

Architecture and Construction Career Cluster

The Architecture and Construction Career Cluster focuses on designing, planning, managing, building, and maintaining the built environment. Principles of Architecture provides an overview to the various fields of architecture, interior design, and construction management.

Electrical Statewide Program of Study



The Electrical program of study explores the occupations and educational opportunities associated with installing, maintaining, and repairing electrical wiring, equipment, and fixtures. This program of study may also include exploration into installing and repairing telecommunications cable including fiber optics.

Secondary Courses for High School Credit

Level 1

- Principles of Construction

Level 2

- Electrical Technology I

Level 3

- Electrical Technology II

Level 4

- Practicum in Construction Technology
- Practicum in Entrepreneurship
- Career Preparation I

Postsecondary Opportunities

Associates Degrees

- Electrician
- Communications Systems Installation and Repair Technology

Bachelor's Degrees

- Construction Science

Master's, Doctoral, and Professional Degrees

- Construction Management

Work-Based Learning and Expanded Learning Opportunities

Exploration Activities

- Shadow an electrician or fiber optics line installer
- Participate in SkillsUSA

Work-Based Learning Activities

- Intern or shadow an electrician

Industry-Based Certifications

- C-200 Certified Industry 4.0 Automation Systems Specialist I - 201 Electrical Systems 1
- Electrical Apprenticeship Certificate Level 1
- HBI Pre-Apprenticeship Certificate Training (PACT), Basic Electrical
- HBI Pre-Apprenticeship Certificate Training (PACT), Core
- NCCER Commercial Electrician
- NCCER Construction Technology Certification Level I
- NCCER Core
- NCCER Electrical Level I
- NCCER Electrical Level II
- NCCER Electronic System Technician Level I
- NCCER Electronic System Technician Level II
- TRIO Electrical Pre-Apprenticeship (EPP) Certification
- Certified Electronics Systems Associate *
- ISCET Certified Electronics Technicians *
- OSHA 30 Hour Construction*
- OSHA 30 Hour General*

*IBC sunsetting 8/31/24

Aligned Occupations

Occupations	Median Wage	Annual Openings	% Growth
Electrical Linemen	\$54,184	1,314	28%
Electricians	\$44,013	8,460	21%
Electrical and Electronics Installers	\$37,544	245	19%
Security and Fire Alarm Installers	\$43,638	1,112	22%
Telecommunication Line Installers and Repairers	\$49,150	1,228	10%

Successful completion of the Electrical program of study will fulfill requirements of the Business and Industry endorsement and STEM endorsement if the math and science requirements are met. Revised – August 2022

Electrical Course Information

Level 1

COURSE NAME	SERVICE ID	PREREQUISITES	COREQUISITES
Principles of Construction	13004220 (1 credit)	None	None

Level 2

COURSE NAME	SERVICE ID	PREREQUISITES	COREQUISITES (CREQ)
Electrical Technology I	13005600 (1 credit)	None	None

Level 3

COURSE NAME	SERVICE ID	PREREQUISITES	COREQUISITES
Electrical Technology II	13005700 (2 credits)	Electrical Technology I	None

Level 4

COURSE NAME	SERVICE ID	PREREQUISITES	COREQUISITES
Practicum in Construction Technology	13005250 (2 credits) 13005255 (3 credits) 13005260 (2 credits) 13005265 (3 credits)	Construction Technology II; Building Maintenance Technology II; Electrical Technology II; Heating, Ventilation Air Conditioning (HVAC) and Refrigeration Technology II; Plumbing Technology I; or Mill and Cabinetmaking Technology	None
Practicum in Entrepreneurship	N1303425 (2 credits)	None	None
Career Preparation I	12701300 (2 credits) 12701305 (3 credits)	None	None

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