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## Jobs available!

Urban Farm Summer Youth Program

*Crew Workers and Crew Leaders*

Work Hard

Grow Food

Grow Community



**Hours of work will be Tuesday-Thursday afternoons and Friday Mornings from July 3rd - August 10th**  
Applications are available on our website at [www.vinesgardens.org](http://www.vinesgardens.org) or call us for a hard copy: **205-8108**  
Fill out the application completely and bring it to our open house on **May 15th** or **May 17th** at 6pm at the Urban Farm at 16 Tudor st. A parent or guardian is encouraged to attend with you. See application for program eligibility and details.

The **VINES Summer Youth Employment** program provides selected youth an opportunity to learn job skills and grow food in the City of Binghamton. In 2012, VINES will hire 14 youth to work at the Urban Farm, located at 16 Tudor St, for 6 weeks in July and August.

During our summer program, youth employees will help **grow, harvest, and sell** vegetables, learn customer service **skills**, assist with daily farm tasks, **prepare** healthy meals, **teach** other youth, and **participate** in weekly workshops on topics such as hunger, sustainable agriculture, resume writing, and interview skills.



### Program Benefits

- **A regular paycheck!** See application for wages
- **Community and friendship:** Interact with and build friendships with a diverse group of youth
- **Challenge:** take on skills that will help you in high school, college and beyond
- **Service:** Make a difference for people in your community
- **Personal development:** learn new skills from farming to public speaking and leadership
- BC transit **bus pass** provided for your commute to work

