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# Section 1 INTRODUCTION

Carpenter



#### **Foreword**

This revised Program Outline is intended as a guide for instructors, apprentices, and employers of apprentices as well as for the use of industry organizations, regulatory bodies, and provincial and federal governments. It reflects updated standards based on the 2022 Red Seal Occupational Standard (RSOS). It was developed by British Columbia industry and instructor subject matter experts.

Practical instruction by demonstration and student participation should be integrated with classroom sessions. Safe working practices, even though not always specified in each operation or topic, are an implied part of the program and should be stressed throughout the apprenticeship.

This Program Outline includes a list of recommended reference textbooks that are available to support the learning objectives and the minimum shop requirements needed to support instruction.

Competencies are to be evaluated through written exams and practical assessments. A passing grade is achieved by getting an overall mark of 70%. See the Assessment Guidelines in Section 4 for more details.

Achievement Criteria are included for those competencies that require a practical assessment. The intent of including Achievement Criteria in the Program Outline is to ensure consistency in training across the many training institutions in British Columbia. Their purpose is to reinforce the theory and to provide a mechanism for evaluation of the learner's ability to apply the theory to practice. It is important that these performances be observable and measurable and that they reflect the skills spelled out in the competency. The conditions under which these performances will be observed and measured must be clear to the learner as well as the criteria by which the learner will be evaluated. The learner must also be given the evaluation criteria.

The performance spelled out in the Achievement Criteria is a suggested performance and is not meant to stifle flexibility of delivery. Training providers are welcome to substitute other practical performances that measure similar skills and attainment of the competency. Multiple performances may also be used to replace individual performances where appropriate.

#### SAFETY ADVISORY

Be advised that references to the WorkSafe BC safety regulations contained within these materials do not/may not reflect the most recent Occupational Health and Safety Regulation (the current Standards and Regulation in BC can be obtained on the following website: <a href="http://www.worksafebc.com">http://www.worksafebc.com</a>). Please note that it is always the responsibility of any person using these materials to inform him/herself about the Occupational Health and Safety Regulation pertaining to his/her work.



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#### How to Use this Document

This Program Outline has been developed for the use of individuals from several different audiences. The table below describes how each section can be used by each intended audience.

Section	Training Providers	Employers/ Sponsors	Apprentices	Challengers
Program Credentialing Model	Communicates program length and structure, and all pathways to completion	Illustrates the length and structure of the program	Illustrates the length and structure of the program, and pathway to completion	Illustrates the challenger pathway to Certificate of Qualification
OAC	Communicates the competencies that industry has defined as representing the scope of the occupation	Displays the competencies that an apprentice is expected to demonstrate in order to achieve certification	Displays the competencies apprentices will achieve as a result of program completion	Displays the competencies challengers must demonstrate in order to challenge the program
Training Topics and Suggested Time Allocation	Shows proportionate representation of general areas of competency (GACs) at each program level, the suggested proportion of time spent on each GAC, and percentage of time spent on theory versus practical application	Shows the scope of competencies covered in the technical training, the suggested proportion of time spent on each GAC, and the percentage of that time spent on theory versus practical application	Shows the scope of competencies covered in the technical training, the suggested proportion of time spent on each GAC, and the percentage of that time spent on theory versus practical application	Shows the relative weightings of various competencies of the occupation on which assessment is based
Program Content	Defines the objectives, learning tasks, high level content that must be covered for each competency, as well as defining observable, measurable achievement criteria for objectives with a practical component	Identifies detailed program content and performance expectations for competencies with a practical component; may be used as a checklist prior to signing a recommendation for certification (RFC) for an apprentice	Provides detailed information on program content and performance expectations for demonstrating competency	Allows individual to check program content areas against their own knowledge and performance expectations against their own skill levels
Assessment Guidelines	Shows the general areas of competency covered in each level of technical training, the theory and practical grading weight, and the calculation method for final percentage marks	Shows the general areas of competency covered in the technical training, the grading weight for each GAC, and the percentage of that time spent on theory versus practical application	Shows the general areas of competency covered in each level of technical training, the theory and practical grading weight, and the calculation method for final percentage marks	Shows the relative weightings of various general areas of competency within the occupation on which assessment is based



Section	Training Providers	Employers/ Sponsors	Apprentices	Challengers
Training Provider Standards	Defines the facility requirements, tools and equipment, reference materials (if any) and instructor requirements for the program	Identifies the tools and equipment an apprentice is expected to have access to; which are supplied by the training provider and which the student is expected to own	Provides information on the training facility, tools and equipment provided by the school and the student, reference materials they may be expected to acquire, and minimum qualification levels of program instructors	Identifies the tools and equipment a tradesperson is expected to be competent in using or operating; which may be used or provided in a practical assessment
Appendix – Glossary of Acronyms			Defines program specific acronyms	

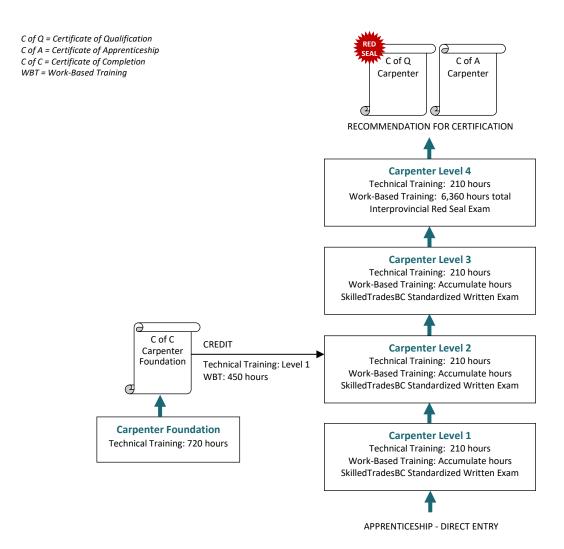


# Section 2 PROGRAM OVERVIEW

# Carpenter

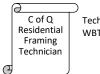
#### **Program Overview**

#### **Program Credentialing Model**



#### **CROSS-PROGRAM CREDITS**

Individuals who hold the credentials listed below are entitled to receive partial credit toward the completion requirements of this program



Technical Training: Level 1 WBT: 500 hours



Technical Training: Level 2 WBT: 2,500 hours



#### Occupational Analysis Chart

#### **CARPENTER**

Occupation Description: Carpenters construct, install, renovate, maintain, and repair residential, civil, industrial, commercial, and institutional (ICI) structures made of wood, steel, concrete, composite, and other materials. While the scope of the carpenter trade includes many aspects of building construction, a growing number of carpenters work for contractors in such areas of trade practice as concrete forming, framing, finishing, interior systems, renovations, and surveying. Carpenters are employed in a variety of project environments, including houses under construction or renovation, ICI, civil and infrastructure projects, and plants that pre-fabricate buildings. Carpenters are found working in a variety of sectors such as construction, manufacturing, service, mining, agricultural, institutional, commercial, forestry, and transit and transportation. Due to their involvement in most aspects of building construction, experienced carpenters may advance to supervisory positions or become independent contractors.

SAFE WORK PRACTICES  A	Apply shop and site safety practices  A1	Apply personal safety practices  A2			
DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS B	Use construction drawings and specifications  B1 1 2 3	Interpret building codes and bylaws  B2 1 2 3 4	Plan and organize work  B3	Perform trade math  B4	Use communication and mentorship techniques  B5
TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT	Use hand tools  C1 1 3	Use portable power tools  C2  1 2 C2	Use stationary power tools  C3  1 2 3		
SURVEY INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT	Use levelling instruments and equipment  D1	Use site layout equipment  D2			



#### **Program Overview**

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			4				4					4					4											



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FINISHING MATERIALS	Describe roofing materials  I1 2	Install doors and hardware	Install windows and hardware	Install exterior finishes  I4	Install interior finishes  I5  3 4	Install cabinets  I6
	Install interior floor, ceiling, and wall systems  I7  3 4					
BUILDING SCIENCE	Control the forces acting on a building  J1  1 4	Control the forces acting on a building as a system  J2  2 4				



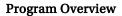
#### **CARPENTER - LEVEL 1**

		% of Time	Theory	Practical	Total
Line A A1 A2	SAFE WORK PRACTICES Apply shop and site safety practices Apply personal safety practices	6%	<b>50%</b> ✓	<b>50%</b> ✓	100%
Line B B1	DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS	14%	50% ✓	50% ✓	100%
B2	Use construction drawings and specifications Interpret building codes and bylaws		<b>∨</b> ✓	<b>∨</b>	
B3	Plan and organize work		<b>↓</b>	•	
B4	Perform trade math		· ✓		
B5	Use communication and mentorship techniques		<ul><li>✓</li></ul>		
Line C	TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT	15%	50%	50%	100%
C1	Use hand tools	1370	<b>30</b> 70 ✓	<b>30</b> 70 ✓	10070
C2	Use portable power tools		✓	✓	
C3	Use stationary power tools		✓	✓	
Line D	SURVEY INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT	8%	50%	50%	100%
D1	Use levelling instruments and equipment	0,0	<b>√</b>	√	10070
Line E	ACCESS, RIGGING, AND HOISTING EQUIPMENT	9%	40%	60%	100%
E1	Use ladders, scaffolds, and access equipment		√ ·	<b>√</b>	10070
E2	Use rigging and hoisting equipment		✓	✓	
Line F	SITE LAYOUT	5%	30%	70%	100%
F1	Lay out building locations		✓	✓	
Line G	CONCRETE FORMWORK	20%	50%	50%	100%
G1	Use concrete types, materials, additives, and treatments		<b>√</b>	00,0	20070
G2	Select concrete forming systems		✓		
G3	Build footing and vertical formwork		✓	✓	
G4	Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms		✓		
G5	Install reinforcement and embedded items		<b>√</b>		
G7	Place and finish concrete		✓		
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Line H H1	WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION Describe wood frame construction	20%	60% ✓	40%	100%
H2	Select framing materials		<b>↓</b>		
	Build floor systems		<b>∨</b> ✓	./	
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H4	Build wall systems		<b>√</b>	,	
H5	Build stair systems		$\checkmark$	✓	



