

TEEN WORKERS LAWS

What do you really know about teen health and safety on the job?

Read each statement below and fill in the blank on the left with a "T" if you believe the statement is true, or an "F" if you believe the statement is false.

- _____ 1. Teens that are 14 or 15 are not allowed to cook or bake on the job.
- _____ 2. Sixteen year olds are allowed to work roofing, mining, and meat packing jobs.
- _____ 3. If you are 14 or 15, you are not allowed to work past 7 PM from Labor Day - June 1.
- _____ 4. If you are 14 or 15, you are not allowed to work more than 3 hours a day on school days unless you are in a work-study program.
- _____ 5. If you are 14 or 15, your employer may require you to work while on a ladder.
- _____ 6. It is legal to have workers who are 14 & 15 years old, load and unload trucks, railroad cars, & conveyors.
- _____ 7. If you are 16 or 17, you can drive a motor vehicle as a regular part of the job, such as pizza delivery.
- _____ 8. If you are 14 or 15, you are allowed to work in warehouses.
- _____ 9. It is illegal for your employer to fire or punish you for reporting a work place problem.
- _____ 10. The maximum number of hours 14 or 15 year olds can work per week while school is in session is 25 hours (excluding teens in work-study programs.)



Check out your answers by reading the following page about Teen Health and Safety on the Job.

