



Saskatchewan Apprenticeship

Carpenter Trade Information

Description

Carpenters construct, renovate and repair buildings and structures made of wood and other materials.

Entrance Requirements for Apprenticeship Training

Individuals must be working in the trade and under the supervision of a certified tradesperson.

Employers usually prefer to hire workers who have completed Grade 12. Academic requirements for entry into this trade are no longer related to high school grade level. High school completion will ensure entry into the trade. Individuals who have not completed Grade 12 should contact the Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission for an assessment of their qualifications.

Training Information

It takes four years, including a total of 1800 hours of technical training and on-the-job experience each year, for an apprentice to complete training in the carpenter trade.

There are four levels of technical training for Carpenter:

First year:	7 weeks
Second year:	7 weeks
Third year:	7 weeks
Fourth year:	7 weeks

Training for carpenters is delivered at SIAST Palliser Campus in Moose Jaw and at SIAST Woodland Campus in Prince Albert. To graduate from the apprenticeship program, an apprentice must successfully complete the required technical training and compile enough on-the-job experience to total at least 1800 hours.

Prior to contacting the training institution, all applicants must register with the nearest Apprenticeship office or by e-mail at Apprenticeship@sasked.gov.sk.ca.

Interprovincial "Red Seal" certification is available in the carpenter trade.

On The Job

For more information about working conditions, wages, and employment trends in Saskatchewan, access the information available on the following web site: www.saskapprenticeship.ca

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