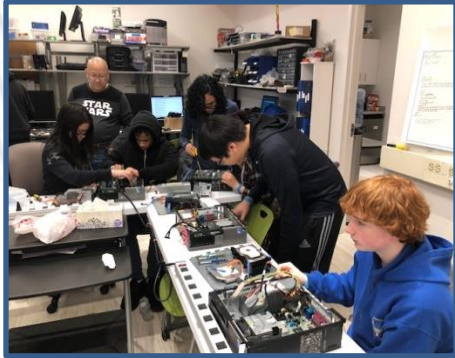


# SQUARE TECH EMPOWERS YOUTH WITH THE TECHNICAL SKILLS NEEDED FOR THEIR FUTURE AND COMMUNITY.

Students will gain knowledge of jobs in the entry-level IT fields while making lasting friendships and becoming leaders within their community.



Square Tech Is a Training Program with a paid internship that recruits High School youth in 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> grades between ages of 16 – 19. This tech-based youth training program engineers a foundation of learning and developing skills through a series of technology and business based training workshops. Our young training interns are learning skills to become successful in the technology field while building lasting friendships with their peers and adults.

## College Level Course at Benjamin Franklin Institute

Through our Square Tech Training Program, you can take a Google IT Support Professional Class virtually at BFIT, earn a stipend, and upon completion can receive your Google IT support certificate and even college credit.

Hosted on Coursera, the program consists of five courses that cover key topics in IT support; they are Troubleshooting, Customer Service, Networking, System Administration, Security and Operating Systems.

Students will also hear from google employees with unique background and perspectives. Students gain exclusive access to interview and resume prep resources in Google's private completer community on Coursera. Students will also be able to search for open roles on the Completer Community Job board.

The internship will be virtual three days a week (days TBD) from 4-6pm and will begin the week of January 25, 2021 and end on May 14, 2021. This is a 16 week internship.

Those who complete the program can choose to have their info sent to a consortium of leading employers who have agreed to consider google certificate holders.



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