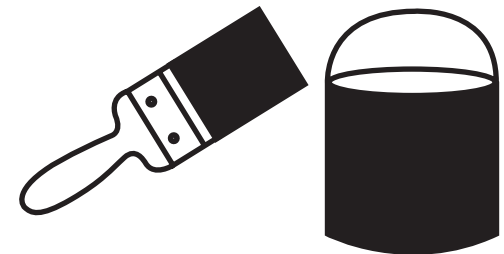
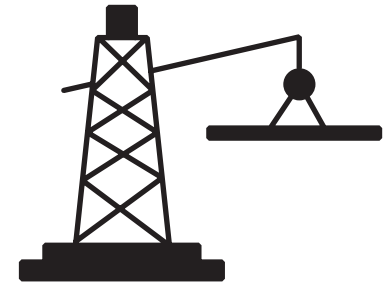
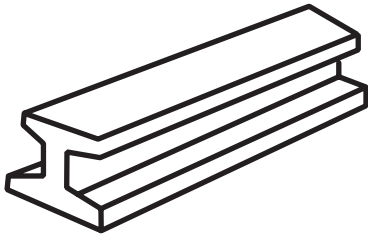
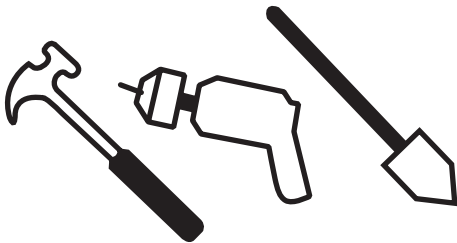
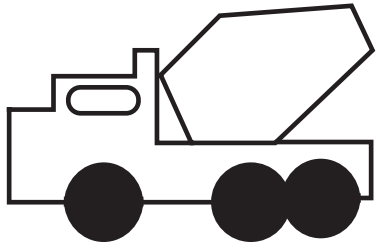


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SO YOU'RE THINKING ABOUT A CAREER IN THE CONSTRUCTION TRADES?

Been hearing about all of the new freeway expansion, convention center, port projects, and upcoming school projects coming to San Diego? Well, you've come to the right place. In this booklet, you'll find information on each trade, their entry requirements, and who to contact to apply for the apprenticeship program. Requirements may change. Contact your local apprenticeship coordinator to receive the most current information.

This is a project of the San Diego County Building and Construction Trades Council and the Center on Policy Initiatives (CPI), which advocate for the creation of middle class construction jobs on public works projects for disadvantaged communities.

For more information on the San Diego County Building and Construction Trades Council or to download a copy of the booklet please visit:
SDBuildingTrades.com

Please more information on CPI and its work in support of construction careers please visit:
OnlineCPI.org

JOB MATCHER

WHAT YOU NEED	CAREERS																					
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
High school diploma or GED		●		●	●	●	●	●			●	●		●	●	●	●			●	●	●
Reliable Transportation	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Driver's License	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
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18+ years	●	●	●			●		●	●		●	●			●	●					●	
Math Pre-requisites				●	●	●	●				●	●										

ALL TRADES REQUIRE...

- workers to be physically able to do the work as required.

- have a social security card, U.S. birth certificate, or other proof of eligibility to work in the United States.

1.



HEAT & FROST INSULATORS AND ALLIED WORKERS

DESCRIPTION:

Applying thermal insulation to pipes, ducts, boilers, vessels etc., throughout the commercial and industrial industries. Also performing abatement of asbestos, lead, other hazardous materials and fire stopping.

Applications are given out the 1st Monday of each month at 8:00 am.

CONTACT:

Tony Magallanes,
Heat&Frost Insulators Local 5
670 E. Foothill Blvd., Unit 3
Azusa, CA 91702

(626) 334-6884 | awlocal5.com

2.



BOILERMAKERS

DESCRIPTION:

Fabricate, erect and repair systems and components throughout the commercial and industrial sector of the power generation, pollution control, petro-chemical, steel, pulp & paper, ship repair, mining, storage tanks, towers & pressure vessels, cement and other related industries.

Applications are available the 1st Wednesday of each month.

CONTACT:

Jay Rojo (Coordinator),
Boilermakers Local 92
2260 Riverside Ave.
Bloomington, CA 92316

(909) 877-9382 | boilermakerslocal92.com

3.



BRICKLAYERS & ALLIED CRAFTS

DESCRIPTION:

Bricklayers/Stonemasons build with masonry materials, bricks, blocks, stone and marble.

CONTACT:

Pete Camarda
BAC Local 4 Apprenticeship
11818 Clark St., Suite B
Arcadia, CA 91006

(626) 429-2841 or (626) 856-5750 (L.A.)
www.bac4ca.org

4.



TILE, MARBLE & TERRAZZO LAYERS

DESCRIPTION:

Preparation and installation of tile, marble, and terrazzo.

