

SCHOOL

Participants have a structured education experience, managing classes, work and study time. Students work or attend classes between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. on weekdays.

WORK I

Participants are assigned on-the-job training sites related to their field of study. These training sites provide supervisor instruction and invaluable work experience, so students are better prepared to enter the workforce after graduation.

COMPENSATION

Participants will receive a stipend starting at \$15 per hour. Whether they are at school or work, students will be paid for 40 hours per week.

ELIGIBILITY

Nontraditional Chickasaw students who meet the following requirements are encouraged to apply for the school-to-work program.

MEET AT LEAST ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

- Out of high school for four or more years
- First-generation college student*
- Single parent or guardian who has custody of one or more children under the age of 18*
- U.S. Military veteran status
- Have a documented disability

MEET ALL THE FOLLOWING:

- Chickasaw citizen
- 18 years old or older
- Possess a high school diploma or equivalent or a college transcript
- Valid driver's license
- Reliable transportation
- Be in good academic standing
- Enrolled (or accepted) into an accredited college or career technology center within the school-to-work service area*
- * For more information, visit Chickasaw.net/SchooltoWork

OTHER ADVANTAGES

- Receive 80 hours of paid time off annually
- Career counseling focused on the participant and their career
- Focused education planning
- Professional development
- Mentoring
- Establishing personalized goals for a successful transition from school into the workforce
- Application assistance for FAFSA, scholarships and grants
- Career advocacy experts will help with portfolios, interview preparation and job search after graduation





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The Chickasaw Nation School-to-Work Program serves Chickasaw citizens furthering their education.

Program participants can receive compensation while enrolled in a full-time college or vocational program and on-the-job training in specified degree fields. The school-to-work program supports personal and professional growth within its program participants while building a diverse Chickasaw Nation workforce.

Sincerely,

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