

Teen Mentorship Program

Do you know a teen with a learning difference who wants to enter the workforce or apply to post-secondary education but needs support and guidance?

RISE TEAM is designed for teens ages 15-21. It includes **one-to-one** explicit **academic** and **workplace** skills-based **instruction** and a practical, **paid work opportunity** at LDS.

- Develop employment documents (resume, cover letters).
- Identify, apply, and interview for employment opportunities.
- Learn communication skills, time management and financial literacy.
- Receive mentorship and leadership training.
- Complete a paid work experience.
- Program fees are on a generous sliding scale based on household income.



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RISE TEAM was a huge stepping stone in my life. Now I know what to put down on a resume. I've built my confidence, and now I know 'I can do that.' I'm not backing down from challenges. I wouldn't be the person I am today without LDS.

17-year-old RISE TEAM student

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