

A photograph of a carpenter wearing a black hard hat and safety glasses, working on a wooden structure. The carpenter is wearing a light-colored t-shirt and a black watch. The background shows a construction site with wooden beams, a blue building, and palm trees under a blue sky with clouds. A dark green diagonal shape is overlaid on the bottom left of the image.

Carpenters

Trade Summary - Carpenters measure, saw, level and nail wood and other building materials. They install tile and insulation, acoustical ceiling, cabinets, siding and much more. They work with many tools and materials to build houses, erect skyscrapers, construct bridges, tunnels and highways. Carpenters make up the largest single group of skilled workers in the country. Work includes rough and finish carpentry, forms for concrete work and many other specialties.

The typical workday for a carpenter begins early. He/she is often on the job site with a tool box before daybreak and he/she is hard at work before the sun is high in the sky. Much of the work is outdoors, but modern construction methods have eased the problems of the summer's heat and the winter's cold. The average carpenter usually wears a hard hat, tough, durable work clothes and safety shoes or sturdy high-top shoes.

High School Diploma or GED	Reliable Transportation	Valid Driver's License	Written Exam	Pass a Drug Test	18+ Years	WorkKeys Scores	Pay Range	Length of Program
X	X		X	X	X	Applied Mathematics: 5 Graphic Literacy: 5 Workplace Documents: 5	High: \$34.55 Median: \$21.45 Low: \$12.81	4 Year Apprenticeship

Required Documents

- Birth Certificate
- Social Security Card
- Picture Identification
- DD214 (if applicable)

Occupations Within Union

- Carpenters (General)
- Floor Coverers
- Interior Systems
- Lathers
- Residential & Framing

Open Enrollment Dates:

Accepting applications every Wednesday between 9:00am-12pm

Birth Certificate, SS Card and photo ID required to apply

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Territories Covered: tri-cities and Northern lower peninsula

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