

Construction Craft Laborer Apprenticeship

The Schuster Construction Craft Laborer Apprenticeship is a two year program. Each year will comprise of 144 hours of classroom instruction and 2,000 hours of on-the-job training. Participants that successfully complete the program will receive a nationally recognized credential from the Department of Labor.

Job Description:

A construction craft laborer performs task involving physical labor at buildings, highways, and heavy construction projects. They may operate hand and power tools of all types such as air hammers, cement mixers, small mechanical hoist, and a variety of other equipment and instruments. They may clean and prepare sites, dig trenches, set braces to support the sides of excavations, erect scaffolding, and assist other craft workers.

Requirements:

- Must be at least 18 years of age (Must provide a birth certificate, driver's license, or selective service card)
- Must have high school diploma, GED equivalent or proof of enrollment in GED program
- Must be able to complete basic math functions
- Must have reliable transportation
- Must be able to pass substance abuse screening

Regular/Typical job duties:

- Clean up, move materials
- Mix concrete or cement
- Collect hand and power tools
- Drive stakes, set lines, etc.
- Help strip forms
- Hammering and working with power saws and power drills.

Regular/Typical physical motion requirements (i.e. regular kneeling and bending, etc.):

- Carry tools and materials
- Sweep floors
- Shovel rocks, dirt and debris
- Frequent kneeling and bending
- Carry weight up to 50 lbs.

Classroom Instruction:

Classroom instruction will take place Mondays at the Cherry Hill Warehouse at 1600 Cherry Hill Rd in Baltimore, Maryland. Topics will include construction safety (OSHA 10), mathematics, power tools, blueprint reading, rigging, and more.