

East New York Farms! Intern - That could be you!

Sustain your community
Learn about the FOOD you GROW
Become a LEADER and Join a TEAM



What do interns do??

- ◆ Work with a group, 2 or 3 days a week from spring through fall
- ◆ Learn about food and the environment, while growing organic vegetables
- ◆ Help run a community farmers market
- ◆ Develop responsibility and better communication skills throughout the year
- ◆ Help community gardeners within East New York
- ◆ Teach the public about green spaces and eating
- ◆ Make East New York a healthier place



Things to know before applying...

- ◆ You must be at least 13 years old by March 1, 2019, but you can't be older than 15
- ◆ You must be available 1-2 afternoons a week, plus half days on Saturdays, from late March through the end of November (4 in the summer)
- ◆ You need to be prepared to do hard PHYSICALLY DEMANDING work, outside in ALL TYPES of weather (heat, cold, rain etc) Staff will always be working with you =)
- * We will give you all the training you'll need—you just have to be **READY TO LEARN & WORK**



Why should you apply?

Gain valuable work experience that will help you become self – reliant, punctual and hold yourself accountable for your actions.

Connect with people in your community that are all working towards a common goal.
Meet peers your age from all over the US that are doing the same line of work.

Applications are DUE by 6pm, Wednesday February 13th
at United Community Center. 613 New Lots Avenue Brooklyn, NY,
11207

If you have any questions contact the Youth Program Director, Kevon
at Kevon@eastnewyorkfarms.org or call (718) 649-7979, x 28



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APPLICATION FOR FIRST YEAR INTERNS

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You MUST meet the following requirements to apply:

- You are 13 to 15 years old on March 1st, 2019
- You live or go to school in East New York, Brooklyn
- You are available to work 1 day after school and EVERY SATURDAY (8AM-12PM or 12PM-4PM shift)
- You can commit to participating from the time hired in March through the end of November

INSTRUCTIONS CHECKLIST

- Do your best on your application - Be honest - Fill out EVERY part of the application.
- Complete application yourself. Parents or another person cannot do it for you.
- Submit the application **IN PERSON** by **6pm Wednesday February 13th**, so that we can schedule an interview. Please do not mail, fax, or email it. Our office is open Monday - Friday from 10am - 6pm.
- You will be scheduled for an interview time and you must come to your scheduled time slot. Please schedule your time carefully!

All applications are due by 6PM, Wednesday February 13th, 2019.

CONTACT INFORMATION			
FULL NAME (FIRST AND LAST):		HOME PHONE:	
		CELL PHONE:	
ADDRESS: CITY, STATE, ZIP APT NUMBER:			
PERSONAL INFORMATION			
BIRTHDATE:		HOW OLD ARE YOU?	
SCHOOL NAME AND LOCATION		WHAT GRADE ARE YOU IN NOW?	
LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH YOU CAN SPEAK WELL:		LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH YOU CAN WRITE WELL:	
PARENT/GUARDIAN - NAME/PHONE			
PARENT/GUARDIAN 1		DAYTIME PHONE:	
PARENT/GUARDIAN 2			
RELATION TO YOU: (PARENT, GUARDIAN)		EVENING PHONE:	
HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT THIS INTERNSHIP?			
			HAVE YOU APPLIED BEFORE?
			Y / N

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A. INTERVIEWS

Interview dates will be given at the time that you drop off your application. The days for interviews will be between February 19th & February 23rd

B. PARENT PERMISSION

My child _____, has my permission to participate in the East New York Farms! Youth internship program if selected.

Print Name: _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Parents must sign in order for your application to be complete

C. WORK SCHEDULE

How will you get to the United Community Centers for work? _____

How long will it take you to get to here? _____

What time do you finish school? If you have any after-school activities, please write the times and dates.

Example: Monday: Finish school 2:40pm, Regents tutoring 3-4pm until March 29th

Tuesday _____

Wednesday _____

Thursday _____

Friday _____

Do you have regular Saturday activities like sports, church or others? What times/ Specific dates? Saturday _____

Aside from the listed activities above, are there any events that you have planned from February - November 2019 that we should know about?(Family vacations, Major school trips, Hobbies/interest that require time) Please think thoroughly.

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D. ESSAYS - FEEL FREE TO WRITE YOUR ANSWERS ON A SEPERATE SHEET OF PAPER.

Answer every question in the space below. This is your chance to tell us about you! We use this application, and your interview to decide who to select, **so take your time!** Please think carefully, and try to use all the space below - even if you aren't sure about a question, writing something is better than not answering. You may attach other sheets if needed.

1. Why do you want to apply for a position here at East New York Farms youth internship program?

2. What do you think are some challenges that may come with working as a intern in our youth program? How will you deal with those challenges?

3. Tell us about a time you've found it challenging to work with other people. It could be in school, at home, or some other experience. Describe while answering these questions. What happened? How did it make you feel? How do you feel about working with other people? How did you overcome these challenges?

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4. What are some of your strengths? How do you think you could use them to help other people?

5. If your friends or family had to describe your personality to someone who doesn't know you, what are three words they might use? Explain why you chose these words.