

# PLUMBER PATHWAY



## HOW TO BECOME AN PLUMBER



### REQUIREMENTS

- Must be 18 years old
- Have a High School Diploma/GED/HiSet
- Hold General Math and Algebra Skills
- Good Physical Condition
- Reliable Transportation
- Ability to work alone and as a group

### TYPE OF JOBS

- General Plumber
- Pipe Fitters
- Steam Fitters
- Sprinkler Fitters
- Pipe Layers



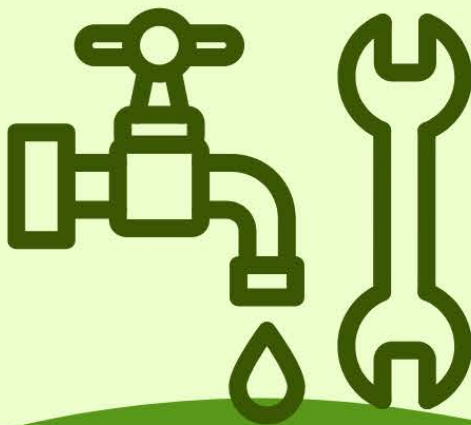
### HIGH SCHOOL STEPS

- Get a Job Shadow
- Have an informative interview
- Pass Algebra with at least a "C"
- Enroll in a CTE Plumbing Program

### CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE) CENTERS WITH PLUMBING PROGRAMS

- Huot Technical Center-Laconia, NH
- Manchester School of Technology-  
Manchester, NH

\*Not going to earn license and may not count towards Apprenticeship Hours.



New Hampshire

**Department of Education**

## APPRENTICESHIP

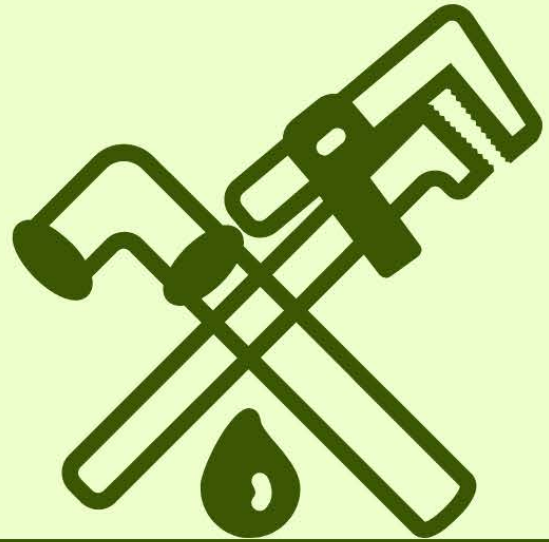
4 years 8000 hours in the Field  
150 Classroom hours, per year  
OSHA 10 Hour Construction Certificate  
Journeyman's Exam  
Yearly Apprentice Card

## UNION APPRENTICESHIP

NH Plumbers and Pipefitters Local UA 131  
Combines Classroom Work and OJT!

## YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP

Able to start your Apprenticeship in High School  
Mostly done outside of school hours  
12th Grade you would transition into a Registered Apprenticeship



## JOURNEYMAN'S LICENSE

Certificate of Completion from Office of Apprenticeship  
600 hours of classroom instruction  
8000 hours of OJT  
10 hours of OSHA Training  
Fees

## MASTER PLUMBER

2000 hours of Journeyman field experience  
Pass the Master Plumber Exam  
10 Hours of OSHA Training  
Continued Education



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