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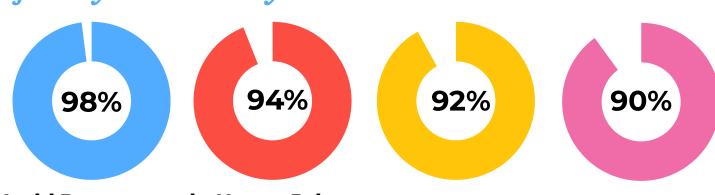
2024-2025 School Year Impact Report

The Office of Youth Employment & Opportunity works to employ, develop, and engage Boston's youth. We do this by exposing youth to the workforce and bridging opportunities for personal and professional growth.

YOUTH VOICES

At the close of the 2024–2025 School Year season, our office distributed a survey to over 2,000 youth to evaluate their experience and the program's impact.

Of the youth surveyed:



Would Recommend Have a Job the Program Reference

Feel Job-Ready

Have an Adult Mentor









"This program gives them the rare opportunity to do both: learn, create, and prepare for their futures while still earning an income. This program is truly lifechanging for so many young people." - SY 24-25 SuccessLink Employer Partner

IMPACT DURING THE 24-25 SEASON



TOTAL YOUTH HIRED



EMPLOYER PARTNERS



HOURS OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS

488

YOUTH **ACCESSED CAREER RESOURCES**

WEEKLY WELLNESS FORMS

Our office sent out 17 Weekly Wellness Forms to the youth enrolled in the program. With over 150 responses submitted, these forms helped track participants' job experiences and offered a space to share questions or concerns, enhancing communication with youth and ensuring ongoing support.

SITE VISITS

YEO's Engagement and Outreach team conducted 12 site visits, meeting with staff and youth at partner worksites. These visits gave the team a chance to observe youth employees in action and experience the employment programs firsthand.

EXPANDING OUR REACH

YEO's Career Development team improved resource accessibility by offering 12 bilingual workshop sessions of the Executive Functions workshop series in both Spanish and English.

> "During this school-year program, not only have I gained skills that I wouldn't be able to learn in school, but I have also learned how to be a better overall person in communicating, working, and assisting." - SY 24-25 SuccessLink Youth Employee