CONTACT:

Wayne McAdam (Coordinator), Local 18
Tile Industry J.A.C.
9730 E. Garvey Ave.
South El Monte, CA 91733

(626) 329-0850 or (626) 329-0850
www.tileunion.org

5.



ELECTRICIANS

DESCRIPTION:

Apprentices perform all aspects of electrical/telecommunication wire tasks in commercial, industrial and residential construction; electrical students attend class one day every other week.

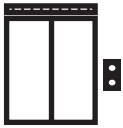
Information and applications may be downloaded from website, and submitted with required documentation in person every Wednesday between 2:00 pm and 4:00 pm, or by appointment.

CONTACT:

San Diego Electrical Training Center
4675 Viewridge Avenue
San Diego, CA 92123

(858) 569-6633 | positivelyelectric.org

6.



ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTORS

DESCRIPTION:

Elevator Constructors install, maintain, and repair passenger and freight elevators, escalators, dumbwaiters and moving sidewalks.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Consent to a post-offer pre-hire medical exam

CONTACT:

Frank A. Belio Jr.
IUEC Local 18
4636 Mission Gorge Place, Suite 204
San Diego, CA 92120

(619) 280-6024 | iueclocal18.org

7.



OPERATING ENGINEERS

DESCRIPTION:

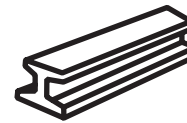
Operating Engineers operate heavy construction equipment, such as bulldozers, scrapers, cranes, concrete pumps, pile drivers, and drilling equipment. They also perform safety and quality inspections.

CONTACT:

George Heatherington
Local 12
4811 Viewridge Avenue
San Diego, CA 92123

(858) 427-8788 | www.oett.net

8.



IRONWORKERS

DESCRIPTION:

Ironworkers are employed in four related segments of the trade: #1 Structural Ironworker: Assembles, erects and installs fabricated iron parts to form the skeleton of industrial, commercial and large residential buildings. #2 Reinforcing Ironworker: Fabricates and places steel bars in concrete forms to reinforce structures such as buildings, freeways, bridges, drainage channels and commercial structures. #3 Ornamental Ironworker: Installs metal stairways, catwalks, gratings, iron ladders, doors, gates, fences, platforms, railings and other finishes in the construction of large commercial, industrial and residential buildings. #4 Riggers and Machine Mover: Loads, unloads, and moves machinery equipment in the construction and maintenance of industrial plants and precast concrete structures.

CONTACT:

Mike Peterson
Local 229
5155 Mercury Point
San Diego, CA 92111

(858) 505-9414 | local229.org

9.



LABORERS

DESCRIPTION:

Apprentices learn core construction skills then select electives from major industry segments: highway construction, environmental remediation (all types), and building construction. Course offerings span a variety of specialty skills such as pipeline, tunneling, asphalt, concrete, lead and asbestos abatement, radiation remediation, and even foreman training.

CONTACT:

Sergio Machado
Local 89
4161 Home Avenue
San Diego, CA 92105

(619) 250-9049 | local89.org

10.



GLAZING, FLOOR COVERING & PAINTING

DESCRIPTION:

Glazing requires the use of hand tools, electric drills, electric metal saws and glass polishing equipment. Requires blueprint reading and layout work, handling, cutting and processing glass of all sizes. Work is at various heights on ladders, scaffolds and swinging stages. Floor covering apprentices learn to prepare subflooring and install new resilient flooring, and carpet installation. Painting includes the preparation of surfaces and the applications of paint, varnish, enamel, lacquer and similar materials to wood, metal or masonry buildings. Paint may be applied with a brush, spray gun, or roller. Painters also mix pigments, oils and other ingredients to obtain the required color and consistency. They work on floors, walls, ceilings and equipment inside and outside buildings.

CONTACT:

Luis Soberanes
District Council 36
8250 Ronson Road
San Diego, CA 92111
(858) 874-8519 | dc36.org

11.



PLUMBERS & PIPEFITTERS

DESCRIPTION:

All aspects of plumbing and pipefitting for commercial, industrial and residential construction.

Applications are accepted Monday thru Thursday 8am to 4pm.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Oral Interviews

CONTACT:

Caryn Bateman
Local 230
6225 Federal Blvd.
San Diego, CA 92115

(619) 262-7589 | ualocal230.org

12.



ROAD SPRINKLERFITTERS

DESCRIPTION:

The principle function of a sprinklerfitter is the installation of fire protection systems. This includes underground supply piping, which is connected to an integrated overhead piping system for suppression of fire. Safety is first and foremost; therefore you will be trained in the care and proper use of tools and equipment. These will range from pipe wrenches and pipe threading machines to welding equipment and man lifts.

Applications are accepted Monday thru Thursday 8am to 4pm.

