

FUTURE ENERGY JOBS ACT (FEJA)

Pre-Apprenticeship Program

Are you looking to kickstart your career in the energy field? Take the first step towards your future by applying to our Pre-Apprenticeship Scholarship Program today.

The Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO) is offering a FREE Pre-Apprenticeship program in Kankakee and Iroquois Counties designed to provide on the job training and essential trade skills.

Program offers:

- ✓ Full tuition coverage for eligible candidates
- ✓ Classroom instruction
- ✓ Industry-recognized certifications upon completion
- ✓ Mentorship and networking opportunities with industry professionals
- ✓ Job placement assistance and career counseling
- ✓ Stipend provided for those completing the program and Internship.
- ✓ Wrap-Around Services

Requirements:

- Completion of 300 hours of paid on-the-job training under the supervision of a mentor;
- At least 2 semesters of related instruction leading to an Industry Credential;
- Ongoing and a final assessment measuring success in mastering skill standards;

Upon successful completion, participants are encouraged to apply for entry-level employment, admission to a Registered Apprenticeship, admission to other articulated postsecondary education options (including 2- and 4-year programs) or entry into a USDOL Registered Apprenticeship program. Class Begins February 5th 2024

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Eligibility Criteria:

- To be considered for this scholarship program, applicants can be:
- Individuals who face barriers to employment, such as low educational attainment, low levels of literacy, and English language learners
- Persons with a (criminal) record
- Graduates of, or individuals currently enrolled in, the foster care system
- Individuals from Environmental Justice Communities
- Displaced Energy Workers

