

Youth Employment Considerations

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As school ends for summer break, our youngest workers look to earn money at summer jobs in a variety of municipal capacities. Employers must take into consideration federal labor laws designed to ensure that the experience is rewarding and safe.

Employers, parents, youth, and school officials are encouraged to use the many tools offered by the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL), including these resources:

- [7 Ways Employers Can Help Keep Young Workers Safe](#)
- [YouthRules website](#)

For more information, visit the U.S. DOL's [Wage and Hour Division website](#).

If you have questions or need clarification to avoid violations and costly penalties, contact:

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