

Oregon Apprenticeship Programs By the Numbers (January 2025)

10,455 apprentices right now

Earning while they learn in on-the-job training programs.

Every month, more than 200 Oregonians decide to start a program. Increasing numbers of current apprentices are women and people of color, and that is something we're focused on building. Women and people of color have historically been excluded or not encouraged to enter trades jobs. Oregon Labor and Industries, business and labor partners, and advocates are working hard to change that.

3,981 training agents

Companies focused on building their workforce.

160 apprenticeship committees

On the BOLI website at: <https://www.oregon.gov/boli/apprenticeship/Pages/apprenticeship-opportunities.aspx>

PRE-APPRENTICESHIP IS NOT A REQUIREMENT TO ENTER AN APPRENTICESHIP!

What is Pre-Apprenticeship?

No experience? No problem. Pre-Apprenticeship programs are a great way to gain experience, build credentials, and prepare you with the skills to succeed in your chosen trade. Pre-Apprenticeships are typically 6-8 weeks, though programs will vary.

Is Pre-Apprenticeship right for me?

Although Pre-Apprenticeship can be helpful, it's not required (and often not necessary) to become a Registered Apprentice. Pre-Apprenticeships may be a good fit for individuals who:

- Are interested in a career in the construction trades and have little or no experience
- Experience barriers to employment (i.e. previous incarceration)
- Need to improve their math skills
- Need assistance obtaining supplies or equipment
- Need help meeting minimum qualifications for a Registered Apprenticeship

Pre-Apprenticeship programs provide:

An approved training curriculum. Learn fundamental skills specific to your industry to help you feel ready for an apprenticeship. Examples include basic hand tool and equipment operation, math and measuring, workplace harassment and discrimination training, and onsite safety.

Educational and pre-vocational services. Sharpen your math skills. Master the art of blueprint reading. Gain access to support services like transportation support, clothing and work boot supply, tools, access to childcare, and more.

Hands-on training. As an apprentice, you'll be on the ground getting experience from skilled mentors in your field. A Pre-Apprenticeship prepares you for the next step in your career with a variety of experiences including simulated labs, field trips, and guest speakers.

Application assistance. Towards the end of your Pre-Apprenticeship, you'll receive assistance in the Registered Apprentice application process. Tackle everything from resume building to interview and communication skills. By the end of your Pre-Apprenticeship, you'll be one step closer to becoming a Registered Apprentice!

Bureau of Labor & Industries approves and monitors JATC's

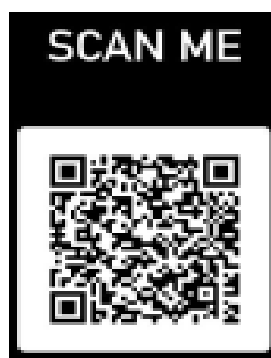
JATC's apprenticeships are 2-4 years, providing industry accepted training standards through classroom time and hands-on work

Differences

Traveling apprenticeships vs Local apprenticeship

It depends, but usually it doesn't cost apprentices	May cost apprentices – contact your community college
Live local – travel to projects statewide	Live local - work local
Apprentices are sent to employers	Contact your community college
Classroom time (could be in Portland)	Classroom time (local - usually community colleges)
Supportive services are available to stay in apprenticeship	Contact your community college
Often public works – prevailing wages	Industry and/or bargained wages
Union and non-union	Union and non-union
NOTE: Training Schools/Academies are 6-8 weeks - Cost \$10,000+ They are not industry standardized training and are not BOLI approved.	

Oregon BOLI Apprenticeship INDUSTRY ACCEPTED TRAINING



See the next page for BOLI Pre-Apprenticeship Programs!



