

READY2WORK DIGITAL BADGE



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WHAT IS IT?

The Ready2Work Digital Badge is awarded to youth aged 16-24 years old who:

- Participate in the Alberta Youth Employment Incentive (AYE Incentive)
- Complete at least 200 hours of work with an employer and,
- Demonstrate **all six** foundational employability skills: communication, teamwork, problem solving, adaptability, time management and professionalism.



HOW IT WORKS

Steps to Get Started:

- 1 Hire a youth between the ages of 16 and 24 through the Alberta Youth Employment Incentive.
- 2 The youth employee completes a minimum of 200 hours of work.
- 3 Submit a declaration confirming the number of hours worked and complete the CAREERS Skills Assessment for the youth. The skills assessment determines eligibility, and each skill must be verified to pass.
- 4 If the youth employee is eligible, they will receive an email from CAREERS to complete the CanCred Ready2Work Digital Badge application.
- 5 Youth employees can share their digital badge on their social media profiles and digital resumé to validate their employability skills and experience.

YOUR PARTICIPATION HIGHLIGHTS YOUR COMMITMENT TO HIRING, TRAINING AND SUPPORTING ALBERTA'S CURRENT AND FUTURE WORKFORCE.

