

CONCRETE FINISHER

YOU WERE **MADE** FOR THIS!



APPRENTICESHIP: Yes
RED SEAL: Yes
LEVELS: 2
IN SCHOOL: 2 sessions
WAGE: \$29,120 - \$65,520

AT A GLANCE

- Prepare the worksite for concrete
- Place plastic concrete into forms and spread it to a specified depth
- Level and straighten the surface, provide a floated, trowelled, or textured surface as specified, cut joints to control cracking
- Operate machines that speed production and semi-automate the placing and finishing process cure and protect concrete surfaces
- Properly use dry pack grouting, epoxy coating, and other specialty materials
- Install anchor bolts, steel plates, door sills, and other inserts in freshly placed concrete
- Install specialty concrete and apply architectural surface treatments such as hardeners, colouring, textures, or patterns
- Saw, cut, or core drill existing concrete
- Restore concrete surfaces and repair, resurface, and replace damaged sections of floors, walls, pavements, and other concrete structures

CAREER ADVANCEMENT / RELATED CAREERS

- **Experienced:** foreman, contract estimators, general contractors, self employed

HOW DO I GET STARTED?

To enter the apprenticeship program full-time, you must be:

- 16 years or older (may need parental consent to work on construction site)
- High school grad or mature student with equivalent academic standing
- **Recommended high school courses:** English, Math, Science, and Construction courses

AVAILABLE TRAINING

- High School Vocational Programming
- Post-Secondary Education
- Private Vocational Institutions

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CONSTRUCTION CAREERS IN MANITOBA

Careers with Apprenticeship Trades

CONSTRUCTION (27)

| | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Boilermaker | Interior Systems Mechanic (Lather) |
| Boom Truck Hoist Operator | Ironworker (Generalist) |
| Bricklayer | Landscape Horticulturalist |
| Cabinetmaker | Mobile Crane Operator |
| Carpenter | Painter & Decorator |
| Concrete Finisher | Plumber |
| Construction Craft Worker | Pre-Engineered Building Erector |
| Construction Electrician | Refrigeration & AC Mechanic |
| Floor Covering Installer | Roofer |
| Gasfitter | Sheet Metal Worker |
| Gasfitter (Domestic) | Sprinkler System Installer |
| Glazier | Steamfitter / Pipefitter |
| Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) | Tower Crane Operator |
| Insulator (Heat & Frost) | |

INDUSTRIAL (8)

| | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Electric Motor System Technician | Power Electrician |
| Industrial Electrician | Tool & Die Maker |
| Industrial Instrument Mechanic | Waste & Water Technician |
| Machinist | Welder |

SERVICE (1)

Partsperson

TRANSPORTATION (6)

| | |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Bodyframe Specialist | Motor Vehicle Body Repairer |
| Diesel Engine Mechanic | Transport Trailer Technician |
| Heavy Equipment Technician | Truck & Transport Mechanic |

Beyond the Trades

CONSTRUCTION (9)

| | |
|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Architect | Land Surveyor |
| Civil Engineer, P. Eng. | Landscape Architect |
| Cribber | Plasterer |
| Drywall Taper | Tilesetter |
| Grounds Maintenance Worker | |

INDUSTRIAL & TRANSPORTATION (13)

| | |
|---|-----------------------------|
| Blaster in Charge | Flagperson |
| Civil Engineering Technician/ Technologist (C.E.T) | Labourer, General & Skilled |
| CNC Operator | Metal Finisher |
| Driller | Maintenance Mechanic |
| Health & Safety Manager | Power Engineer |
| Heavy Equipment Operator | Project Manager |
| | Truck Driver |

OTHER (12)

| | |
|------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Building Inspector | Mortgage Broker |
| Buyer/Purchasing Agent | Property Manager/ Administrator |
| Draftsperson | Real Estate Agent |
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