

# JUDICIAL YOUTH CORPS - SPRINGFIELD

## Paid Summer Internship - 2024

### Description:

The **Springfield Judicial Youth Corps (JYC)**, sponsored by the **Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts** and in cooperation with the **Massachusetts Bar Association**, is an educational summer internship that teaches students about the Massachusetts court system and rule of law. Students work in the courts four days a week in one of the **Hampden County court departments** and spend one full day in law-related educational sessions. Interns are taught and mentored by judges, lawyers, clerks, probation officers and other court personnel who volunteer their time in educational sessions or as work supervisors. Students participate in a mock trial, group discussions, and much more!

### Summer Session: Monday, July 8 – Friday, August 16, 2024

- Students will work in a courthouse four days a week, Monday through Thursday, with educational sessions on Fridays.
- Wage: \$15.00 per hour, 25 hours for six weeks.

### Student Requirements:

- **Must** be a high school student attending a Springfield public or private school located in Springfield.
- Current JUNIORS are preferred but grades 10 & 12 can also apply.
- Must be in good academic standing and have a good attendance record.
- Students must have a social security number to work in the court system.
- Must be available to work during the program dates for the summer session (July 8 - August 16, 2024).
- Five students will be funded through a grant from the Massachusetts Bar Foundation.
- All interviews will be held via Zoom during April school vacation week.



### 2024 Springfield JYC Application:

- Step 1: Complete the initial application form at this link: [Springfield JYC Application 2024](#)
- Step 2: Ask your recommender to submit a letter of recommendation to [SpringfieldJYC@gmail.com](mailto:SpringfieldJYC@gmail.com)

**Questions?** Please direct any questions to [SpringfieldJYC@gmail.com](mailto:SpringfieldJYC@gmail.com)



**DEADLINE: Thursday, March 28, 2024**