#### **Program Overview**

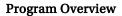
		% of Time	Theory	Practical	Total
<b>Line J</b> J1	BUILDING SCIENCE Control the forces acting on a building	3%	100% ✓	0%	100%
	Total Percentage for Carpenter Level 1	100%			





#### **CARPENTER - LEVEL 2**

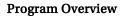
		% of Time	Theory	Practical	Total
Line B	DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS	13%	60%	40%	100%
B1	Use construction drawings and specifications		✓	✓	
B2	Interpret building codes and bylaws		✓		
Line C	TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT	10%	40%	60%	100%
C2	Use portable power tools		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
C3	Use stationary power tools		✓	✓	
Line D	SURVEY INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT	10%	70%	30%	100%
D2	Use site layout equipment		✓	✓	
Line G	CONCRETE FORMWORK	5%	50%	50%	100%
G4	Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms	370	JU/0 ✓	J070 ✓	100/0
G7	Place and finish concrete		✓		
Line H	WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION	28%	40%	60%	100%
H4	Build wall systems		<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	
H5	Build stair systems		<b>√</b>	✓	
H6	Build roof systems		<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	
Line I	FINISHING MATERIALS	29%	40%	60%	100%
I1	Describe roofing materials		$\checkmark$		
I2	Install doors and hardware		$\checkmark$	✓	
I3	Install windows and hardware		$\checkmark$	✓	
I4	Install exterior finishes		✓	✓	
Line J	BUILDING SCIENCE	5%	50%	50%	100%
J2	Control forces acting on a building as a system		<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	
	Total Percentage for Carpenter Level 2	100%			
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#### **CARPENTER - LEVEL 3**

		% of Time	Theory	Practical	Total
Line B B1 B2	DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS Use construction drawings and specifications Interpret building codes and bylaws	13%	<b>50%</b> ✓	<b>50%</b> ✓	100%
Line C C1 C3	TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT Use hand tools Use stationary power tools	5%	30% ✓ ✓	<b>70%</b> ✓	100%
Line E E2	ACCESS, RIGGING, AND HOISTING EQUIPMENT Use rigging and hoisting equipment	3%	60% ✓	<b>40%</b> ✓	100%
<b>Line F</b> F3	SITE LAYOUT Apply excavation and shoring practices	3%	100% ✓	0%	100%
Line G G1 G2 G3 G4 G5 G6 G8	CONCRETE FORMWORK Use concrete types, materials, additives, and treatments Select concrete forming systems Build footing and vertical formwork Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms Install reinforcement and embedded items Build concrete stair forms Install specialized formwork	32%	50%	50%  ✓  ✓  ✓  ✓	100%
Line H H6	WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION Build roof systems	20%	<b>50%</b> ✓	<b>50%</b> ✓	100%
Line I I2 I5 I6 I7	FINISHING MATERIALS Install doors and hardware Install interior finishes Install cabinets Install interior floor, ceiling, and wall systems	24%	30% ✓ ✓ ✓	<b>70%</b> ✓ ✓	100%
	Total Percentage for Carpenter Level 3	100%			





#### **CARPENTER - LEVEL 4**

		% of Time	Theory	Practical	Total
Line B B2	DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS Interpret building codes and bylaws	15%	40% ✓	60%	100%
B3	Plan and organize work		✓	✓	
B5	Use communication and mentorship techniques		✓	·	
Line D	SURVEY INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT	10%	50%	50%	100%
D2	Use site layout equipment		✓	✓	
Line F	SITE LAYOUT	3%	100%	0%	100%
F2	Prepare building site		✓		
Line H	WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION	46%	40%	60%	100%
H5	Build stair systems		✓	✓	
H6	Build roof systems		✓	$\checkmark$	
H7	Build specialized framing systems		✓		
H8	Perform renovations and additions		✓		
H9	Build timber and engineered wood construction		✓		
H10	Build decks and exterior structures		✓		
Line I	FINISHING MATERIALS	20%	50%	50%	100%
I5	Install interior finishes		✓	✓	
I7	Install interior floor, ceiling, and wall systems		✓		
Line J	BUILDING SCIENCE	6%	100%	0%	100%
J1	Control the forces acting on a building		<b>√</b>	0,0	10070
<u>J2</u>	Control the forces acting on a building as a system		✓		
	Total Percentage for Carpenter Level 4	100%			



# Section 3 PROGRAM CONTENT CARPENTER



# Level 1 Carpenter



Line (GAC): A SAFE WORK PRACTICES

Competency: A1 Apply shop and site safety practices

#### **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Apply safe work practices used in a shop and on a construction site

#### **LEARNING TASKS**

## CONTENT

- Describe Occupational Health and Safety (OHS)
   Regulation and related materials
- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Legal responsibilities
  - o Education and training
  - Orientation processes
  - Toolbox meetings
- Inspections and investigations
- WorkSafeBC assessment and penalty costs affecting employers
- 2. Use OHS Regulation and related materials
- Safety committees
  - o Purpose
  - Membership
  - o Role of members
  - Meetings and minutes
- Conducting toolbox meetings
  - o Purpose
  - Content
  - o Timing
- Conducting site inspections
  - Identification of hazards
  - Recommendations
- Remedies

3. Describe safe work practices

- Safety gear
- Inspecting condition of tools
- Using proper tools
- · Guards and barriers
- Operating hazardous equipment
- Using hazardous materials and harmful substances
- Flammable, explosion, and electrical hazards
- · Grounding of tools and equipment



#### LEARNING TASKS

#### CONTENT

- Lockout procedures
- Housekeeping
- Using compressed air
- Sound and light signals
- Entering confined spaces

4. Apply safe work practices

- Using OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Site-specific
- Health hazards and work environment controls
- Job hazard analysis (JHA)
- Pre-task safety instructions and hazard assessments
  - Field level risk assessment (FLRA)
- Personal protective equipment (PPE)
- Temporary lighting
- Construction procedures
- Woodworking machinery and processing

5. Describe fire safety procedures

- Components and causes of fire
  - o Fuel
  - o Heat
  - Oxygen
- Solvent flammability
  - Flash points
- Types of fires
  - o Class A, B, C, and D fires
- Use of fire extinguishers
- Fire prevention equipment
  - Welding blanket
  - Emergency fire blanket
- Precautions when working with flammable substances
- Safe use of temporary heating
- 6. Use Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS)
- WHMIS
- Labelling
- Safety data sheets (SDS)
- Symbols
- Storage



#### **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will interpret information from OHS Regulation.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Assignment sheet

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Accuracy

Interpretation



Line (GAC): A SAFE WORK PRACTICES

Competency: A2 Apply personal safety practices

#### **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe roles and responsibilities related to workplace safety
- Describes hazard identification in the workplace
- Use PPE
- Apply ergonomic practices
- Use fall protection systems

#### LEARNING TASKS

- Describe roles and responsibilities related to workplace safety
- 2. Describe hazard identification in the workplace

3. Use personal protective equipment and clothing

- Personal safety
- Responsibilities
  - o Employers
  - Employees
- Hazardous materials
- Slips and trips
- Working at height
  - o Fall protection
  - Tethering tools
  - Control zones
- Overhead dangers
- Confined spaces
  - o Certification
- Excavations
- Working around equipment
- Uneven ground
- Changes in conditions
- Inspecting
  - o Tagging out worn and defective PPE
  - Frequency of inspection
- Adjusting
- Maintaining
- Storing
- Hand protection
- · Leg and foot protection
- Headgear
- Eye protection



#### LEARNING TASKS

- 4. Apply ergonomic practices
- 5. Use fall protection systems

- Ear protection
- Respiratory protection
- Personal apparel
- Precautions for weather
- Musculoskeletal Injuries (MSI)
- Procedures for operating, lifting, and carrying objects and tools
- Certification courses
- Fall protection systems
  - Guardrails
  - Fall restraint
  - o Fall arrest
  - o Rescue
- Rope grabs and shock limiting devices
- Using safety harness, lanyard, and lifeline
- Safety equipment inspection



Line (GAC): B DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

Competency: B1 Use construction drawings and specifications

#### **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe drawings
- Use drafting tools and materials
- Use construction drawings

#### LEARNING TASKS

- Describe drawings
- 2. Describe the parts of drawings

3. Describe construction documents

4. Use drafting tools and materials

- Views
- Types of drawings
- Line types
- Symbols
- Abbreviations
- Title block
- Borders
- Revisions
- Legends
- Notes
- Scale
  - o Ratio and proportion
- Plot plan
- Foundation plan
- Floor plans
- Survey plans
- Subdivision plans
- Elevations
- Sections
- Details
- Schedules
- Legal descriptions
- Surveyor's Certificate
- Terms
- Drafting board
- Drafting table
- T-square



#### LEARNING TASKS

#### CONTENT

- Set squares
- Scales
- Drawing pencils
- Templates
- Compasses
- Erasers
- Dusting cloth or brush
- Drawing paper
- Tracing paper
- Drafting or masking tape
- Computer-Aided Design and Drafting (CADD)

5. Use construction drawings

- Building dimensions
- Construction type
- Room layout
- Fixture locations
- Finish details

#### Achievement Criteria 1

Performance The learner will use drafting tools to draw a project.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Specifications

