

## TRANSITION UPDATE

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**To:** SkilledTradesBC Training Providers  
Articulation Chair  
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Youth Train in Trades School Districts

**Subject:** **Transition Update: Implementation of Harmonized Level 2 (HL2) and Harmonized Level 3 (HL3)**

**From:** SkilledTradesBC Program Standards

**Effective Date:** September 1, 2023

**Summary:** After September 1, 2023, please implement Harmonized Level 2 (HL2) and Harmonized Level 3 (HL3). All levels of the Current (pre-harmonized) program will be phased out after September 1, 2023.

**Standardized Level Exams:** **HL2 Standardized Level Exam (SLE):** The HL2 SLE is in development. An Official Program Standards Notification (OPSN) will be sent to announce its implementation. Until the SLE is launched, the class mark will serve as the final mark.

Please note that the **CL2 SLE has been inactivated** and **cannot** be used with an HL2 class as the content is not aligned.

**HL3:** There is no SLE requirement for technical training. Apprentices write the Interprovincial Red Seal Exam as their final assessment.

**Background:**

On July 4, 2022, SkilledTradesBC Program Standards issued [OPSN 2022 012](#), which detailed the changes to the Roofer program as a result of the Harmonization Initiative and announced the implementation of a revised Program Outline, effective September 1, 2022. Further to this, on October 7, 2022 SkilledTradesBC issued a Program Update announcing the [Transition Plan](#), summarized in the graphics below:

**Transition Plan Summary**

Implementation Timelines	
Harmonized Level 1 (HL1)	September 1, 2022
Harmonized Level 2 (HL2)	September 1, 2023
Harmonized Level 3 (HL3)	September 1, 2023

<b>Year 0</b> September 2021	CL1	CL2	CL3
<b>Year 1</b> September 2022	HL1	CL2	CL3
<b>Year 2</b> September 2023	HL1	HL2	HL3

**Notes:**

- Gap training and Training Provider Support are **not** required in the Roofer transition plan.

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