

Interested in **ARCHITECTURE, CONSTRUCTION** or **ENGINEERING**?



**ACE MENTOR PROGRAM**  
ARCHITECTURE • CONSTRUCTION • ENGINEERING



# Why Join ACE?

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS

16 sessions • January–May 2021  
Tuesday & Thursday teams: 4:30–5:30 pm  
Wednesday teams: 6:00–7:00 pm

### Are you interested in... ?

- Architecture
- Construction Management
- Engineering
- Art
- Design
- Math
- Environmental Sustainability
- Management
- Inventing
- Building things
- Shops/Metals
- Being creative
- Negotiating
- Being part of a team
- Working with your hands
- Figuring out how things work

### What do students have to say about ACE?

“ACE has opened up **new doors and opportunities** for me that I otherwise would never have dreamed of.”

“[ACE] helped me have a better idea of what I want to do in life.”

“[ACE] gave me a much more hands on experience than I ever received in the classroom. ... I’ll use the skills I’ve gained in this program throughout my life.”

Questions? Email [ace@portlandworkforcealliance.org](mailto:ace@portlandworkforcealliance.org)

### EXPLORE ARCHITECTURE, CONSTRUCTION & ENGINEERING

- Get mentoring & career advice from practicing professionals
- Design a building project from start to finish
- Connect what you learn in school to real life careers
- Find out if Architecture, Construction Management, or Engineering is for you

### FREE AFTER-SCHOOL MENTORING

- Meets once a week for 16 weeks
- Perfect for high school seniors & juniors
- No extra homework
- No prior experience necessary
- TriMet passes available for students with transportation barriers related to financial need

### LEARN MARKETABLE SKILLS

- Gain leadership experience
- Work collaboratively as part of a team
- Practice problem-solving and negotiating
- Exercise your creativity
- Learn how to network
- Improve your communication skills – graphics, presentations, and public speaking

### PREPARE FOR YOUR FUTURE

- Create a project that you can use in a college portfolio
- Network with your mentors & students from other schools
- Learn skills & information that will put you ahead of your peers
- Gain experience & professional references that you can use on your resume
- High school seniors can apply for college scholarships