Assignment sheet

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Accuracy

Procedure

#### Achievement Criteria 2

Performance The learner will interpret information from construction drawings.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Drawings and specifications

Assignment sheet

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Accuracy



Line (GAC): B DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

Competency: B2 Interpret building codes and bylaws

#### **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Use building codes and bylaws
- Describe the types and purposes of inspections

#### LEARNING TASKS

#### CONTENT

1. Describe building codes and bylaws

- National Building Code
- BC Building Code
- Municipal zone bylaws
- Vancouver Building Code
- National Fire Code

2. Use building codes and bylaws

- BC Building Code
- 3. Describe the types and purposes of inspections
- Purpose of inspections
- Sequence of inspections
- Work that requires inspections
  - o Foundation and forms
  - Perimeter drain, rain water leaders, and sumps
  - o Rough in plumbing
  - o Foundation insulation and ground seal
  - Subtrades
    - Gas
    - Electrical
    - Security
    - Fire suppression
  - o Chimney and fireplace
  - o Framing
  - o Insulation and vapour barrier
  - o Building envelope
    - Energy efficiency
  - Final inspections

#### **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will interpret information from the building code.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Assignment sheet

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Accuracy



Line (GAC): B DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

Competency: B3 Plan and organize work

#### **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe the construction planning process
- Describe manufacturer and supplier documentation
- Describe material handling plan

#### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe the construction planning process

- 2. Describe manufacturer and supplier documentation
- 3. Describe material handling plan

- Overviewing sequence of a build
  - o Pre-build
    - Consulting
    - Budgeting
    - Designing
    - Permits and applications
    - Scheduling project
- Types
- Uses
- Formats
- · How to access
- · Storing and record keeping
- Handling
- Storage
- Protection
- Receiving



Line (GAC): B DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

Competency: B4 Perform trade math

#### **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

Use trade mathematics

#### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe trade mathematic concepts

2. Use trade mathematics

- Mathematic concepts
- Application in carpentry trade
- Converting between metric and imperial measurements
- Using calculators
- Fractions
- Ratio/proportion
- Percentage
- Order of operations/BEDMAS
- Geometry
  - o Circle math
  - o Pythagorean theorem
  - o Area and volume calculations
- Algebra



Line (GAC): B DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

Competency: B5 Use communication and mentorship techniques

#### **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe effective communication skills
- Describe communication expectations
- Describe the role of the protégé

#### **LEARNING TASKS**

1. Describe effective communication skills

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- Verbal and written instructions
- Professionalism
  - o Participation
  - o Responsibilites
  - Conflict resolution
  - o Punctuality
  - o Respect
  - Social responsibility
- Trade terminology
- Harrassment and discrimination
- Constructive feedback
- Safety and information meetings
- 2. Describe communication expectations
- Purpose
  - Safety
  - o Project coordination
  - o Instructions
  - o Procedures
- Networking
- Digital/social media
  - o Etiquette
- Open communciation
- Interfacing with public
- Methods and equipment
  - o Phone
  - o Digital
  - o Written
- Teamwork
- Delegation
- Empowerment



#### LEARNING TASKS

3. Describe the role of the protégé

- Valuing mentor
- Accepting feedback
- Respect
- Personal responsibility of apprenticeship
- Goals



Line (GAC): C TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

Competency: C1 Use hand tools

#### **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe hand tools
- Use hand tools

#### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe hand tools

2. Use measuring and layout tools

3. Use cutting, boring, and shaping tools

- Purpose
- Measuring and layout
- Cutting, boring, and shaping
- Fastening
- Finishing
- Safety
- Types
  - o Squares
  - Rulers
  - o Tape measures
  - o Levels
  - o Plumb bobs
  - o String lines/chalk lines
  - Marking tools
- Parts
- Operation
- Adjustment
- Maintenance
- Storage
- Safety
- Types
  - Hand saws
  - Planes
  - o Chisels
  - Knives
  - o Drill bits
  - o Files
  - o Rasps
  - o Sandpaper
- Parts



#### LEARNING TASKS

#### CONTENT

- Operation
- Adjustment
- Maintenance
- Storage

4. Use fastening tools

- Safety
- Types
  - Hammers
  - o Screwdrivers
  - o Bars
  - o Pliers and cutters
  - Wrenches
- Parts
- Operation
- Adjustment
- Maintenance
- Storage

#### **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will lay out and build a hand tool project.

Conditions The learner will be given:

- Drawings and specifications
- Tools

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Tool use
- Calculations
- Accuracy of layout and cuts
- Quality of finished product



Line (GAC): C **TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT** 

C2 Competency: Use portable power tools

#### **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe portable power tools
- Use portable power tools

#### LEARNING TASKS

#### Describe portable power tools

- CONTENT
  - **Types** 
    - Cutting
    - Boring
    - Shaping
    - Fastening

- Describe the use of portable power tools 2.
- Safety
- Electric
- Pneumatic
- Mechanical
- Operating procedures
- Following manufacturers' documentation
- Condition of equipment
- Power supply
- Storage of tools
- Battery disposal

Use portable circular saws

- **Purpose**
- Safety
- Types and sizes
  - Corded
  - Cordless
- Parts
- Blade types
- Operations
- Accessories
- Adjustments
- Maintenance

4. Use portable mitre saws

- Purpose
- Safety



# LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

- Types, sizes, and capacities
  - o Mitre saws
  - o Compound mitre saws
- Parts
- Operations
- Accessories
- Adjustments
- Maintenance

5. Use portable drills and drivers

- Purpose
- Safety
- Types, sizes, and speeds
  - o Corded
  - Cordless
- Parts
- Bit types
- Fastener types
- Operations
- Accessories
- Adjustments
- Maintenance

6. Use portable pneumatic tools

- Supply system
- Purpose
- Safety
- Types and sizes
  - Nail guns
  - Staplers
  - o Impact wrenches
- Parts
- Fastener types
- Operations
- Accessories
- Adjustments
- Maintenance

7. Use jigsaws and reciprocating saws

- Purpose
- Safety
- Types, sizes, and speeds
  - o Jigsaws



# LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

- Reciprocating saws
- o Multi tools
- o Corded/cordless
- Parts
- Blade types
- Operations
- Accessories
- Adjustments
- Maintenance

# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will lay out and build a project that includes cross, mitre, and bevel cuts, and

ripping with a circular saw.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Drawings and specifications

Tools

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Tool use

Accuracy of layout and cuts

• Quality of finished project



Line (GAC): C TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

Competency: C3 Use stationary power tools

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Use table saws
- Use bench grinders

### LEARNING TASKS

1. Use table saws

### CONTENT

- Safety
- Purpose
- Types and sizes
- Parts
- Blade types and purpose
- Accessories
- Operations
- Types of cuts
- Adjustments
- Maintenance
- Following manufacturers' documentation

2. Use bench grinders

- Safety
- Purpose
- Wheel types, sizes, and speed
- Parts
- Fastener types
- Operations
- Accessories
- Adjustments
- Maintenance
- Following manufacturers' documentation

# Achievement Criteria 1

Performance The learner will perform rip and cross cuts on a table saw.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Table saw

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Tool use
- Accuracy of dimensions



# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance The learner will use a bench grinder to sharpen a chisel or plane iron.

Conditions The learner will be given:

- A chisel or plane iron
- Bench grinder
- Sharpening stones

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Tool use
- Procedure
- Sharpness of finished edge

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Line (GAC): D SURVEY INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT

Competency: D1 Use levelling instruments and equipment

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Use levelling equipment
- Maintain levelling equipment

### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe levelling equipment

2. Use levelling equipment

3. Maintain levelling equipment

- Purpose
- Types of levelling instruments
  - Builder's levels
  - Electronic levels
- Parts
- Components
  - o Tripod
  - Surveyor's rod
- Instrument set-up
- Testing level
- Levelling rods
  - Parts
  - o Scales
  - Rod types
  - o Hand signals
- Electronic and laser levels
  - o Parts
  - o Setting up procedures
  - Target use
  - Setting elevations
- Measuring elevations
- Recording elevations
- Common errors
- Storage
- Transporting
- Protection from elements
- Cleaning and maintenance of parts



# Achievement Criteria 1

Performance The learner will complete a survey circuit to identify elevations at various locations, including

a turning point.

Conditions The learner will be given:

• Site plan including survey points

Field book

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy of rod readings

• Field book recordings

Instrument set up

# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance The learner will transfer elevations.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Electronic or optical level, receiver, and rod

Survey points

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Tool use

Accuracy of elevations



Line (GAC): E ACCESS, RIGGING, AND HOISTING EQUIPMENT

Competency: E1 Use ladders, scaffolds, and access equipment

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Use ladders
- Describe access equipment
- · Use scaffolds and temporary access structures

### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe ladders

### CONTENT

- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Ladder ratings
- Portable ladder safety
- Ladder types
  - Access ladder
  - o Performance ladder
  - o Job built ladder
- Accessories

2. Use ladders

- Safety
- Procedure for use
- Maintenance
- Storage

3. Describe access equipment

- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Swing stages
- Suspended power platform
- Scissor lifts
- Aerial lifts
- 4. Describe use of scaffolds and temporary access structures
- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Scaffold types
- General requirements
- Fall protection requirements
- Temporary ramps, walkways, and stairs
  - Slope regulations
  - o Guards
- Work platforms



CONTENT

LEARNING TASKS

5. Use scaffolds and temporary access structures

• Assembly procedures

• Dismantling procedures

Construction and use

**Achievement Criteria** 

Performance The learner will set up a scaffold system with an access ladder.

