CONSTRUCTION CAREER PATHWAYS

18 YEARS OLD

DRIVERS LICENSE
(preferred by most)

LEGAL TO WORK IN THE U.S.

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR GED

PHYSICALLY FIT

MATH & READING PROFICIENCY

COMMON TO ALL TRADES

LICENSSED TRADES

• Trade school can be helpful yet not always necessary
• Exams and assessments are given specific to each of the licensed trades
• Applications are taken on an as needed basis (see individual trade websites)

PLUMBER

SPRINKLER FITTER

HVAC INSTALLER-TECHNICIAN

PIPFITTER / STEAMFITTER

CONSTRUCTION ELECTRICIAN

ELECTRICIAN LINE WORKER

UNLICENSED TRADES

• Applications are always being taken
• Hired by company first
• Apprenticeships are 3-4 years (4,000-8,000 hours / many require formal training at JATC)

CARPENTER

BRICKLAYER

FLOOR COVERER

SIGN & DISPLAY

TAPER & FINISHER

TERRAZZO

LABORER & TENDER

LATHER

MILLWRIGHT

PAINTER

PLASTERER

TILE SETTER & TILE FINISHER

ROOFER & WATERPROOFER

GLAZIER / GLASSWORKER

CEMENT MASON / CONCRETE FINISHER

LOW VOLTAGE / LIMITED ENERGY INSTALLER-TECHNICIAN

(A Power Limited Technician license is required to become a Technician)

SPECIALTY TRADES

• Applications are taken on an as needed basis (see individual trade websites)
• All jobs are through the union hall (except operating engineer – may apply with contractors)

BOILERMAKER

ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTOR

IRONWORKER

OPERATING ENGINEER

PILE DRIVER

SHEET METAL WORKER

HEAT & FROST INSULATOR

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