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# SUMMER 2026 IMPACT REPORT

## YOUTH BUILDING BOSTON'S FUTURE



CITY of BOSTON

Worker Empowerment

Youth Employment and Opportunity

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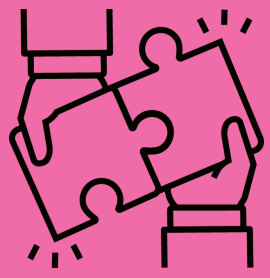
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# A SUMMER OF IMPACT

**275+**
**TOTAL PARTNERS**



**1,200+**
**WORK PERMITS ISSUED**



**130+**
**YOUTH SERVED DURING MOBILE ONBOARDING**



**4,000+**
**YOUTH ENGAGED DURING JOB FAIRS**



**4,000+**
**CAREER READINESS HOURS TRACKED**



**90%**
**OF YOUTH FEEL BETTER PREPARED TO ENTER A NEW JOB**



# A Summer of Impact

## YOUTH JOBS SUPPORTED ACROSS THE FUTUREBOS ECOSYSTEM IN SUMMER 2026

| FUTUREBOS INTERMEDIARIES | YOUTH HIRES |
|---|---|
| YEO (SuccessLink and Others) [1] | 6,003 |
| Boston Private Industry Council [2] | 2,709 |
| Other Ecosystem Partners [3] | 1,862 |
| **Total Youth Supported** | **10,574** |




1. Includes all SuccessLink-funded jobs at City agencies, Community-Based Organizations (CBO) Grant Partners, Immigrant Youth Advancement Program, and Summer Learn & Earn.
2. Includes all private sector internships and placements as well as CBO jobs funded through other sources. The PIC also supported CBO jobs funded by SuccessLink, as accounted for above.
3. Includes all other YouthWorks, MLK Scholars, YMCA, Boys & Girls Club, Youth Options Unlimited jobs and more.

# YOUTH BUILDING BOSTON'S FUTURE



## SPOTLIGHT ON: PHUONG

# YOUNG LEADERS, GREENER FUTURES

## SPOTLIGHT ON PHUONG, YOUTH CLIMATE CORPS WORKER AT PIERS PARK

For 15-year-old Phuong, a Boston Public Schools student, the water has always been a place to learn.

A longtime East Boston resident and summer jobs youth, Phuong first discovered sailing at Piers Park Sailing Center when she was 10 years old. She has returned to Piers Park every year since, seeing it as a place to learn, connect with peers, and do something she loves: being on the water.

Over the years, Phuong has built her sailing experience and now works as a Summer Youth Jobs Instructor Trainee, where she uses her skills every day to teach younger campers essential sailing skills - and is gaining paid, hands-on experience in environmental education, leadership, and climate change.

**A Day in the Life of an Environmental Education Youth Worker**

For Phuong and her peers, environmental education isn't an abstract concept they only encounter in a classroom. They experience it firsthand while working on the water at Piers Park Sailing Center.

Phuong's workday begins around 8:30 a.m. at the Piers Park dock, where she helps prepare the sailboats according to the day's wind conditions.

Once the campers arrive, she helps lead morning activities before joining a boat group and shadowing an instructor during the morning sail. In the afternoon, Phuong participates in training with her supervisor.




### ABOUT THE BOSTON YOUTH CLIMATE CORPS

The Boston Youth Climate Corps is a citywide initiative that lays the foundation for Boston's climate-ready workforce by integrating green-sector career pathways into Boston's youth employment program, futureBOS. Launched in 2025, the initiative integrates the City of Boston's climate goals into youth jobs programming by leveraging partnerships with youth employment organizations to expose young people aged 14-24 to green jobs that tackle climate resilience, sustainability, and environmental justice.

Phuong also helps welcome and support community organizations that visit Piers Park for sailing programs.

As an Instructor Trainee, Phuong is learning technical skills in sailing such as towing, navigation, heaving-to, and man-overboard procedures. She also helps educate younger campers to understand sailing and the environment around them.

The work gives Phuong an opportunity to build her environmental knowledge while strengthening her communication, teamwork, and sense of responsibility in a real-world setting.

**Shaping the Future**

Phuong's experience working at Piers Park has strengthened her leadership and teamwork skills.

Through her summer youth job, Phuong has become more comfortable meeting new people, collaborating with peers, teaching younger campers, and taking responsibility in challenging situations.

Phuong believes that young people should have more opportunities to participate directly in environmental work.



Through youth opportunities on futureBOS, young people continue to gain access to early career experiences in environmental work and beyond. These paid opportunities provide job training, career development, and valuable professional skills—helping young people build skills, explore career pathways, and lay the foundation for their futures.



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Artists For Humanity, Inc.
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BCYF Blackstone Community Center
BCYF Charlestown Community Center
BCYF City Hall Childcare
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Boston Public Library
Boston Public Schools
Boston Showstoppers
Boston Scores
Boston Youth Symphony Orchestras, Inc.
Boston's Higher Ground
Boys & Girls Club of Boston
BPD Act Up
BPD Bureau of Community Engagement
BPD C-6 Youth Leaders
BPD E-13
BPD East Coast School of Combined Martial Arts
BPD GROW
BPD HEAL BOSTON INC.
BPD Path to Purpose
BPD Planting Seeds
BPD We Belong Empowering Youth
BPD Youth Leading the Way
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City of Boston Election Department
Codman Academy Foundation
Commonwealth Zoological Corporation
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EBNHC- Eastie Coalition
EBNHC- Let's Get Movin'
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METCO: Metropolitan Council for Educational Opportunity
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Neighborhood of Affordable Housing Inc
New England Aquarium Corporation
Next Leadership Development Corporation
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