Conditions The learner will be given:

A scaffold system

A ladder

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

• Tool use

• Assembly and disassembly of the scaffold system



Line (GAC): E ACCESS, RIGGING, AND HOISTING EQUIPMENT

Competency: E2 Use rigging and hoisting equipment

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Use ropes
- Describe rigging equipment
- Describe hoists and cranes
- Use communication methods for lifting loads with cranes and hoists

### LEARNING TASKS

# 1. Use ropes

### **CONTENT**

- Safety
- Purpose
- Rope types
  - Fibre
  - o Wire
  - Stranding
- Terminology
  - o Breaking strength
  - o Working load limits (WLL)
- · Knots, bends, and hitches
  - o Bowline
  - o Figure eight
  - o Reef or square knot
  - Sheet bend
  - o Round turn and two half-hitches
  - o Clove hitch
  - o Timber hitch
  - o Trucker's knot

2. Describe rigging equipment

- Slings
- Web slings
- Turnbuckles
- Eyes
- Shackles
- Cable clips and thimbles
- Hooks
- Spreader bars
- Tag lines



### LEARNING TASKS

### 3. Describe cranes and hoists

# CONTENT

- Purpose
- Types of cranes
- Types of hoists
- Rollers
- 4. Use communication methods for lifting loads with cranes and hoists
- Hand signals
- Radio communication
- Video systems

### Achievement Criteria 1

Performance The learner will use hand signals for communication.

Conditions The learner will be given:

• A series of crane operations to be signaled

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

SafetyAccuracy

# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance The learner will tie knots, bends, and/or hitches.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Rope

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy



Line (GAC): F SITE LAYOUT

Competency: F1 Lay out building locations

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe survey markers
- Build batter boards
- Describe excavation and grading procedures

### LEARNING TASKS

# 1. Describe survey markers

### CONTENT

- Iron pin
- Lead plug
- Survey point
- Hub
- Corner stake
- Witness stake
- Benchmark
- Datum point
- Monument
- Locate correct plot plans

2. Build batter boards

- Location
- Construction
- Locating lines
- Tying lines
- Plumbing down from lines
- Laying out square corners
  - o Measuring diagonals
- 3-4-5 Method
- 3. Describe excavation and grading procedures
- Clearing the site
- Excavating
- Cutting and filling
- Contour lines
- Grades
- Grade line and grade stakes



# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will set up batter boards and string lines for a foundation project.

Conditions The learner will be given:

A foundation planReference points

Tools

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

• Setting of string lines

Dimensioning

Construction procedures

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Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G1 Use concrete types, materials, additives, and treatments

# Objectives

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Describe concrete

# LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe concrete

- Safety
- Purpose
- Uses
- Materials
  - o Portland cement
  - o Water
  - Aggregates
  - o Reinforcing steel
  - o Embedded materials
- Handling
  - o Transport
  - o Placement
  - o Finishing
  - Curing



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G2 Select concrete forming systems

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe the construction of concrete formwork and falsework systems
- Describe formwork material and hardware
- Describe concrete joints

### LEARNING TASKS

Describe concrete formwork and falsework systems

### CONTENT

- WorkSafeBC regulations and standards
- Safety
- Efficiency
- Architectural considerations
- Terminology
- Definitions
  - o Responsibility of employer
  - o Responsibility of formwork designer
  - Construction requirements
  - Inspection requirements
- Concrete pre-stressing
- 2. Describe formwork material and hardware
- Lumber
- Plywood
- Metal forms
- Plywood forms
- Ties
- Wedges and brackets
- · Walers, strong backs, and bracing
- Reglets and inserts

3. Describe concrete joints

- Types
  - Contraction
  - Control
  - o Expansion
  - Isolation
  - o Construction
  - Cold
- Methods of construction



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G3 Build footing and vertical formwork

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe the construction of footing and vertical forms
- Plan footing, wall, and vertical forms
- Calculate concrete volumes
- Construct footing and vertical forms
- Describe removal of concrete forms

### LEARNING TASKS

- 1. Describe footing forms
- 2. Describe wall forms

3. Plan footing, wall, and vertical forms

- Types
  - o Strip
  - o Stepped
  - o Column
  - o Grade beams
- Built-in-place forms
  - o Strip easy forms
  - Snap tie forms
  - o Insulated concrete forms (ICF)
- Form panels
- Form ties
- Wedges
- Walers
- Strong backs
- Bracing
- Corner construction
- Pour strip
- Chamfer strip
- Bulkheads and door bucks
- Corbels
- Pilasters
- Methods of construction
- Safety
- Codes
- Select materials
- Material handling and storage
- Schedule



LEARNING TASKS	CONTENT		
	<ul> <li>Access</li> </ul>		

4. Calculate concrete volumes • Footings

Walls

• Columns

• Centreline

5. Build footing, wall, and vertical forms • Layout

Assembling

Supporting

Aligning

• Bracing

 Describe removal of concrete forms
 OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards

Safety

• Concrete design strength

Form removal

Tool selection

Edge protector

### Achievement Criteria 1

Performance Conditions The learner will build footing and wall forms using a strip easy tie system.

The learner will be given:

• A foundation plan which includes bucks, blockouts, and pour strip

Tools

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

• Use of material and hardware

Plumb and level

Construction techniques

# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance

The learner will build footing and vertical forms using snap tie system.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

• A foundation plan which includes chamfer strip

• Forming material and hardware

Tools

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

• Use of material and hardware

Accuracy

Plumb and level



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G4 Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Describe slabs-on-grade

# LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe slabs-on-grade

- Types of slabs
- Ground preparation
- Strength and durability
- Reinforcement
- Form system
- Ground seal



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G5 Install reinforcement and embedded items

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Describe reinforcing for concrete

# LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe reinforcing for concrete

- Purpose
- Deformed bar
- Smooth bar
- Sheet or rolled mesh
- Size and spacing
- Cutting
- Splicing
- Tying
- Anchor bolts



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G7 Place and finish concrete

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Describe the delivery and placement of concrete

# LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe the delivery and placement of concrete

- Safety
- Tools and equipment
  - Power trowels
  - Power screed
- Manufacturing and delivery
- Placement methods
  - o Concrete pumps
    - Boom pumps
    - Line pumps
    - Priming concrete line
  - o Chutes
  - o Buggies
  - Wheelbarrow
  - o Concrete bucket
  - o Placement boom
  - Rate of pour
- Underwater placement
- Consolidation
- Weather considerations
- Environmental considerations
- Segregation
- Screed



Line (GAC): Η WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Describe wood frame construction Competency: H1

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe framing systems
- Describe the terms used in wood frame construction
- Describe framing members
- Describe roof styles

### LEARNING TASKS

Describe framing systems

- Platform

CONTENT

- Balloon frame
- Engineered
  - Timber frame
  - Post and beam
- Mass timber
  - Cross-laminated timber (CLT)
  - Dowel-laminated timber (DLT)
  - Nail-laminated timber (NLT)

- 2. Describe the terms used in wood frame construction
- 3. Describe framing members

Describe roof styles 4.

- Structural terms
- Architectural terms
- Floors and ceilings
- Walls and partitions
- Roofs
- Trusses
- Bracing and blocking
- Sheathing
- Flat
- Shed
- Gable
- Hip
- Intersecting
- Mansard
- Gambrel
- Butterfly



Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H2 Select framing materials

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe characteristics of wood
- Describe wood production
- Describe common defects in wood
- Describe manufactured products
- Describe fasteners used in wood frame construction
- Describe hardware used in wood frame construction

### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe characteristics of wood

2. Describe wood production

Describe common defects in wood

- Structural
- Aesthetic
- Softwood species
- Hardwood species
- Tropical hardwoods
- Production methods
  - Sawing
  - Drying
  - Surfacing
- Moisture content
- Sizes
- Grading
  - o Grade stamps
  - o Board lumber
  - o Light framing
  - o Joists and planks
  - Beams and stringers
  - o Posts and timbers
  - Decking
- Siding
- Warp
- Compression wood
- Mechanical defects
- Split, check, and shake
- Knots
- Wane



# LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

- Pitched, streaked, and stained wood
- Mould and decay
- · Insect damage
- Manufacturing imperfections

4. Describe manufactured products

- Veneers
- Composite materials
- · Pressure-treated
- Cross-banding
- Adhesives
- Softwood plywood grades
- Plywood veneers and cores
- Faces, backs, and cores
- Standard sizes and thicknesses
- 5. Describe fasteners used in wood frame construction
- Applications
- Nails
- Adhesives
- Threaded
- Treated wood
- Powder-actuated
- 6. Describe hardware used in wood frame construction
- Framing connectors
- Treated wood connectors
- Seismic connectors



Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H3 Build floor systems

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Plan floor systems
- Calculate floor systems
- Build pony walls
- Build posts/columns and beams
- Build floors
- Describe deck systems

### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe floor systems

2. Plan floor systems

- Purposes
- Uses
- Types of floor systems
  - o Lumber
  - Engineered
- Components of a floor system
  - o Pony walls
  - o Posts/columns
  - o Beams
  - Joists
  - Sheathing
- Bridging
- Critical barriers
- Safety
- Code requirements
- · Determining materials and sizes
- Spacing
- Spans
- Construction drawings
- Interpreting manufacturers' documentation
  - o Layout
  - o Drilling holes
  - Blocking
  - o Fastener selection
  - o Temporary bracing
- Construction sequence
- Stairwell openings



### LEARNING TASKS

3. Calculate floor systems

- **CONTENT**
- Spans
- · Material quantities
  - Components

- 4. Build pony walls
- 5. Build posts/columns and beams

- Pony wall construction
- Post/column anchorage
- Installing posts/columns and beams

6. Build floors

- Layout and installation of
  - o Sill plates
  - Joists
  - o Bridging or blocking
- Openings
- Nailing requirements
- Joists supported by steel beams
- Installation of sheathing

