

PIPEFITTERS



TRADE SUMMARY

Install piping systems that carry hot water, steam, air or other liquids or gases needed for industrial production, or other uses. Install both high- or low-pressure systems, especially in industrial and commercial buildings. Lay out, fabricate and assemble pipes from drawings, blueprints and specifications. They also work on pipes for heating and cooling systems and install automatic fire-sprinkler systems in buildings.

WHAT TO ANTICIPATE

Pipefitters work both inside and out. In new construction, Pipe Fitters move onto the project after the basic structure is erected. The work is active and strenuous. There is a great deal of walking, standing, reaching, lifting and working in cramped quarters. They are subject to the hazards of working with and around high-pressure gas, steam and chemical lines.

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

- Copy of Birth Certificate or other such documents for proof of age
- Copy of High School Diploma / GED Certificate **AND** Transcripts of Grades from High School or College
- DD214 (if applicable)
- Proof of Residency in Genesee, Shiawassee, or Lapeer County

CONTACT INFORMATION

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LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 5 YEARS

WORKKEY SCORES

Applied Mathematics:	6
Graphic Literacy:	5
Workplace Documents:	5

OCCUPATIONS WITHIN UNION

- Plumbers
- Pipefitters
- Heating, Ventilations, and Air Conditioning (HVAC) Service Technicians

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