This list current as of January 2025. [Check for updates at BOLI Pre-Apprenticeship here.](#)

Title with Link	Age	Contact info
71Five VoTech Pre-Apprenticeship Program	Youth 16-24	Mark Shelamer 541.301.8552 mark@71five.org
Beaverton SD Construction Technology	Youth	Kelly Logan Kelly_Logan@beaverton.k12.or.us
Behavioral Health Pre-Apprenticeship Program	Youth 16-18	Sarah Rambeck srambeck@unitedwehealoregon.com
Benson High School	Youth	Luke Hotchkiss Instructor 503.916.5100 lhotchkiss@pps.net
Bilingual and Bicultural Construction Pre-Apprenticeship Training Program		Dulce Perkins 503.889.0511 dulce@latinobuilt.org
Blue Sun Inc, Constructing Your Future	Adults	Jeffrey Howell Director 541.207.3212 jeff.howell@bluesuninc.com
BTI Heavy Highway Pre-Apprenticeship Training Program	Adult	Doug Dalton 2500 E. St. Baker City, Or 97814 541.524.2651 doug.dalton@bakersd.org
Carpenter Trade Preparation (CTP)	Adults	Meg Kilmer 503.287.3708 MegKilmer@pnci.org
Carpenter Trades Youth Pre-Apprenticeship	Youth	Meg Kilmer 503.287.3708 MegKilmer@pnci.org
Cascadia Technical Academy	Youth	Bill Draper Instructor 360.910.0637 william.draper@evergreenps.org
Central OR PACT	Youth	Brook Rich 2804 SW 6th Street Redmond, OR 97756 541.693.5670 Brook.rich@hdesd.org
Central Oregon Community College Skilled Trades Pre-Apprenticeship	Adult	Brandi Dancen 2600 NW College Way Bend, OR 97703 541.504.2920 bdancen@cocc.edu
Chemeketa Campus-Based PATP	Youth/Adult	Francisco Saldivar Director of Apprenticeship 503.399.5255 francisco.saldivar@chemeketa.edu
Chemeketa Community College / N Marion	Adults	Francisco Saldivar Director of Apprenticeship 503.399.5255 francisco.saldivar@chemeketa.edu
Chemeketa Community College / N Marion	Youth	Francisco Saldivar Director of Apprenticeship 503.399.5255 francisco.saldivar@chemeketa.edu
Community Services Consortium Clinical Medical Assistant	Adult	Sharee Cooper Senior Operations Manager 250 Broadalbin St SW Ste 2A Albany, OR 97321 541.928.6335 scooper@communityservices.us
Constructing Hope	Adults	Lisa Dixon Program Manager 503.281.1234 LisaD@constructinghope.org
Construction FAST Program (Gresham-Barlow)	Youth	Elizabeth Maki 503.621.4559 maki3@gresham.k12.or.us
Construction Pathway for English Language Learners (CPELL) Pre-Apprenticeship Program	Adult	Nikki Gillis 503.893.8279 Nikki.gillis@mhcc.edu
Crater Lake Electrical Pre-Apprenticeship	Adult	Zach Southwell 4864 Airway Drive Central Point, OR 97502 541.773.5888 Zach@clejatc.org
CSC Construction Trades	Youth/Adult	Sharee Cooper Senior Operations Manager 250 Broadalbin St SW Ste 2A Albany, OR 97321 541.928.6335 scooper@communityservices.us