7. Describe deck systems

- Safety
- Purpose
- Components
- Types
  - o Deck with spaced boards
  - Deck over living space
- Methods
- Code requirements
- Construction drawings
- Construction sequence

### **Achievement Criteria**

Performance

The learner will plan, layout, and build a floor system with an opening.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

- Drawings that include openings and provisions for mechanical services
- Tools
- Materials

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Joist layout reflecting needs of services
- Sequencing of joists around openings
- Compliance with codes
- Dimensional accuracy



Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H4 Build wall systems

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Describe wall systems

# LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe wall systems

- Purpose
- Use
- Type of systems
  - o Pre-fabricated
  - o Structural panels
  - o Traditional wall framing
  - o Exterior
  - o Interior
  - o Load bearing
  - Non-load bearing
  - o Shear wall
  - o Party wall



Line (GAC): Η WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: **H5 Build stair systems** 

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Plan straight stairs
- Calculate straight stairs
- Build stairs and a handrail

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1. Describe stair systems

### 2. Plan straight stairs

- 3. Calculate straight stairs
- 4. Build straight stairs and handrails

# CONTENT

- Purpose
- Stair terms
- Safety
- Code requirements
  - **Stairs**
  - Handrails
- Construction drawings
- Construction sequence
- Dimensions
- **Stairs** 
  - Layout
  - Cut
  - Assemble
  - Handrails
    - Layout 0
    - Cut 0
    - Assemble

### Achievement Criteria

Performance

The learner will plan and build straight stairs with a handrail.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

- Specifications
- **Tools**
- Materials

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Compliance with building codes
- Correct calculations, layout, and cuts
- Dimensional accuracy: straight, square, and plumb
- Quality of finished project



Line (GAC): J BUILDING SCIENCE

Competency: J1 Control the forces acting on a building

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Describe the forces acting on a building

# LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

1. Describe the forces acting on a building structure

- Dead and live loads
- Stresses
  - Compression
  - o Tension
  - o Torsion
  - o Shear
- Uplift
- Gravity



# Level 2 Carpenter



Line (GAC): B DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

Competency: B1 Use construction drawings and specifications

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Use architectural drawings
- Describe schedules
- Draw finishing details

# LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe architectural drawings

2. Use architectural drawings

- 3. Describe schedules
- 4. Draw finishing details

- Residential
- Industrial, commercial, and institutional (ICI)
- Plans
- Sections
- Elevations
- Shop drawings
- As built drawings
- Residential
- ICI
- Plans
- Sections
- Elevations
- Shop drawings
- As built drawings
- Door schedules
- Window schedules
- Hardware schedules
- Plan
- Section
- Elevation
- Component identification



# Achievement Criteria 1

Performance The learner will interpret information from a set of construction drawings.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Drawings and specifications

Assignment sheet

Criteria The individual will be evaluated on:

Interpretation of plans

# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance The learner will draw plans for a project such as a door or exterior finish detail.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Project specifications

Materials

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

• Use of standard construction drawing standards and techniques

Complete and correct content

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Line (GAC): B DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

Competency: B2 Interpret building codes and bylaws

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe the use of municipal permits
- Describe warranties and inspections
- Describe the role of BC Housing in construction

### **LEARNING TASKS**

# 1. Describe the use of municipal permits

### CONTENT

- Development of permit application
- Building permit application
- Demolition permit
- Hoarding permit
- Gas fitting permit
- Plumbing permit
- Electrical permit
- Fuel tank permit
- Sign permit
- Water connection permit
- Sewer connection permit
- Health permit
- Occupancy permit

2. Describe warranties and inspections

- Role
- Warranty providers
- Inspections
  - Energy advisor consultations
- 3. Describe the role of BC Housing in construction
- Definition
- Purpose
- Licencing/warranty
- Research



Line (GAC): C TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

Competency: C2 Use portable power tools

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe powder-actuated tools
- Describe chain saws
- · Describe hammer drills, rotary hammers, and demolition hammers
- Describe cut-off saws
- Describe portable grinders
- Use portable routers
- Use portable sanders
- Use portable power planes
- Use portable biscuit (plate) joiners

### LEARNING TASKS

# 1. Describe powder-actuated tools

# CONTENT

- Safety
- Purpose
- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- · Types and sizes
- Hazard recognition

2. Describe chain saws

- Safety
- Purpose
- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Types and sizes
- Hazard recognition
- · Protective clothing and equipment
- 3. Describe hammer drills, rotary hammers, and demolition hammers
- Safety
- Purpose
- Types and sizes
- Parts
- Operations
- Accessories
- Bit types
- Adjustments
- Maintenance



# LEARNING TASKS

4. Describe cut-off saws

5. Describe portable grinders

6. Use portable routers

7. Use portable sanders

8. Use portable power planes

- Safety
- Purpose
- Types and sizes
- Parts
- Operations
- Accessories
- Adjustment
- Maintenance
- Safety
- Types and sizes
- Parts
- Operations
- Accessories
- Abrasive types and speeds
- Adjustment
- Maintenance
- Safety
- Purpose
- Types
- Parts
- Bit types
- Tables
- Operation
- Maintenance
- Storage
- Safety
- Purpose
- Types
- Parts
- Abrasive types
- Operation
- Maintenance
- Storage
- Safety
- Purpose



# LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

- Types
- Parts
- Blades
- Operation
- Maintenance
- Storage

9. Use portable biscuit (plate) joiners

- Safety
- Purpose
- Types
- Parts
- Biscuits
- Operation
- Maintenance
- Storage

# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance

The learner will use portable power tools to complete a project.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

- Drawings and specifications
- Portable power tools

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy



Line (GAC): C TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

Competency: C3 Use stationary power tools

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Use a jointer
- Use a thickness planer
- Use sanding machines

### LEARNING TASKS

1. Use a jointer

2. Use a thickness planer

3. Use sanding machines

- Safety
- Purpose
- Types
- Parts
- Accessories
- Knives
- Adjustments
- Operations
- Maintenance
- Safety
- Purpose
- Types
- Parts
- Accessories
- Knives
- Operations
- Adjustments
- Maintenance
- Safety
- Purpose
- Types
- Parts
- Abrasive types
- Accessories
- Operations
- Adjustments
- Maintenance



# Achievement Criteria

Performance The learner will use stationary power tools to finish a project.

Conditions The learner will be given:

- Drawings and specifications
- Stationary power tools
- Materials

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Selection of cutting blades, bits, and abrasives
- Use of jigs and accessories



Line (GAC): D SURVEY INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT

Competency: D2 Use site layout equipment

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe electronic layout instruments
- Use theodolites

# LEARNING TASKS

# **CONTENT**

- 1. Describe electronic layout instruments
- Purpose
- Types
  - o Theodolites
  - Total stations
- Parts

2. Use layout equipment

- Calculations
- Introduction to trigonometry
- Square corners
- Angles
- Site plans
- Building plans
- Storage
- Transporting
- Protection from elements
- Cleaning and maintenance of parts

### Achievement Criteria

Performance The learner will lay out building corners using a theodolite.

Conditions The learner will be given:

- Construction drawings
- Theodolite

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Use of instrument
- Calculation of angles and lengths to locate corners
- Accuracy of location of corner stakes



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G4 Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Build slabs-on-grade

# LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

1. Build slabs-on-grade

- Ground preparation
- Form system
- Reinforcement
- Establishing elevations

# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance

The learner will build the formwork for a sloping slab-on-grade.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

- Drawings and specifications
- Tools
- Equipment

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Correct installation as per drawings



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G7 Place and finish concrete

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe concrete finishing
- · Describe the process of concrete curing
- Describe concrete defects

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1. Describe concrete finishing

# CONTENT

- Safety
- Tools and equipment
- Walls
- Flatwork
- Procedures
- Surface treatments
- 2. Describe the process of concrete curing
- Hydration
- Curing
- · Sealers and hardeners
- Environmental conditions

3. Describe concrete defects

- Types
- Causes
- Repairs



Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H4 Build wall systems

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Plan wall systems
- Build wood frame walls

# LEARNING TASKS

1. Plan wall systems

- 2. Calculate wall systems
- 3. Build wall systems

- Safety
- Code requirements
  - Determine materials and sizes
  - o Spacing
  - o Spans
  - Brace walls
- Engineering
  - Seismic hardware
- Construction drawings
- Construction sequence
- Temporary bracing
- Critical barriers
- Spans
- Framing materials
- Components
- Build exterior walls
  - o Layout
  - Assemble
  - o Squaring walls
  - Sheathing
  - Standing walls
  - Straightening and bracing walls
- Build interior walls
  - Layout
  - o Assemble
  - o Standing walls
  - Straightening and bracing walls
  - o Fire stops
  - o Backframing



# Achievement Criteria

Performance The learner will build walls and partitions.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Drawings

• Materials

Tools

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

- Accuracy
- Stud layout
- Framing around openings
- Compliance with code
- Dimensional accuracy: square, plumb, and level



Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H5 Build stair systems

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Plan straight stairs and balustrade
- · Build straight stairs and balustrade

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# CONTENT

Describe stairs and balustrade
 Types

StraightMulti-flight

• Stair components

Balustrade components

Plan stairs and balustrade
 Safety

Code requirements

• Construction drawings

o Design considerations

• Construction sequence

3. Calculate stairs and balustrade • Building codes

Rise and run

• Stairwell openings

• Stair dimensions

Materials

4. Build stairs and balustrade • Layout

Cut

• Assemble

# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance

The learner will plan and build straight stairs with a balustrade.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

• Drawings and specifications

Tools

Materials

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

• Compliance with building codes

• Calculations, layout, and cuts

Dimensional accuracy: straight, square, and plumb

Quality of finished project



Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H6 Build roof systems

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe roof systems
- Describe truss roofs
- Plan a gable roof system
- Build a gable roof
- Build a hip rafter

