



Development with a difference

Teacher Summer Experience Program

Our flagship 35-year program is now virtual and still going strong. Your teams work with teachers on paid summer projects and come together to share those experiences with students, while your employees serve as company and career ambassadors

The Main Elements

In 1985, our founders realized that the best way to help students learn new skills was to support their teachers. That's why we've helped hundreds of companies create thousands of paid summer projects for all types of teachers through the years. These hands-on experiences bring new skills to the classroom and are rewarding for the teachers, their students... and your teams.

Our 8-week Teacher Summer Experiences include:

- Company projects identified by your teams and completed by a teacher
- Teachers interviewed and matched for team fit
- Work completed virtually or in person
- Active collaboration with your teams
- Lesson plans developed by teachers to share experiences and new skills with their students

After the summer, employees build your brand by visiting classes for activities, experiments, and discussions with students. These employees become role models and company ambassadors who actively strengthen your community relationships and talent pipelines.

Program Benefits

Collaborating with teachers is a rewarding development experience for your employees. Teams benefit by:

- Developing key skills, including people management, project management, listening, coaching, and collaboration
- Leveraging teachers' diverse and unique skillsets, backgrounds, and perspectives
- Helping teachers and students understand critical career, technical, and workplace skills and why they're important
- Giving back to the community and sharing their career experiences with students

Projects can be hosted by any team and a sample of previous [in person projects](#) and [virtual projects](#) are posted on the Ignited website.

Getting Started

To get started, we'll schedule a short call to discuss the program, including some potential projects your teams could host.

To set up a 30-minute call, contact Jeff Schmidt at jeff@ignitededucation.org

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