application from www.nps.gov/npnh/parkmgmt/npnh-student-employment.htm Send your completed application, with all supporting documents, via email by **Monday, April 30, 2012**.

For more information:

E-mail Youth Program Coordinator Ilyse Goldman at ilyse_goldman@nps.gov or call 646-372-8906

Key Requirements:

- Must be a U.S. citizen
- Must be 15 – 18 years old
- Must wear YCC uniform
- Travel for training/workshops
- Positive attitude
- Work well in a team

Travel expenses: Travel and MetroCards will be provided by NPNH.