



akron area electrical

# JATC

joint apprenticeship and training committee

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## NOTICE OF COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL ELECTRICAL APPRENTICESHIP OPPORTUNITY

The Akron Area Electrical Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee accepts applications Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 4:30pm at 2650 S. Main St., Akron, Ohio.

To meet qualifications for apprenticeship consideration, an applicant must:

- Be a minimum of 17 years of age
- Be at least a high school graduate, or have a GED, or have a two-year Associate Degree or higher
- Provide an official transcript for high school education along with GED certificate, if applicable
- Provide any Post-High School Education and Training Documents (Optional)
- Qualify for interview using the electrical trade's aptitude test developed and validated by the American Institutes for Research, administered by Akron Area Electrical JATC
- Applicants with prior electrical construction work experience of 4000 documented hours may skip the aptitude test
- Present evidence that they possess a valid driver's license at time of Interview
- Prior to being indentured, applicants selected from the pool of interviewed applicants must be at least 18 years of age.
- Prior to being indentured, applicants selected from the pool of interviewed applicants will be required to provide results of a physical examination and a drug test paid by the JATC

Applicants who meet all basic requirements will be interviewed by the Akron Area Electrical JATC, and selected in order of their ranking as industry needs permit..

### **Equal Opportunity Employer M/F**

#### NOTICE OF NONDISCRIMINATION POLICY AS TO STUDENTS

The Akron Area Electrical Joint Apprenticeship and Training Committee, 2650 S. Main St. Suite 100 Akron, admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school administered programs.



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## Commercial/Inside — 5 Year Program

- ◆ All selected applicants will be required to pass a physical & drug test at the JATC's expense before beginning apprenticeship.
- ◆ Background checks will be conducted.
- ◆ Starting rate will be \$12.76 per hour, Journeyman rate is \$31.89 per hour effective May 31, 2010
- ◆ Pay rate will increase at 1000 hours and at the completion of each school year with satisfactory performance and OTJ training.
- ◆ Required to have basic set of hand tools. A list of which tools will be provided.
- ◆ Will receive Local 306 Pension Annuity Plan after 1 year.
- ◆ Will receive health care benefits in approx. 3-4 months.
- ◆ Will be initiated into Local Union 306 membership after completion of probation period of 2000 OJT hours and satisfactory performance
- ◆ Adequate transportation is a **MUST**, Local 306 jurisdiction covers Summit, Portage, and Medina Counties.
- ◆ All selected apprentices will be required to have Book/Tuition fees paid by August 31
- ◆ Related instruction — Minimum of 180 classroom hours per year
- ◆ On-the-Job Training — Minimum of 8000 hours by the completion of 5 years
- ◆ College credit for related classroom training
- ◆ Classes run September to May. One or two nights per week from 6pm to 10pm.

Which Direction Will  
You Go?



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For further information on applying call  
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## COMMERCIAL – INSIDE PROGRAM

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### A College / University

- ◆ \$10,000 per year\*  
Books, Tuition, and Fees
- ◆ \$35 – 40,000 Earning Potential\*  
Entry Level Position w/ Degree

\* These are approximate values

### Apprenticeship

- ◆ \$700.00 per year (average)  
Books and Tuition
- ◆ \$162,000 Earning Potential  
plus Benefits during 5 years  
of Apprenticeship
- ◆ \$60,000/year Journeyman earning  
potential plus Benefits upon  
completion of Apprenticeship

### What is an Electrician?

Electrical construction is a dynamic and diverse industry with specialized skills. The electrician must be able to layout, assemble, install, repair, and test entire electrical and electronics systems. Along with their electrical training, journeyman electricians must have complete working knowledge of blueprint reading and know the National Electric Code and local codes. There is, of course, the hazard of electrical shock and burns from "Live" wires. Therefore, safe work practice is a must. Electricians must be mechanically inclined, physically fit and enjoy working with mathematical formulas.

Electrical work is performed both indoors and outdoors in all temperatures and weather conditions.

### How do I qualify?

- ◆ Be 17 years of age at application date and 18 to be indentured (Registered Apprentice)
- ◆ Possess a high school diploma or GED, or, in lieu of a high school diploma or GED, have a two year Associate Degree or higher
- ◆ Provide Official High School Transcript
- ◆ Receive a qualifying score (4 or higher out of a possible 9) on the electrical trade's aptitude test administered locally by the JATC

### How do I prepare for the trade?

The following will be helpful to have completed courses in or possess the following skills:

- ◆ Algebra, geometry, trigonometry
- ◆ Above average reading ability
- ◆ Physical science courses
- ◆ Mechanical drawing and/or blueprint reading

- ◆ Applications may be filled out at 2650 South Main St., Suite 100, Akron, Ohio

**Monday through Friday**

**8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

- ◆ Other times to apply by appointment only.
- ◆ Applications must be filled out on site. Takes approx. 20-30 minutes.
- ◆ Information will be supplied at the time of application for completing the application process

### Application Process

**Step 1: Make Application**

**Step 2: Provide required documents**

**Step 3: Aptitude Test (if qualified)**

**Step 4: Interview (if qualified)**

**Step 5: Entered onto ranked eligibility list**

A). Ranking is determined by interview score

B). Applicant remains on ranking list eligible for selection for a period of 2 years

C). As future applicants are interviewed, the ranking order is subject to change

**Step 6: Selection**

A). New apprentices are selected from the current ranked list, beginning with the highest score and continuing in descending order.

B). The number selected annually is a committee decision based on industry needs.

C). Those selected will be notified by mail.

Applicants with prior electrical construction experience of 4,000 documented hours may skip Step 3.

Inquire for further information.