# **LEARNING TASKS**

- 1. Describe roof systems
- 2. Plan a gable roof system
- 3. Calculate gable roof systems
- 4. Build a gable roof system
- 5. Describe truss roofs

- Purpose
- Uses
- Types
- Components
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Construction drawings
- Construction sequence
- Theoretical lengths
- Quantities of ceiling and roof framing materials
- Layout roof members
- Layout plate
- Cut members
- Assemble
- Safety
- Interpret manufacturers' documentation
- Layout of trusses
- Handling and installation of trusses
- Fastening trusses
- Bracing requirements



# LEARNING TASKS

# 6. Calculate hip rafter systems

# CONTENT

- Theoretical lengths
- Materials
- Adjustments

7. Build a hip rafter system

- Safety
- Code requirements
- Construction drawings
- Construction sequence

# Achievement Criteria 1

Performance

The learner will build a gable roof with ceiling joists.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

• Drawings and specifications

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Tool use
- Calculation and layout of ceiling joists, rafters, and other roof framing members
- Dimensional accuracy: straight and square
- Accuracy of cuts

# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance

The learner will layout and install a hip rafter.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

- Drawings and specifications
- Tools
- Materials

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Dimensional accuracy



Line (GAC): I FINISHING MATERIALS

Competency: I1 Describe roofing materials

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe roofing materials
- Plan for the installation of roofing materials
- Calculate roofing materials

# LEARNING TASKS

# 1. Describe roofing materials

# CONTENT

- Purpose
- Types
- Re-roofing
- Flashing
- Underlay
- Accessories
- Fasteners
- 2. Plan for the installation of roofing materials
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Tools
- Protecting existing surfaces
- Removing existing roofing materials
- Underlay
- Flashing
- Accessories

3. Calculate roofing materials

- Coverage
- Waste factors
- Accessories



Line (GAC): I FINISHING MATERIALS

Competency: I2 Install doors and hardware

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Install exterior doors

LEARNING TASKS	CONTRENTE
1. Describe exterior doors	CONTENT
1. Describe exterior doors	• Purpose
	• Schedule
	• Code requirements
	<ul> <li>Security requirements</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Common types</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Construction</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Terminology</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Weather and air sealing</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Storage during construction</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Swing/hand of door</li> </ul>
2. Describe specialty exterior doors	<ul><li>Types</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Purpose</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Installation</li> </ul>
3. Describe exterior door jambs	• Types
	<ul> <li>Purpose</li> </ul>
	• Construction
4. Describe exterior door hardware	• Types
	<ul> <li>Architectural</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Purpose</li> </ul>
	Storage
	• Labelling
5. Install exterior doors	• Types
	Operation
	• Fitting

Templates



# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will install an exterior door with hardware.

Conditions The learner will be given:

• Drawings and specifications

Materials

Tools

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

Compliance with building code

• Installation of door to specified tolerances

Installation of hardware

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Line (GAC): I FINISHING MATERIALS

Competency: I3 Install windows and hardware

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Plan window installation
- Install windows

# LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe windows and hardware

# 2. Plan window installation

3. Install windows

- Purpose
- Code requirements
- Types
- Components
- Construction
- Energy efficiency
- Storage
- Operation
- Schedule
- Code requirements
- Drawings and specifications
- Manufacturers' specifications
- Delivery
- Storage
- Access
- Installation
  - Critical barriers
- Protection
- Safety
- Fitting
- Plumb
- Level
- Shimming
- Fastening
- Sealing
- Accessories



# Achievement Criteria

Performance The learner will install a window.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Tools

• A rough opening

• A window

• Building envelope material

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Compliance with manufacturers' specifications
- Preparation of opening
- Positioning of window in rough opening
- Installation of flashing and membranes



Line (GAC): I FINISHING MATERIALS

Competency: I4 Install exterior finishes

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe building envelope
- Plan exterior finish installation
- Install exterior finishing materials

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1. Describe building envelope

2. Describe exterior finish materials

3. Plan exterior finish installation

4. Calculate exterior finish materials

- Code requirements
- Purpose
- Terminology
- Critical barriers
  - o Air
  - o Vapour
  - Moisture
  - o Thermal
- Rainscreen systems
- Energy efficiency
- Code requirements
- Purpose
- Types of finish materials
- Types of cladding
- Trim and accessories
- Fasteners
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Drawings and specifications
- Sequence of installation
- Delivery
- Storage
- Access
- Installation
- Protection
- Materials
- Components



# LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

Accessories

5. Install exterior finishing materials

- Layout
- Installation

# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will install exterior cladding materials including flashing.

Conditions The learner will be given:

- Tools
- Framed wall with building envelope penetrations
- Cladding and soffit material
- Flashing and barrier material

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Compliance with Code
- Compliance with manufacturers' specifications
- Properly installed details for building envelope penetrations
- Installation of flashing and cladding



Line (GAC): J BUILDING SCIENCE

Competency: J2 Control forces acting on a building as a system

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe control of water
- Describe control of vapour
- Describe control of air movement
- Describe control of heat and cold
- Install building envelope components

LEARNING TASKS		CONTENT
1.	Describe control of water	<ul> <li>Purpose</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Principles</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Materials</li> </ul>
		• Methods
2.	Describe control of vapour	<ul> <li>Purpose</li> </ul>
		<ul><li>Principles</li></ul>
		<ul><li>Materials</li></ul>
		<ul> <li>Methods</li> </ul>
3.	Describe control of air movement	• Durnoco
5.	Describe control of all movement	• Purpose
		• Principles
		Materials
		• Methods
4.	Describe control of heat and cold	• Purpose
		<ul> <li>Principles</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Materials</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Methods</li> </ul>
5.	Install building envelope components	<ul> <li>Purpose</li> </ul>
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# Achievement Criteria

Performance The learner will install building envelope control layers.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Tools

• Materials

Details

Drawings

• Manufacturers' specifications

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

• Compliance with manufacturers' specifications

• Installation of flashing and membranes

Sequencing

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# Level 3 Carpenter



Line (GAC): B DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

Competency: B1 Use construction drawings and specifications

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe structural drawings and specifications
- Describe schedules, details, and shop drawings
- Use structural drawings
- Interpret reflected ceiling plans
- Draw formwork details

LEARNING TASKS	CONTENT		
1. Describe structural drawings and specifications	<ul><li>Types of drawings</li><li>Schedules</li><li>Specifications</li><li>Gridlines</li></ul>		
2. Describe schedules	<ul><li>Door schedules</li><li>Window schedules</li><li>Room finish schedules</li><li>Hardware schedules</li></ul>		
3. Describe shop drawings	<ul><li>Interior elevations</li><li>Millwork drawings</li></ul>		
4. Use structural drawings	<ul> <li>Specifications</li> <li>Schedules</li> <li>Building dimensions</li> <li>Construction type</li> <li>Mechanical and electrical systems</li> </ul>		
5. Interpret reflected ceiling plans	<ul><li>Reflected ceiling plans</li><li>Specialties</li><li>Hardware</li></ul>		
6. Draw formwork details	<ul><li>Plan view</li><li>Section view</li></ul>		



# Achievement Criteria 1

Performance The learner will interpret information from a set of structural drawings.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Drawings and specifications

Question sheet

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Accuracy

# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance The learner will draw formwork details, including plan and section views.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Specifications

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Accuracy

Detail

# **Achievement Criteria 3**

Performance The learner will estimate a reflected ceiling plan, including items such as lighting fixtures

and bulkheads.

Conditions The learner will be given:

• Drawings and specifications

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Accuracy

Detail

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Line (GAC): B DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

Competency: B2 Interpret building codes and bylaws

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Interpret building codes and bylaws related to public spaces

# **LEARNING TASKS**

# 1. Interpret building codes and bylaws related to public spaces

# **CONTENT**

- Guards
- Ramps
- Egress
- Area of refuge
- Hoarding
- Demolition
- Concrete mixes
- Accessibility

# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will interpret information in the BC Building Code related to public spaces.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Question sheet

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Accuracy



Line (GAC): C TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

Competency: C1 Use hand tools

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Use finishing tools

# **LEARNING TASKS**

1. Describe finishing tools

# CONTENT

- Purpose
- Types
  - Marking tools
  - Squares
  - o Chisels
  - Smoothing tools
  - o Scrapers
  - $\circ$  Clamps
  - Coping saws

2. Use finishing tools

- Safety
- Adjustment
- Operation
- Maintenance
- Storage

# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will use and maintain hand tools.

Conditions The learner will be given:

• Drawings and specifications

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Tool use and maintenance



Line (GAC): C TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

Competency: C3 Use stationary power tools

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Use band saws
- Use drill press

# LEARNING TASKS

# 1. Use band saws

# CONTENT

- Safety
- Purpose
- Types
- Parts
- Blade types
- Adjustments
- Operations
- Accessories
- Maintenance

2. Use a drill press

- Safety
- Purpose
- Types
- Parts
- Bit types
- Operations
- Accessories
- Maintenance

# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance

The learner will use band saw and drill press.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

• Drawings and specifications

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- · Selection, use, and maintenance of shop equipment
- Selection of cutting blades and bits
- Use of jigs and accessories



Line (GAC): E ACCESS, RIGGING, AND HOISTING EQUIPMENT

Competency: E2 Use rigging and hoisting equipment

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe lifting loads with cranes and hoists
- Use rigging equipment
- Use hoisting equipment
- Maintain and store rigging and hoisting equipment

# LEARNING TASKS

# Describe lifting loads with cranes and hoists

Use rigging equipment

3. Use hoisting equipment

4. Maintain and store rigging and hoisting equipment

- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Considerations
  - High voltage line clearance
  - Overhead hazards
  - Load stability
  - Centre of gravity
  - Sling locations
- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Safe rigging practices
  - o Lift plan
- Calculations
  - Weight of load
  - Sling angle
  - Working load limit
- Rigging structural shapes
- Rigging complex shapes
- Blocking and stacking
- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Hand signals
- Follow lift plan
- Ground stability
- Move and place load
- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Safe storage and maintaintence



# LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

- o Wire rope
- $\circ \quad Hook \\$
- o Hardware
- Care of slings and wire rope
- Damages in wire rope
- Components
  - o Rings, links, and swivels
  - o Eye bolts and ring bolts
  - Turnbuckles
  - o Shackles
  - Synthetic web slings
- Inspection

# Achievement Criteria

Performance The learner will prepare a lift plan.

