



Federal Wage Subsidies for Co-op and Intern Student Hiring

The federal government encourages hiring of work-integrated learning students through the [Student Work Placement Program](#).

Employers are eligible to receive **wage subsidies of 50 to 70% or up to \$7,000** to hire Co-operative Education and Internship students. There are some restrictions.

The subsidy is managed through various, sector-specific Employer Delivery Partners (EDPs). The Partners are all sector-specific. We suggest you contact the [Ontario Chambers of Commerce](#) for their TOP program which is targeting all employment sectors and students from all study disciplines. Significantly, this means that students in the liberal arts can be employed and supported through these subsidies.

EDPs otherwise can be found for many sectors such as

[Environment](#) [Tourism](#) [Mining](#) [Agriculture](#) [Media](#)
[Technology](#) [Aviation](#) [Manufacturing](#) [BioSciences](#) [Culture](#)
[Entrepreneurs](#) [Logistics](#) [Food](#) [High-growth](#) [Electric Power](#)

Contact our office for more details.

Redeemer's **Career Centre** has developed extensive experience with supporting employers through this subsidy program. Reach us for guidance and assistance.

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