

ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTORS

TRADE SUMMARY

Elevator constructors perform the construction, operation, inspection, testing, maintenance, alteration, and repair of elevators, platform lifts, stairway chair lifts, escalators, moving walks, dumbwaiters, material lifts, and automatic transfer devices. They also perform the construction, operation, inspection, maintenance, alteration and repair of automatic guided transit vehicles such as automated people movers. Individuals perform this work while working at heights, around exposed electrical contacts and moving sheaves and cables.

WHAT TO ANTICIPATE

Elevator installers and repairers have a physically demanding job. They sit or stand for extensive periods, lift items that can weigh 50–200 pounds, work in cramped quarters inside crawl spaces and machine rooms, and may be exposed to heights in elevator shafts. They also work in dusty and dirty places with oily and greasy equipment in hot or cold environments.

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| WRITTEN EXAM | X |
| RELIABLE TRANSPORTATION | X |
| HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA/GED | X |
| PASS A DRUG TEST | X |
| 18+ YEARS | X |
| VALID DRIVER'S LICENSE | X |

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- Official Birth Certificate
- Social Security Card
- Valid Driver's License or Valid State Identification or Voter's Registration Card
- DD214 (*if applicable*)

LENGTH OF PROGRAM:

3 YEARS

WORKKEY SCORES

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| Applied Mathematics: | 4 |
| Graphic Literacy: | 5 |
| Workplace Documents: | 5 |

CONTACT INFORMATION

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OCCUPATIONS WITHIN UNION

- Electric Elevator
- Hydraulic Elevator

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