Conditions The learner will be given

- Instructions
- Materials

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on

- Safety
- Accuracy



Line (GAC): F SITE LAYOUT

F3 Competency: Apply excavation and shoring practices

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe excavations and shoring
- Plan excavations and shoring
- Calculate excavation volumes

# LEARNING TASKS

Describe excavations

# CONTENT

- Safety
- Purpose
- **Bulk excavations**
- Trench excavations
- Deep excavations
- Soil
  - Conditions 0
  - **Types** 0
  - Bearing capacities/allowable bearing pressure
- Underpinning

- 2. Describe shoring
- Plan excavations and shoring

Calculate excavations

- **Types**
- Slope stabilization
- Safety
- Weather conditions
- Site survey
- Grading
- Grid lines and grade stakes
- **Excavation planning**
- Describe backfilling
- Estimate volume of excavated material



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G1 Use concrete types, materials, additives, and treatments

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe the uses for concrete
- Describe concrete mix designs
- Describe the types of admixtures and treatments for concrete
- Describe structural grout

# LEARNING TASKS

# Describe the uses for concrete

- CONTENT
  - Structural
  - Architectural
  - Fire proofing
  - Insulating
  - Conduits
  - **Pavements**

2. Describe concrete mix designs

- Strength
- Durability
- Water tightness
- Finishing ability
- Specialty concrete
  - **Exposed** aggregate
  - Self-consolidating
- 3. Describe the types of admixtures and treatments for concrete
- Air-entraining
- Water-reducing
- Plasticizers
- Retardants
- Accelerators
- Colours
- Damp proofing and permeability-reducing agents
- **Bonding agents**
- Release agents
- Gas-forming agents
- **Pozzolans**

Describe structural grout 4.

- Purpose
- **Types**
- **Procedures**



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G2 Select concrete forming systems

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe the factors affecting form design
- Describe alternative foundation systems

# LEARNING TASKS

Describe the factors affecting form design

- Safety
- Architectural design
- Concrete members
- Efficiency
- Environmental conditions
- Form pressures
- Slump
- Temperature
- Vibration
- Placement method
- Form size
- Cantilever formwork
- Concrete design mix
- 2. Describe alternative foundation systems
- Preserved wood foundations
- Masonry block foundations
- Insulated concrete forms (ICF)



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G3 Build footing and vertical formwork

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe concrete forming systems
- Plan footing and vertical formwork
- Construct concrete forming systems

LEARNING TASKS	CONTENT

Describe footing forms
 Raft slabs

• Mass pad

• Pile cap

Caissons

Piles

Describe pile foundations
 Types

Parts

Grade beams

Uses

• Designs

3. Describe column formsTypes

o Fibre tubes

o Engineered column

o Job built

o Capital

• Assembly of forms

4. Describe wall forms • Engineered wall system

Gang forms

Construction procedures

Form details

Double walers systems

5. Describe insulated concrete forms (ICF) • Components and hardware

• ICF foundation walls

Above ground flat ICF walls



# LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

6. Plan footing and vertical formwork

- Safety
- Contract drawings
- Engineered drawings
- Procedures
  - o Form system
  - o Lift plan
  - o Concrete placement
- Grade beams
- Material handling and storage
- Schedule
- Access
- 7. Calculate forming materials and concrete volumes
- Contact area
- Concrete wall volume
  - **Battered**
  - Circular
  - o Polygon
- Components

8. Construct vertical formwork

- Layout
- Assembly
- Alignment
- Form removal

# Achievement Criteria

Performance The learner will build a vertical formwork project.

Conditions The learner will be given:

- Specifications
- Construction drawings

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Use of forms and hardware
- Plumb and level
- Dimensional accuracy: straight and square



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G4 Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe suspended slab construction
- Plan suspended slab formwork
- Construct suspended slabs

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- 1. Describe suspended slabs
- 2. Describe fly table forms

- 3. Describe shoring and re-shoring
- 4. Plan suspended slab formwork

- Types of slabs
- Slab components
- Suspended slab forming products
- Specifications
- Safety
- Layout
  - o Crane pick points
- Assembly
- Support system
- Safety
  - Installation drawings
  - Re-shoring requirements
  - Re-shoring systems
  - Safety
  - Construction drawings
  - Procedures
    - o Form system
    - o Lift plan
    - Concrete placement
    - o Curing
    - o Form removal
  - Material handling and storage
  - Scheduling
  - Sub-trades
- 5. Calculate forming materials and concrete volumes
- Concrete volume
- Components



# LEARNING TASKS

# 6. Construct suspended slabs

# CONTENT

- Layout
- Assembly
- Alignment
- Form removal

# Achievement Criteria 1

Performance

The learner will install chamfer strips including mitres and 3-way corners.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

- Specifications
- Tools
- Materials

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Fit

# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance

The learner will build suspended slab forms including a beam, girder, or drop panel.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

- Construction drawings and specifications
- Tools
- Materials

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Use of forms and hardware
- Plumb and level
- Dimensional accuracy: straight and square



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G5 Install reinforcement and embedded items

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Install embedded materials
- · Describe door frames used in concrete and masonry walls
- Describe concrete fastening systems

LEARNING TASKS	CONTENT
LEMINING INSKS	CONTENT

Describe embedded materials
 Anchor bolts

Machine base bolts

Sleeves

Reglets

**Dowels** 

• Manhole cover frames

• Grates, catch basins, and drain troughs

or trenches

Dock levellers

Water stops

Specialty items

Install embedded materials
 Anchor bolts

Weld plates

Lifting anchors

Plastics

3. Describe door frames used in concrete and

masonry walls

Types of frames

Methods of installation

4. Describe concrete fastening systems

Grout

Metal anchors

• Chemical anchors

Mechanical anchors

Powder-actuated fasteners

# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will lay out and install anchor bolt template.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Construction drawings and specifications

Tools

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

• Installation



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK

Competency: G6 Build concrete stair forms

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe concrete stair construction
- Plan concrete stair form
- Construct concrete stair forms

# LEARNING TASKS

- 1. Describe concrete stairs
- 2. Plan concrete stair form

- 3. Calculate concrete stairs
- 4. Construct concrete stairs

- Cast-in-place stairs
- Pre-cast stairs
- Concrete finishes and nosings
- Components
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Construction drawings
- Procedures
  - o Form system
  - Concrete placement
  - o Temporary tread protection
- Schedule
- Sub-trades
- Rise and run
- Stairwell opening
- Concrete volume
- Components
- Layout
- Assembly
- Alignment
- Bracing
- Form removal



# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will build multi-flight concrete stair forms.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Drawings and specifications

• Tools

Materials

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

- Accuracy
- Compliance with code
- Layout
- Use of forms and hardware
- Plumb and level
- Dimensional accuracy: straight and square



Line (GAC): G CONCRETE FORMWORK
Competency: G8 Install specialized formwork

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe tilt-up construction
- Describe pre-cast concrete
- Describe pre-stressed concrete
- Describe slip-forming
- Describe mass concrete
- Describe architectural formwork
- Describe sealing joints
- Lay out for pre-cast concrete components

# **LEARNING TASKS**

2.

1. Describe tilt-up construction

Describe pre-cast concrete

- 3. Describe pre-stressed concrete
- 4. Describe slip-form construction

- Safety
- Uses
- Drawings
- Formwork
- Lifting sequence
- Lifting and bracing procedures
- Purpose
- Types
- · Order of assembly
- Handling and storage
- Construction methods
- Pre-tensioning
- Post-tensioning
- Planning
- Types
- Concrete mix design
- Construction procedures
- Jacks and yokes
- Concrete placement
- Concrete finishing
- Dismantling procedures



## LEARNING TASKS

## 5. Describe mass concrete

# CONTENT

- Heat of hydration
- Types
- Placement methods

6. Describe architectural formwork

- Purpose
- Types
  - o Curved walls
  - Arches
  - o Floors
  - o Walls
  - Ceilings
  - o Landscape features
- Rustications
- Sandblasted and tooled concrete
- Exposed aggregate
- Form liners
- Stamped and coloured

7. Describe sealing joints

- Types of caulking compounds
- Backer rods
- Sealers and primers
- Procedures

8. Lay out tilt-up construction

- Construction drawings
- Locations of hardware and accessories

# Achievement Criteria

Performance

The learner will lay out pre-cast concrete components.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

- Drawings and specifications
- Tools
- Materials

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Tool use
- Location of components



Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H6 Build roof systems

# Objectives

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Plan hip roof systems
- Build a hip roof

LEARNING TASKS

- Plan an intersecting roof
- Build an intersecting roof

Describe hip roof systems

	- · · ·	F
		• Uses
		<ul> <li>Types</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Components</li> </ul>
2.	Plan hip roof systems	<ul> <li>Safety</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Code requirements</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Construction drawings</li> </ul>
		• Construction sequence
3.	Calculate hip roof systems	Theoretical lengths
		• Materials
		<ul> <li>Components</li> </ul>
4.	Build hip roof systems	• Layout

- 5. Describe an intersecting roof
- 6. Plan an intersecting roof

Purpose

Cutting Assembling

Uses

CONTENT

Purpose

- Types
- Components
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Drawings and specifications
- Construction sequence



# LEARNING TASKS

Calculate an intersecting roof 7.

