

A man wearing a yellow hard hat and safety glasses is looking down at a tablet computer. He is wearing a dark blue jacket over a plaid shirt. The background shows industrial equipment with various gauges and pipes. The text "Operating Engineers" is overlaid in a large, orange, serif font. A dark blue diagonal shape is in the bottom left corner.

Operating Engineers

Trade Summary - Operating Engineers operate and maintain heavy and portable construction equipment. Work includes operation and maintenance of construction equipment such as bulldozers, graders and cranes, scrapers, end-loaders, and asphalt plants, rollers and pumps, etc., on all types of projects - highway, commercial, industrial, residential, underground, etc. The Operating Engineer is generally employed in the building of highways, airports, buildings, waterways, stadiums and sewers.

Operators work outdoors and their work is often seasonal. The equipment they operate can have open cabs such as pavers and roller compactors or crane and truck cabs that may have heating and air conditioning.

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		Applied Mathematics: 3 Graphic Literacy: 4 Workplace Documents: 4	High: \$32.64 Median: \$23.62 Low: \$16.29	3 years/6,000 hours Heavy Equipment Operator Civil and Hoisting 4 years/8,000 hours Heavy Equipment Technician

Required Documents

- *An official high school diploma, official high school transcript or GED*
- *Valid Michigan Driver's License*
- *Acceptable WorkKeys test level scores*
(Tests can be scheduled at GST Michigan Works!)
- *Candidates can apply at 17 years of age*

Occupations Within Union

- *Heavy Equipment Operator*
- *Civil and Hoisting*
- *Heavy Equipment Technician*

Accepting Applications:

Online www.OE324.org/application
from June 8, 2020 to June 12, 2020
(as long as there are applications are available - applications are limited in supply.)
\$35 non-refundable application fee using a credit card or debit card with a visa or master card logo. Selection is on a competitive point basis that evaluates testing, work related experience, education background, and interviews.

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