

What is a Carpenter?

A General Carpenter constructs, renovates and repairs structures made of wood, steel, concrete and other materials in the residential, commercial and industrial construction sectors and in related industries.

Where can a Carpenter work?

Construction

Job Sites:

Heavy Industrial Construction | Institutional and Commercial Construction | New Home Building and Renovation

Want to learn more about being a Carpenter?



General Information on Construction Trades (i.e., Carpenter)

- Construction Training & Apprenticeship Ontario (CTAO) (website: ctaontario.ca)
- Canada's Building Trades Unions (CBTU) (website: buildingtrades.ca)
- Ontario Building & Construction Tradeswomen (OBCT) (website: obctradeswomen.com)
- Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program (OYAP) (website: oyap.ca)
- Skilled Trades Ontario (STO) (website: skilledtradesonatrio.ca)



Carpenter Unions and Affiliations

Carpenters' Regional Council - (website: thecarpentersunion.ca)



Did you know?

- You can earn **\$46.22/hr** as a unionized General Carpenter!
- As a General Carpenter Apprentice, you need to complete **7,200 hrs of training.** Specifically **6,480 hrs** of on-the-job experience and **720 hrs** of in-class training. It might sound like a lot but there is lots of support out there to help!
- You can find your sponsor through **Direct Hire, Trade Organization (i.e., Skills Ontario, Tomorrow Trades), Employment Service Providers (i.e., Carpenter Unions) and Employment Ontario.**
- Carpentry work can be divided into two categories rough carpentry (i.e., building things that need to be simple and structural) and finish carpentry (i.e., focus is on things that are detailed and artistic).

Carpenter Be the GENERATION to help build a BRIGHTER TOMORROW!

The skills you need ...



Communication



Detail-oriented



Hand-Eye Coordination



Precision Work



Problem - Solving

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Meet OPG Vendors!

Here is a list of Vendors that work on site at OPG.



































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