



Summer Internship Application

HELLO STUDENTS!

Thank you for your interest in the Innovate 120 UX Design High School Internship. We are very excited to offer an educational experience that not only teaches the principles of creating an optimal digital user experience, but also connects high school students with leaders in UX design and some of their clients who have a worldwide business presence. Those who are selected for this internship will not only finish with a basic understanding of UX design, but with greater confidence in strategic thinking, collaborative work, and interpersonal communication skills. This is not only a learning experience, it is a job - a paid internship position wherein the skills required to deliver assigned products to clients will be developed from the onset. If selected, you will begin the six-week internship from June 16-July 24, 2025, working 9 am-2 pm, Monday through Thursday (20 hours per week). This internship pays \$12 per hour. All needed equipment and supplies will be provided for you and all sessions will meet at the Innovate 120 workspace, located at 120 S. Main Street, Maquoketa (in the historic former bank building).

Innovate 120 is looking for students who are motivated to learn and engage in activities that likely stretch them beyond their typical zone of learning comfort. We are also eager to learn from your own digital user experiences to assist you with how to first identify potential areas of opportunities for improvement through a solution-focused approach. Unlike many other summer internships in high school, we are keenly interested in those students who are curious, want to develop skills to take on big challenges. We look closely at your current ambitions and life circumstances when deciding on participant selection. We do not require that you have experience in UX design. In fact, that is what sets this high school internship program apart from the rest - such opportunities are more typically at the college level and require experience to be considered.

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TO APPLY: Visit our website and complete the form by April 12, 2025.
www.innovate120.org/ux-apply

ANNOUNCEMENT: We will announce the selection of our internship cohort by May 1, 2025 via email.