



## Jacobs Creek Job Corps Civilian Conservation Center



Jacobs Creek Job Corps Civilian Conservation Center is located in Bristol, Tennessee, in the dense, tranquil woods of the Cherokee National Forest. The 33-acre rural campus is a perfect setting for students to focus on building bright futures for themselves and just a short drive from the Bristol Motor Speedway.

### Benefits

- ✓ Free to eligible men and women ages 16 through 24
- ✓ Free housing, meals, and basic medical care
- ✓ Earn your high school diploma or GED
- ✓ State certified apprenticeship programs
- ✓ Hands-on training in high-growth industries
- ✓ Advanced career vocational training
- ✓ Take college-level classes while living on center
- ✓ Opportunity to gain career federal government employment
- ✓ Upon graduation, secure a job with good pay and benefits, be placed in an apprenticeship, join the military, or advance to higher education

### Career Technical Training

- ✓ Office Administration
- ✓ Health Care (OTP)
- ✓ Union Bricklaying
- ✓ Union Carpentry
- ✓ Union Cement Masonry
- ✓ Union Heavy Construction Equipment Mechanic
- ✓ Union Heavy Construction Equipment Operations
- ✓ Union Painting
- ✓ Welding

### Additional Training Opportunities

- ✓ Wilderness Discovery Certification program
- ✓ Wildland Firefighter Certification
- ✓ Wildland Firefighting Camp Crew Certification
- ✓ Train as a first responder during local, state, and national disasters

### By the Numbers

**Students: 111**  
**Federal Employees: 50**  
**Contract Employees: 9**  
**Average Center Budget: \$4.5-6M**  
**April 30, 2021 Center Rank:**  
**16 of 117**  
**April 30, 2021 Graduate**  
**Placement Rank: 4 of 117**





## Work-Based Learning Partnerships

Jacobs Creek Job Corps works closely with partners to create “earn while you learn” opportunities, provide career ladder opportunities, and promote a culture of employment through collaboration with:

- Vertical Access Solutions
- Youth Connect Program
- U.S. Forest Service

## Advanced Career Training

Advanced Career Training (ACT) is an advanced college-level program. Students in ACT get the benefit of continuing to live on campus while taking courses for a college degree.

## Student Programs & Organizations

- **Drivers Education:** Driver's Education is available to all students needing their driver's license. Permits and licensing fees for students are paid for by the center.
- **Living Allowance:** Cash living allowance paid twice a month.
- **Recreation Activities:** Arts & Crafts, Basketball, Bowling, Games, Movies, Outings, Softball, and Video Games.
- **Student Government Association:** The Student Government Association (SGA) is the voice of our students in center operations.
- **Community Service:** Volunteer opportunities that align with a student's career pathway, such as building new playgrounds, patching up sidewalks, or cleaning up parks.

## Graduate Benefits

- Connect with a network of employers and community leaders.
- Personal plan with a step-by-step process for entering the workforce.
- For 12 months after graduation, counselors will help you look for a job.
- Transition allowance of up to \$1,000 to assist you with transportation, housing services and job placement.

## Contact

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