Boost your earnings potential

Pierce County Schools
Preparationg Construction Workers

- Bates Technical College
  www.bates.ctc.edu
- Clover Park Technical College
  www.cptc.edu
- Pacific Lutheran University
  www.plu.edu
- Pierce College—Fort Steilacoom and Pierce College—Puyallup
  www.pierce.ctc.edu
- Tacoma Community College
  www.tacomacc.edu
- University of Puget Sound
  www.ups.edu
- University of Washington Tacoma
  www.tacoma.uw.edu

Explore available apprenticeships at
www.lni.wa.gov/apprenticeship

Did you know?

Pierce County’s construction industry is projected to grow by more than 1,300 jobs per year between now and 2023.

Many construction employers offer on-the-job training.

Construction industry wages are higher than the average wage in the Pierce County area.

Your Career in Construction

Learn more at workforce-central.org/pathways

Sources:
## Careers in Construction

### Design/Pre-Construction
- Design and plan construction projects

### Maintenance/Operations
- Keep systems operational in finished buildings and other infrastructure

### Jobs in Construction
- **Area**
  - Complete tasks related to creating or updating buildings (residential and commercial) and infrastructure
- **Construction**
  - Brickmasons and Blockmasons
  - Carpenters
  - Carpet Installers
  - Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers
  - Construction and Related Workers, All Other
  - Construction Laborers
  - Construction Managers
  - Drywall and Ceiling Tile Installers
  - Electricians
  - Fence Erectors
  - First-line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers
  - Glaziers
  - Helpers-Carpenters
  - Helpers-Electricians
  - Helpers-Painters, Paperhangers, Plasterers and Stucco Masons
  - Helpers-Pipelayers, Plumbers, Pipefitters and Steamfitters
  - Insulation Workers, Floor, Ceiling and Wall
  - Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators
  - Painters, Construction and Maintenance
  - Pavers, Surfacing and Tamping Equipment Operators
  - Pipelayers
  - Plasterers and Stucco Masons
  - Plumbers, Pipefitters and Steamfitters
  - Reinforcing Iron and Rebar Workers
  - Roofers
  - Sheet Metal Workers
  - Structural Iron and Steel Workers
  - Tapers
  - Terrazzo Workers and Finishers
  - Workers
- **Median Pay Range**
  - $27,600 to $87,300
- **Design/Pre-Construction**
  - $50,700 to $83,000
- **Maintenance/Operations**
  - $44,500 to $80,700

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