

CONSTRUCTION WORKER: APPRENTICESHIP PREPARATION MC3 (240 Hours) - Course No.:79-15-89

COMPETENCY CHECKLIST

Student Name _____

Teacher Name _____ School Site _____

Start Date _____ Completion Date _____ Certificate Date _____

Teacher Signature _____ Student Signature _____
(Signatures verify completion of course competencies)

A. ORIENTATION & CLASSROOM SAFETY (28 hrs)

- _____ 1. Scope and purpose of course
- _____ 2. Course content as part of Linked Learning
- _____ 3. Classroom policies and procedures
- _____ 4. Frequent test in class and life
- _____ 5. Sexual and workplace harassment
- _____ 6. General representation in industry
- _____ 7. Diversity awareness in industry
- _____ 8. Health and safety issues for women
- _____ 9. First aid and emergency procedures
- _____ 10. Different occupations in construction
- _____ 11. Wages and application requirements
- _____ 12. Future of construction
- _____ 13. Explain financial literacy in construction
- _____ 14. Working rules for class/worksite
- _____ 15. Keeping a driver's license
- _____ 16. Uses of Personal Protection Equipment
- _____ 17. Concepts of OSHA
- _____ 18. Describe safety data sheet
- _____ 19. Importance of workplace soft skills
- _____ 20. Pass safety exam with 100%

B. OSHA 10 CONSTRUCTION (10 hrs)

- _____ 1. Describe OSHA's role
- _____ 2. Employee's rights through OSHA
- _____ 3. Employer's responsibilities
- _____ 4. Describe Focus Four
- _____ 5. Manage safety and health
- _____ 6. Hazards on construction site
- _____ 7. Personal protective equipment
- _____ 8. Discuss health hazard awareness
- _____ 9. Safety practices on stairways/ladders
- _____ 10. Fire protection and prevention
- _____ 11. Safety issues when excavation/shoring

_____ 17. Standard units of construction trades

C. FIRST AID/CPR/AED (8 hrs)

- _____ 1. Type of medical emergency
- _____ 2. Breathing and cardiac emergencies
- _____ 3. Sustain life until aid arrives
- _____ 4. Prevent disease transmission

D. HERITAGE OF AMERICAN WORKER (7 hrs)

- _____ 1. Guild tradition
- _____ 2. Building trades in 19th/20th centuries
- _____ 3. Davis Bacon Act and prevailing wage
- _____ 4. Fitzgerald Act and impact
- _____ 5. Demographics in labor movement
- _____ 6. Project labor and community agreements
- _____ 7. Labor/community workforce agreements

E. TRADE MATH & MEASURING TAPE (32 hrs)

- _____ 1. Practical applications of math in construction
- _____ 2. Solve whole number problems
- _____ 3. Solve fraction problems
- _____ 4. Solve decimal problems
- _____ 5. Change fractions to decimals
- _____ 6. Change decimals to fractions
- _____ 7. English linear measurements
- _____ 8. Usage of measuring tapes
- _____ 9. Pass measuring tape test
- _____ 10. Fractionalization of the inch
- _____ 11. English system of measuring length
- _____ 12. English system of measuring area
- _____ 13. English system of measuring volume
- _____ 14. English system linear units of measurements
- _____ 15. Problem solving techniques

- _____ 16. Basics on metric system
- _____ 17. Standard units of construction trades
- _____ 18. Review specific math sections
- _____ 19. Pass math quizzes

F. APPRENTICESHIP PREPARATION (7 hrs)

- _____ 1. Define apprenticeship
- _____ 2. Apprenticeship employment issues & myths
- _____ 3. Application process & criteria for entry
- _____ 4. Training opportunities in apprenticeship
- _____ 5. Qualification/requirement for various trades
- _____ 6. Building trade organizations
- _____ 7. Applicable trade knowledge, skills & abilities
- _____ 8. Importance of attendance and punctuality
- _____ 9. Apprenticeship trade analysis exercise
- _____ 10. Apprenticeship worker qualities
- _____ 11. Job duties for apprentices and journeymen
- _____ 12. Places training where training is available
- _____ 13. Union and non-union employment
- _____ 14. Visit at least 8 union training centers
- _____ 15. Apply to different trades
- _____ 16. Design sample resumes and cover letters
- _____ 17. Filling out and complete job application
- _____ 18. Common mistakes on job applications
- _____ 19. Complete job applications forms correctly
- _____ 20. Importance of enthusiasm on interview/job
- _____ 21. Appropriate appearance in interview/job

G. BASIC BLUEPRINT/ESTIMATING (15 hrs)

- _____ 1. Review engineer and architecture scales
- _____ 2. Blueprints to city building dept. for approval
- _____ 3. Architectural and structural plans
- _____ 4. ANSI a scale set of plans
- _____ 5. Identify/define parts of set of plans
- _____ 6. Part of plans trades will use
- _____ 7. Cross reference various parts of plan
- _____ 8. Importance of notes
- _____ 9. Calculate and find dimensions on plans
- _____ 10. Pass math test based on copy of plans
- _____ 11. Pass test on details from plans
- _____ 12. Draw set of plans from class structure

