

# Little Flame, Big Flame - Summer Youth Program Overview

Northern Michigan Firewood Company (NMFC) proudly offers a paid summer program for local teens that combines skill-building, real earnings, and direct community impact.

- Participants make and sell eco-friendly candles at farmers markets.
- Teens are paid \$12/hour for production shifts and booth work.
- Proceeds fund heating assistance for seniors and low-income households in our region.
- Youth learn small business operations, storytelling, and public engagement.

## PROGRAM DATES:

June - August

- 2 weekday production shifts (~2 hours each)
- 1 Saturday booth shift (4 hours)
- Total: ~8 hours/week, fully supervised

## WHAT TO EXPECT:

- Safe, non-toxic materials and guided instruction
- Weekly impact tracking and reflection
- All earnings are transparent and purposeful
- This is a public-facing, high-trust program for motivated youth

Year 1 is limited to 2 youth to ensure strong mentorship and meaningful involvement.

## Contact:

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Applications open soon. Help your child earn, learn, and make a real difference.