

### **Trades Orientation Program**

Working Partnerships USA and work2future are now offering the Trades Orientation Program: a free, 130-hour course that prepares you to enter a state certified apprenticeship leading to a high demand trades career.

#### **Eligibility Requirements:**

- High school diploma or GED
- Able to pass drug testing
- Age 18+ (by start date)
- Able to do physical work
- Willing to study and learn new skills
- Santa Clara County resident
- Documentation to work in the U.S.
- Valid CA drivers license (by start date)

Priority and additional services available for veterans, Office of Supportive Housing clients, and CalFRESH clients

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#### **Program Highlights:**

- Overview of Carpentry, Pipe Trades, Electrical, Sheet Metal & Other Trades
- Explore What Each Trade Has to Offer
- Intro to Tools & Materials
- Intro to Blueprint Reading & Technology
- Basic Construction Math
- Teamwork & Leadership
- Learn About the Pathway to a Certified Apprenticeship
- Interview with Industry Employers
- First Aid/CPR Certification
- OSHA 10 Certification
- National Multi-Craft Core Curriculum (MC3) Certification



# Winter 2018-19 Course Schedule:

November 26, 2018 to March 16, 2019

## Mondays & Wednesdays 6 - 9 pm and Saturdays 8 am - 3 pm

There is no cost for the course. All books and materials will be provided. Applicants must register for and attend one of the mandatory orientation sessions to be eligible for admission.

Schedules are subject to change. This program is supported in part by the California Apprenticeship Initiative, the Santa Clara County Office of Supportive Housing, the CalFRESH Employment and Training Program, and by Proposition 39 pre-apprenticeship grant funding from the California Workforce Development Board.

- 1) Meet basic eligibility requirements.
- 2) Attend a mandatory orientation session:
  - Tues Oct 2, 1 pm or
  - Wed Oct 10, 6 pm *or*
  - Mon Oct 15, 6 pm or
  - Thurs Oct 18, 6 pm
- 3) Successfully complete an assessment & interview.

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