CONTACT:

Shawn Broadrick
Local 669
7050 Oakland Mills Road, Suite 200
Columbia, MD 21046
(410) 381-4300 or (760) 952-1669
sprinklerfitters669.org

13.



CEMENT MASONS

DESCRIPTION:

Cement Masons finish concrete surfaces of floors, walls, streets, driveways, sidewalks, curbs and gutters and set forms and screeds for all of the above. They also assist in the preparation and grading for pouring and removal of old concrete. And they operate troweling machines and grinders.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

- 16 years or older (need guardian's signature if 16 or 17 to work)

CONTACT:

Armando Pena
Local 500
1807 Robinson Ave., Suite 206
San Diego, CA 92103
(626) 367-4710
cementmasonslocal500.org

14.



PLASTERERS

DESCRIPTION:

Program provides knowledge, skills and techniques required for the plastering industry. Skills include: applications of scratch and brown coats on interior and exterior surfaces; application of finish coat; maintenance and operation of equipment, machine applied fire proofing, plaster and acoustic materials.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

- 17 years or older (w/parental consent)

CONTACT:

Local 200
3737 Camino del Rio South, Ste. 202
San Diego, CA 92108

(619) 640-0031 or (909) 865-1773
plastererslocal200.org

15.



ROOFERS, WATERPROOFERS

DESCRIPTION:

Installation of various types of roofing systems, to include built up roofing hot and cold-applied, PVC, TPO, EPDM single-ply roofing, ridge roofing to include metal, shingles and tile roofing. Different types of membrane & fluid applied waterproofing below and above grade.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Must be 18 years of age
- Must have reliable transportation

CONTACT:

Paul Colmenero
3737 Camino del Rio South, Suite 202
San Diego, CA 92108

(619) 516-0192 | unionroofers.com

16.



SHEET METAL WORKERS

DESCRIPTION:

Sheet metal workers lay out, cut form, fabricate, assemble and install sheet metal items such as ducts, blowers, gutters, downspouts, flashings and skylights in building construction. They also perform alterations for heating, ventilating and air conditioning. This trade works from blue prints, lays out the work, cuts the metal, forms the metal, then welds, bolts, rivets and solders as required.

You may come in person on either the 1st or 3rd Thursday of each month or complete the application online.

CONTACT:

Chris Caricato
Local 206
4594 Mission Gorge Place
San Diego, CA 92120

(619) 265-2758 | smwlocal206.org

17.



TEAMSTERS

DESCRIPTION:

Driving rock trucks, water trucks, flatbeds, semi tractor and dump trucks.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Clean driving record
- 21 years or older

CONTACT:

Teamsters 36
4626 Mercury Street
San Diego, CA 92111
(858) 292-7344
Teamsterslocal36@gmail.com

18.



LANDSCAPE & IRRIGATION FITTER

DESCRIPTION:

Landscape & Irrigation Fitter apprentices are proficient in the following work processes: layout, installation and testing of piping and control wiring of all irrigation systems; layout, installation and testing of drainage, catch basins, pumps, storage tanks and area drains; operation, care and use and maintenance of all hand tools, power tools, and construction equipment related to the trade; layout installation and establishment of plants, tree shrubs, ground covers, turf and plant identification.

CONTACT:

UA Local 345
1430 Huntington Drive
Duarte, CA 91010

(626) 301-0531 | ua345.org

19.



PLASTER TENDER

DESCRIPTION:

Tending plasterers in all aspects of trade on cement, stucco, interior plaster, exterior insulation finish systems and fireproofing operations. Pump set up, operation and maintenance; scaffold building; mix ratios and material preparation skills are learned.

CONTACT:

Jon P. Preciado
Local 1414
1055 W. Second Street
Pomona, CA 91766

909-622-8500

20.



PIPELINE PIPEFITTERS

DESCRIPTION:

A variety of welding processes are used in performing welding operations for pipelines. Work may include rigging operations and Computer Aided Design CAD functions.

Application accepted 1st & 3rd Thursday each month from 1pm to 3pm.

CONTACT:

UA Local 250
18355 South Figueroa Street
Gardena, CA 90248

(310) 660-0035 | UA250.org

21.



HIGHWAY & STREET STRIPERS & HORIZONTAL DRILLER

DESCRIPTION:

Pavement maintenance of striping, road slurry, seal coat and horizontal drilling.

CONTACT:

Pavement Stripers & Highway Maintenance
Apprenticeship
Laborers' Local 1184
1074 East La Cadena Drive, Suite 9
Riverside, CA 92507

(951) 248-4341 | SoCalStriping.com

22.

ASBESTOS, LEAD AND TOXIC ABATEMENT LABORER

DESCRIPTION:

Abatement of hazardous waste, lead and asbestos in Southern California.

CONTACT:

Sergio Rascon
Busienss Manager
2005 W. Pico Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90006
(213) 385-3550