H. TYPICAL HAND TOOLS (3 hrs)

- _____ 1. Identify and describe typical hand tools

I. COMON POWER TOOLS (3 hrs)

- _____ 1. Identify and describe common power tools

J. BUILDING & GREEN CODES (7 hrs)

- _____ 1. Explain ICC and IRC codes
- _____ 2. ICC, IBC, IRC codes final authority
- _____ 3. Green codes, LEED programs, State Title 24
- _____ 4. OSHA/CAL-OSHA construction codes
- _____ 5. Federal ADA Handicap Title 24 Disability Act
- _____ 6. NEC, ICC-IPC, UPC, ICC-IMC, UMC Codes

K. MASONRY (3 hrs)

- _____ 1. Cement industry, job description and pay
- _____ 2. Masonry/concrete finishers union
- _____ 3. History of concrete and masonry
- _____ 4. Small block wall techniques
- _____ 5. Small pour using different tools techniques
- _____ 6. Concrete/masonry codes
- _____ 7. Estimate costs in concrete industry
- _____ 8. Codes and application of reinforcement
- _____ 9. Explain finishing techniques
- _____ 10. Review and test

L. BASIC FRAMING (3 hrs)

- _____ 1. Framing industry, job description and pay
- _____ 2. Carpenters union apprenticeship programs
- _____ 3. History of wood framing and tools
- _____ 4. Basic framing codes
- _____ 5. Simple framing estimating
- _____ 6. Small wood wall with partial roof assembly
- _____ 7. Build small metal wall
- _____ 8. Nails and framing hardware
- _____ 9. Review and test

M. PLUMBING FUNDAMENTALS (3 hrs)

- _____ 1. Plumbing industry, job description and pay
- _____ 2. Plumbers/fitters/fire sprinkler basics
- _____ 3. Four major plumbing sections
- _____ 4. Threading a pipe technique
- _____ 5. Seating a fitting using soft solder
- _____ 6. Plumbing codes IPC/UPC basics
- _____ 7. Review and test

N. ELECTRICAL & LIGHTING FUNDAMENTALS (3 hrs)

- _____ 1. Electrical industry, job description and pay
- _____ 2. Electrical union apprenticeship program
- _____ 3. History of electrical usage and changes
- _____ 4. Development of NEC
- _____ 5. Writing an outlet, switch, light, 3 way setup
- _____ 6. Safe use of electrical tools
- _____ 7. Review and test

O. INTRO TO HEATING/VENTILATION/AIR

CONDITIONING (3 hrs)

- _____ 1. HVAC industry, job description and pay
- _____ 2. HVAC union apprenticeship program
- _____ 3. Refrigeration cycle
- _____ 4. Heating and air conditioning history
- _____ 5. Basics of job specific tools
- _____ 6. Operating small window a/c unit
- _____ 7. Components/parts of small window a/c unit
- _____ 8. Cutting tube, flaring and hard soldering
- _____ 9. Basic mechanical codes IMC/UMC
- _____ 10. Review and test

P. DOORS, WINDOWS & FINISH CARPENTRY

FUNDAMENTALS (3 hrs)

- _____ 1. Trades that install doors, windows, trims, job description and pay
- _____ 2. Apprenticeship programs and applications
- _____ 3. Light (windows)/ventilation, ingress/egress
- _____ 4. Title 24 energy code
- _____ 5. Style of window and door types
- _____ 6. How to install window and door
- _____ 7. Review and test

Q. BASIC DRYWALL & STUCCO (3 hrs)

- _____ 1. Drywall and plastering unions/trades
- _____ 2. History and future of wall covering industry
- _____ 3. Basic wall covering codes
- _____ 4. Drywall, taping and finishing techniques
- _____ 5. Importance of fire ratings
- _____ 6. Waterproofing, wire netting, and 3 coats
- _____ 7. Review and test

R. BEGINNING PAINTING: RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL & INDUSTRIAL (3 hrs)

- _____ 1. History of paint and industrial coatings
- _____ 2. Careers, duties, pay scale of industry
- _____ 3. Finishing trades apprenticeship programs
- _____ 4. Purpose of surface preparation
- _____ 5. Types of paints and coatings used
- _____ 6. Trade tools and equipment
- _____ 7. Material cost and labor of specific job
- _____ 8. Painting with roller and airless sprayer
- _____ 9. Review and test

S. BASIC ROOF COVERING & DESIGN (3 hrs)

- _____ 1. History of roofing industry
- _____ 2. Careers, duties, pay scale of industry

- _____ 3. Roofer's apprenticeship programs
- _____ 4. Torch down, asphalt shingled to shed roof
- _____ 5. Finding and repairing holes
- _____ 6. Material and labor estimates of industry
- _____ 7. Sheet metal use in roofing
- _____ 8. Review codes related to roofing
- _____ 9. Review and test

T. INTRODUCTION TO FLOORING & TILING (3 hrs)

- _____ 1. History of flooring and tiling industry
- _____ 2. Careers, duties, pay scale of industry
- _____ 3. Flooring and tiling apprenticeship programs
- _____ 4. Tiling and flooring techniques
- _____ 5. Justification and estimating cost
- _____ 6. Review and test

U. JOB READINESS/SOFT SKILLS (10 hrs)

- _____ 1. Current state of construction industry
- _____ 2. Interview, application, resume, communication skills and professionalism

V. TRADE MATH & MEASURING TAPE (80 hrs*)

- _____ 1. Whole numbers program solving techniques
- _____ 2. Solve fraction problems
- _____ 3. Solve decimal problems
- _____ 4. Change fractions to decimals
- _____ 6. Change decimals to fractions
- _____ 6. English system measuring problems
- _____ 7. Practice math job entry exams