



Summer Academy Resident Assistant Employment Opportunity!

Summer Academy for Students who are Blind or Visually Impaired Transitioning into Post-Secondary Education and Employment

Located at Penn State University – University Park Campus
State College, Pennsylvania

The Office of Vocational Rehabilitation/Bureau of Blindness and Visual Services (BBVS) Summer Academy Program is designed to offer high school age students with visual impairments an opportunity to develop their knowledge, experiences, and awareness as it relates to their future academic and employment goals. Students will participate in a week-long program on a college campus, where they will receive assessments, information, and educational experiences in various curriculum areas related to independent living, travel skills, vocational development, and assistive technology.

Resident Assistants (RAs) will be hired to provide direct support to students and staff during the program. Applicants need to be able to commit to staying on campus and in the dorm, as well as working the full length of the program.

Employment Dates:

RA Virtual Mandatory Training: May 23rd, 2023, 12:30p.m. – 4:30p.m.

RA Arrival and Onsite Training: Thursday, June 22nd, 2023

Program Dates: Saturday, June 24th – Friday, June 30th, 2023

The following positions are available:

- **20 Resident Assistants:** These positions pay a daily rate of \$150 and would be assigned to morning or evening shifts.
- **1 Resident Director:** This position pays a daily rate of \$200 and is required to work the evening shift.
- **1 Program Manager:** This position pays a daily rate of \$250 and is required to work the morning shift.

Housing, meals, and parking are provided

All employees will receive a paycheck via mail approximately 60 days from the end of the program.

If interested, please fill out the [2023 Summer Academy Employment Application](#) by 2/2/23.

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