



"The Rising Stars Program has taught me to never put limits on my abilities, strive for a better future, and always take in every opportunity because one day you'll get the position of your dreams."

~ **Ronald Need**
Construction Site Superintendent
Urban Eco Spaces
(Brooklyn, NY Graduate)

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- 1 **I'm not sure if I'm interested in construction as a career path. Can I still join the Rising Stars Program?**
Of course! All curious students are welcome to join. Our goal is to provide an expanded view of the trades industry. Just bring your enthusiasm!
- 2 **How much does it cost to participate in Rising Stars?**
The program is free! With the generous support of Tremco CPG and more than 15 sponsors, we are able to share this program at no cost. Transportation support is also available to students.
- 3 **How long has the Rising Stars Program been around?**
Since its launch in August 2020, the Rising Stars Program has had more than 60 graduates.



To join Rising Stars or for general inquiries,
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ABOUT

THE PROGRAM

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The Rising Stars Program provides interested youth ages 16-24 with dedicated career support, mentorship and industry exposure to sustainable careers within the construction industry.

By cultivating a steady pipeline of skilled workers for in-demand trades, the Rising Stars Program bridges the skills gap for underrepresented youth while providing employers with a qualified workforce.

PROGRAM LOCATIONS

A nationally renowned program, Rising Stars is offered in five cities across the United States.

- Boston, Massachusetts
- Brooklyn, New York
- Charlotte, North Carolina
- Cleveland, Ohio
- Newark, New Jersey



CURRICULUM

AT A GLANCE

Led by industry professionals, our 16-session curriculum includes a mix of educational sessions and hands-on training. It exposes students to many facets of the construction industry, such as roofing, carpentry, building science, architecture, sustainability and project management.

EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS INCLUDE:

- The Fundamentals of Green Building
- Connection Between Climate Change & High-Performance Buildings
- Using Modular Construction to Limit Waste & Build Faster
- Professional Development Series
- Capstone Projects & Team Challenges



Students are placed with one of many participating employers, where they have the opportunity to network with and work alongside experienced trade professionals. These connections can even lead to a variety of job opportunities!