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Edvocation Manufacturing PATP		D. Scott Smith 685 NW. 5th St. Corvallis, OR 97330 scott@dscottsmith.com
Heart of Oregon Corps YouthBuild	Youth 16-24	Kara Johnson Program Director 541.526.1380 Kara.johnson@heartoforegon.org
Impact NW Manufacturing Bridge	Youth	Destiny Bucasas Program Manager 503.660.3173 dbucasas@impactnw.org
Instruction Construction		Mark Atkinson 503.272.1735 MarkA@InstructionConstruction.org
Ironworkers National Women's Program	Adults	Lee Worley Executive Director 202.383.4889 lworley@iwintl.org
Klamath County School District Pre-Apprenticeship Program (Carpentry and Construction)	Youth	Adam Randall 541.851.8809 randalla@kcsd.k12.or.us
Lane PACT	Youth	Shareen Vogel CTE Regional Coordinator 541.461.8275 svogel@lesd.k12.or.us
Lane PAM (Pre-Apprenticeship Manufacturing)	Youth	Shareen Vogel CTE Regional Coordinator 541.461.8275 svogel@lesd.k12.or.us
Metals Manufacturing FAST Program (Gresham-Barlow)	Youth	Elizabeth Maki 503.621.4559 maki3@gresham.k12.or.us
MPACT (Medford Pre-Apprenticeship Construction & Trades)	Youth	Dr. Larina Warnock 541.842.3872 larina.warnock@medford.k12.or.us
NECA-IBEW 48 Electrical Pre-Apprenticeship Training Program	Adult	Bridget Quinn Workforce Development Coordinator 503.262.9991 preapp@nietc.org
NWCOC Construction Fundamentals PATP	Youth 16-24	Sara Brady 8111 NE Holman Street Portland, OR 97218 503.256.7300 sarab@nwcoc.com
Oregon Coast Community College Pre-Apprenticeship for the Construction Trades		Matt Batchelor matt.batchelor@oregoncoast.edu
Oregon Tradeswomen	Adults	Allison Miller Director of Programs 503.335.8200 x 122 allison@oregontradeswomen.org
Oregon Youth Authority (OYA)	Youth	Erin Fuimaono Assistant Director 971.718.1817 erin.fuimaono@oya.oregon.gov
Pacific NW Ironworkers	Adults	Kevin Crocker 4550 S 134th Pl #101 Tukwila, WA 98168 206.244.2993 kevinc@iw29appr.org
Pacific Nw Ironworkers Pre-Apprenticeship Pilot	Adults	Kevin Crocker Program Administrator 503.774.0777 Kevinc@iw29appr.org
PCC - Swan Island Trades Center	Adults	Tara Nelson 971.722.5651 tara.nelson1@pcc.edu
Portland Opportunities Industrial Center (POIC)	Youth	Charles Manigo Program Coordinator 971.940.6437 cmanigo@portlandoic.org
Portland Youthbuilders	Youth	Mary Hou Contracts Manager 503.286.9350 mary.hou@pybpd.org
Portland Youthbuilders Bridge to Construction Pre-Apprenticeship Program	Adult 18-26	Mary Hou Contracts Manager 503.286.9350 mary.hou@pybpd.org
Reynolds High School HVAC	Youth	Erich Schneider Construction Trades Instructor 503.667.3186 eschneider@rsd7.net

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Reynolds Learning Academy (Trading Up)	Youth	Angie Gilbert School to Work Trades Coordinator 503.667.4673 agilbert@rsd7.net
Rogue Valley Trades Training Center	Adult	Juan Carlos Sotelo Program Administrator 541.261.7710 juansotelo68@yahoo.com
Sherwood School District CTE Pre-Apprenticeship Training Program	Youth	Liz Barrett ebarrett@sherwood.k12.or.us
Solar Generation (AYA) PATP		Scott Cooper 146 W. Grant St. Coos Bay, OR 97420 541-888-2432 scottc@aya1.org
Southern Oregon Apprenticeship Readiness	Youth	Kim Cappel 541.554.7627 Kim.Cappel@ehsr3.org
Southwestern Oregon Community College Works Provider Agreement	Adult	Raushanna Dapena 541.888.1545 raushanna.dapena@socc.edu
St Helen's High School	Youth	Joe Mauck Construction Instructor 503.366.7416 joem@sthelens.k12.or.us
TERO Vocational Training Center	Youth/Adult	John Barkley 541.429.7489 johnbarkley@ctuir.org
Trades Related Apprenticeship Coaching (TRAC)	Adults	Steven Petermann Construction Trades Manager 5253.848.4299 steven.petermann@doc.wa.gov
Umpqua Pre-Apprenticeship Program	Youth	Amanda Clark 541.440.7778 amanda.clark@umpqua.edu
Union Pre-Apprenticeship Construction Trades	Adult	Kevin Crocker Program Administrator 503.774.0777 Kevinc@iw29appr.org
Urban League of Portland Electrical Pre-Apprenticeship Program		Trent Gaytgay@ulpdx.org
West Linn-Wilsonville SD Construction Pre-Apprenticeship Program	Youth 15-18	Laura Nappinappil@wlwv.k12.or.us
West Linn-Wilsonville SD Healthcare Pre-Apprenticeship Program	Youth 15-18	Laura Nappinappil@wlwv.k12.or.us
West Linn-Wilsonville SD Manufacturing Pre-Apprenticeship Program	Youth 15-18	Laura Nappinappil@wlwv.k12.or.us