



FRANKLIN VANCE WARREN
OPPORTUNITY Inc



YouthBuild Program

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Program Application 2023-2024

Application Checklist

This checklist will be filled out by the YouthBuild staff, but please use it to make sure that you have completed all requirements.

Part 1:

- Completed Application Date Received: _____
- Essay

Part 2:

- TABE Test Date Taken: _____
- Interview Date: _____
- Drug Screen (done during Mental Toughness)
- Eligibility/ Required Documentation

Part 3:

- Information Session
- Acceptance/Rejection Letter Sent Date: _____
- All Components Completed Date: _____

Applicant Name: _____

Franklin-Vance-Warren Opportunity, Inc. YouthBuild is an Equal Opportunity Affirmative Action Employer; auxiliary aids are available upon request to individuals with disabilities with proper notice.

Background Form

First Name: _____
Last Name: _____
Street Address: _____
Street Address: _____
City: _____
State: _____
Zip Code: _____
Telephone 1: _____
Circle One: Cell Phone Home Phone Other
Telephone 2: _____
Circle One: Cell Phone Home Phone Other
Email: _____

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Program Status

Application Received: _____
Student Status: _____
Status Date: _____
Program Cycle: _____
Cycle Start Date: _____
Cycle End Date: _____
Grant Cycle Name: _____
Entered into WebSTA? __ Yes __ No

Student's Cohort: _____

Personal Characteristics

Gender: ____ Female ____ Male
Date of Birth: _____
Social Security Number: _____

Ethnicity: *(write 1 for primary ethnicity and 2 for secondary ethnicity)*

____ Asian American/ Pacific Islander
____ Black/ African American
____ Hispanic/Latin American
____ Native American
____ Caucasian
____ Multiracial

Primary Language: *(write 1 for primary language and 2 for secondary language)*

____ English ____ Chinese ____ Khmer ____ Lao ____ Russian
____ Spanish ____ Vietnamese ____ Creole ____ Korean ____ Portuguese
____ Arabic ____ Slavic ____ Somali ____ Cape Verdean
____ Other _____

U.S. Citizen: Yes No

Marital Status: (choose one)

____ Never Married
____ Married
____ Divorced
____ Separated
____ Widowed

Annual Household Income: (choose one)

- ___ None
- ___ \$1-\$10,000
- ___ \$10,001- \$20,000
- ___ \$20,001-\$30,000
- ___ \$30,001-\$40,000
- ___ \$40,001 and above

Type of Housing: (choose one)

- ___ Public Housing
- ___ House/Apartment
- ___ Homeless
- ___ Homeless Shelter
- ___ Halfway House
- ___ Group Home
- ___ Other _____

Personal History

Highest Grade Completed: (choose one)

- ___ 6th
- ___ 7th
- ___ 8th
- ___ 9th
- ___ 10th
- ___ 11th
- ___ 12th

Office Use Only – TABE Scores Date Administered _____ Reading _____ Spelling _____ Applied Math _____ Vocabulary _____ Language Mechanics _____ Language _____

Do you already have your GED? Yes No If yes, date received _____

Do you already have your high school diploma? Yes No If yes, date received _____

Current Employment Status

(choose one)

- ___ Employed: Full-Time Date most recent job ended _____
- ___ Employed: Part-Time Hourly Wage _____
- ___ Unemployed: Looking Hours worked per week _____
- ___ Unemployed: Not Looking
- ___ Other _____

Do you have medical benefits through this job? Yes No Don't Know

Do you have any construction experience? Yes No

Dependence and Public Assistance

Do you live by yourself? Yes No

Do you live with your parents (either mother, father, or both)? Yes No

Do you have any dependents? Yes No

If you have dependents, how many do you have? _____

Do you live with children (brothers, sisters, nieces, nephews, etc.)? Yes No

Do you live with your own child or children? Yes No

If you live with children, how many children do you live with? _____

What is the oldest child's date of birth _____

The youngest child's date of birth _____

Do you receive public assistance? Yes No

Does anyone you live with receive public assistance?

Yes No

Are you a foster child? Yes No

Were you a foster child who aged out of foster care?

Yes No

Criminal Justice History

Please answer the following questions honestly.

Have you ever been arrested? Yes No

Do you currently have a case pending? Yes No

Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor? Yes No

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes No

Have you ever been in a juvenile detention facility? Yes No

If yes, what was the length of your incarceration? _____ years _____ months

Have you ever been in an adult correctional facility? Yes No

If yes, what was the length of your incarceration? _____ years _____ months

Have you ever been on probation? Yes No

Have you ever been on parole? Yes No

Have you ever lost your voting rights? Yes No

Substance Abuse History

Do you have a history of alcohol abuse? Yes No

If yes, are you currently undergoing substance abuse treatment Yes _____ No

Have you ever had substance abuse treatment? Yes No

Are you currently using any of the following substances?

Marijuana Yes No

Cocaine Yes No

Heroin Yes No

Other illegal substances? Yes _____ No

If yes, are you currently undergoing substance abuse treatment? Yes No

Have you ever had substance abuse treatment? Yes No

Referral for YouthBuild Program

How did you learn of the YouthBuild Program? (Check all that apply)

Community Agency _____ Probation Officer _____

Family Member _____ Friend _____

Advertisement _____ Other _____

If you chose a Community Agency, which Agency was it? _____

(Please also share the case manager's contact information)

If you choose Other, please explain how you found out about YouthBuild. _____

Essay

Please choose **ONE** of the following topics and write an essay, at least one page in length (please use the space provided on the next page). **TRY YOUR BEST** but **please remember we are not judging this essay on grammar, spelling, or writing ability.** We are simply looking for **your best effort** and **sincere thoughts.**

Topics

1. Why do you believe that YouthBuild is the right program for you?
2. Having a clear and realistic career goal is an important step in the YouthBuild Program. Please explain what your career goals are and the necessary steps you will take while in the YouthBuild Program to achieve them.
3. What is one thing that you wish you could do differently, and why?

Which Essay question did you choose to write about? # _____
