Everyone has a role to play when it comes to confronting climate change. The Community Climate Collaborative (C3) catalyzes climate action through collaboration, programs, and advocacy. We work closely with schools, businesses, households, and local governments to reduce carbon emissions, develop climate action plans, and enact equitable policies that accelerate climate action and build climate leaders. We use a positive, solutions-oriented approach and strive to be a model for other cities and counties throughout the Commonwealth.

Many area youth are often left out of conversations about climate change and the impact it will have on their families and their futures. While C3 has successfully developed content for elementary students around climate and energy, older students still need content to help them understand climate change and its potential impacts on their lives and their neighborhoods. To address this, we have developed climate and energy content for older students who have an interest in climate change.

We are seeking high school students for a Fall 2024 paid internship to begin on September 23rd and end on December 13th. Rising 10th - 12th graders are encouraged to apply.

**Teen Intern**

The C3 Operations Manager is looking for students who want to take part in the workings of a local climate nonprofit. The intern will learn and complete activities in the following areas: Development, Communications, Policy, and Corporate Sustainability. We will help:

- Translate the overwhelming problem of climate change into measurable, tangible concepts around climate and energy, allowing youth to identify
and understand solutions.

● Empower youth to identify skills with which they can take action for climate solutions.
● Practice persuasive communication skills while learning about local policy topics and community solutions.

Position Information

● Must be able to commit to the position for the entire semester
● This position reports to C3’s Operations Manager.
● This position requires a weekly commitment of 5 hours per week.
● Must be able to meet at least one hour per week on a weekly basis between the hours of 9 am - 5 pm.
● This position will be hybrid with in-person and remote work.
● The hourly wage is $15.00 an hour.

To apply, please submit a letter of interest and a reference letter from a community-based organization to sarah@theclimatecollaborative.org by September 3rd, 2024.