Build an intersecting roof

8.

- Theoretical lengths
  - Materials
  - Components
- Layout

CONTENT

- Cuttting
- Assembling
- Sheathing cuts

# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will build an intersecting hip roof.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Drawings and specifications

**Tools** 

Materials

The learner will be evaluated on: Criteria

Safety

Accuracy

Layout and spacing of rafters and roof framing members

Dimensional accuracy



Line (GAC): I FINISHING MATERIALS

Competency: I2 Install doors and hardware

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Install interior doors
- Install interior door hardware

LEARNING TASKS		CONTENT
1.	Describe interior doors	<ul> <li>Purpose</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Types</li> </ul>
		• Schedule
		<ul> <li>Construction</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Terminology</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Code requirements</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Security</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Storage during construction</li> </ul>
		• Swing/hand of door
2.	Describe specialty interior doors	• Types
		<ul> <li>Purpose</li> </ul>
		• Installation
3.	Describe interior door jambs	• Types
		<ul> <li>Steel frame</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Purpose</li> </ul>
		• Construction
4.	Describe interior door hardware	• Types
		• Schedule
		<ul> <li>Purpose</li> </ul>
		• Storage
5.	Install interior doors	Rough openings
		<ul> <li>Hanging and fitting</li> </ul>
6.	Install interior door hardware	• Types
		Operation
		• Fitting
		<ul> <li>Templates</li> </ul>



# Achievement Criteria 1

Performance The learner will install an interior door.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Construction drawings and specifications

Materials

Tools

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

• Compliance with building codes

# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance The learner will use templates to layout door closers and panic hardware.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Manufacturers' specifications

Materials

Tools

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Accuracy



Line (GAC): Ι FINISHING MATERIALS

**I**5 Install interior finishes Competency:

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe gypsum wallboard installation
- Plan installation of gypsum wallboard
- Calculate materials

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Describe gypsum wallboard

# CONTENT

- Types
- Purpose
- Components
- **Tools**
- Installation

Plan installation of gypsum wallboard

- Safety
- Code requirements
- Temporary protection

3. Calculate materials

- Gypsum wallboard
- Components



Line (GAC): Ι FINISHING MATERIALS

**I6 Install cabinets** Competency:

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- **Build cabinets**
- Plan installation cabinets
- Install countertops

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- 1. Describe cabinets
- 2. Describe countertops

Plan the building of cabinets and countertops

- **Build cabinets** 4.
- Plan the installation of prefinished cabinets and countertops

- CONTENT
  - **Types**
  - Components
  - Construction methods
  - Finishes
  - **Types** 
    - Plastic laminate
    - Solid surface
    - Stone
    - Tile 0
    - Wood
  - Construction methods
  - Safety
  - Drawings and specifications
    - Shop drawings
  - Calculation of materials
  - Fixture locations
  - Sequence of installation
  - Temporary protection
  - Delivery
  - Storage
  - Material breakout
  - Layout
  - Cut
  - Assembly
  - Safety
  - Code requirements



# LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

- Installation methods
- Components
- Temporary protection

6. Install countertops

# • Techniques

## Achievement Criteria 1

Performance The learner will build a cabinet.

Conditions The learner will be given:

- Drawings and specifications
- Tools
- Materials

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Dimensioning
- Fit and finish
- Installation of hardware

# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance The learner will apply plastic laminate to a project.

Conditions The learner will be given:

- Drawings and specifications
- Tools
- Materials

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Dimensioning
- Fit and finish



Line (GAC): I FINISHING MATERIALS

Competency: I7 Install interior floor, ceiling, and wall systems

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Plan installation of steel stud systems
- Install steel stud walls and partitions
- Plan installation of interior ceiling systems
- Install interior ceiling systems

LEARNING TASKS		CONTENT
1.	Describe steel stud systems	<ul><li>Types</li><li>Purpose</li><li>Tools</li><li>Components</li></ul>
2.	Plan installation of steel stud systems	<ul><li>Safety</li><li>Code requirements</li><li>Construction drawings</li></ul>
3.	Install steel studs	<ul><li> Layout</li><li> Cut</li><li> Assemble</li></ul>
4.	Describe demountable partitions	<ul><li>Types</li><li>Components</li><li>Installation</li></ul>
5.	Describe interior ceiling systems	<ul><li>Purpose</li><li>Types</li><li>Components</li><li>Methods</li></ul>
6.	Plan installation of interior ceiling systems	<ul><li>Safety</li><li>Code requirements</li><li>Construction drawings</li><li>Reflected ceiling plans</li></ul>
7.	Calculate materials	<ul><li>Wall systems</li><li>Ceiling systems</li></ul>
8.	Install interior ceiling systems	<ul><li>Layout</li><li>Cut</li><li>Assembly</li></ul>



# Achievement Criteria 1

Performance The learner will build steel stud walls with openings.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Drawings and specifications

Tools

Materials

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

• Plumb and square

• Cutting and fastening technique

# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance The learner will build a suspended ceiling.

Conditions The learner will be given:

• Reflected ceiling plan

Tools

Materials

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

Layout

Level and square

• Installation technique



# Level 4 Carpenter



Line (GAC): B DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

Competency: B2 Interpret building codes and bylaws

# Objectives

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Interpret building codes related to sound transmission and fire-rated assemblies

# **LEARNING TASKS**

1. Interpret building codes related to sound transmission and fire-rated assemblies

# **CONTENT**

- Floor, wall, and roof systems
  - Sound transmission classification
  - o Fire-rated assemblies
    - Compartments
    - Separations
    - Walls
  - Penetrations



Line (GAC): B DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

Competency: B3 Plan and organize work

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe contract documents
- Use construction specifications
- Use plans and drawings
- Estimate costs from construction drawings

## LEARNING TASKS

# 1. Describe contract documents

## CONTENT

- Types
- Articles of agreement
- Definitions
- General conditions
- Supplementary conditions
- General requirements
- Specifications
- Drawings
  - o Paper
  - o Digital
- Addenda

2. Describe the bidding process

- Invitation to tender
- Instruction to bidders
- Tender form

3. Describe estimating

- Rough estimate
- Detailed estimate
- Partial estimate
- Sub trades
- Quote pricing
- Target pricing
- Cost plus pricing
- Unit pricing
- Change orders
- Allowances

4. Describe financial considerations

- Payment schedule
- Bonds



## LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

- Liens
- Penalties/bonuses
- Contingency funds

5. Plan work sequence

- Construction sequence and scheduling
  - o Gantt chart
  - Critical path
- Material delivery sequence
- Coordination with sub-trades
- Time estimates

6. Estimate the cost of a job

- Labour
- Material
- Equipment
- Subtrades
- Overheads
- Profit margin
- 7. Describe inspections for engineered applications
- Architectural
  - Work completed
  - o Quality of work
- Engineering
  - Geotechnical
  - o Formwork
  - o Reinforcing steel
  - Embedded materials
  - Concrete
- Municipal/Provincial
  - o Plumbing
  - o Electrical
  - o Fire
  - o Gas
  - o Final/occupancy
  - o Elevator
  - Health
- 8. Describe use of computers in the construction process
- Building information modelling (BIM)
- Electronic plan rooms
- CADD
- Spreadsheets
- As builts
- Warranty documents



# Achievement Criteria 1

Performance The learner will estimate and schedule a project.

Conditions The learner will be given:

• Drawings and specifications

Cost guides

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Accuracy

• Project schedule

Documentation

## Achievement Criteria 2

Performance The learner will complete documents for a building permit application.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Municipal bylaws and regulations

• Construction drawings and specifications

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

• Interpretation of bylaws, regulations, and permit processes



Line (GAC): В DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

Competency: **B5** Use communication and mentorship techniques

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe the role of mentor
- Describe mentoring skills and attributes
- Describe workplace diversity and inclusion

## LEARNING TASKS

# Describe the role of mentor

- CONTENT
  - Valuing apprentice
  - Identifying goals
  - Encouraging
  - Managing risk
  - Providing feedback
  - Developing capabilities
  - Maintaining confidentiality
- 2. Describe mentoring skills and attributes
- Inspiration
- Active listening
- **Building trust**
- Encouragement
- **Preparedness**
- Approachability
- Objectiveness
- Fairness
- Compassion
- Leading by example
- 3. Describe workplace diversity and inclusion
- **Codes of Conduct** 
  - o Builder's Code
- Fair recruiting and hiring practices
- Equity in promotion
- Acceptance
- Accommodations
- Anti-harrassment/anti-bullying policies



Line (GAC): D SURVEY INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT

Competency: D2 Use site layout equipment

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe total stations
- Calculate and layout curves

# LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

1. Describe total stations

- Calculations
- Set-up
- Adjustment
- Readings
- Layout
- Maintenance
- Storage

2. Calculate layout of curves

- Types
- · Chord lengths
- Arc lengths
- Offsets

# **Achievement Criteria**

Performance The learner will layout curved shapes.

Conditions The learner will be given:

- Drawings and specifications
- Tools
- Materials

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Calculations and layout



Line (GAC): F SITE LAYOUT

Competency: F2 Prepare building site

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe site considerations
- Describe site preparation
- Describe hoarding
- Describe site drainage systems
- Describe sumps, catch basins, and septic tanks
- Describe backfilling

## LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe site considerations

# CONTENT

- Building location
- Temporary facilities
  - o First Aid
  - o Tool storage
  - o Site offices
  - o Fuel storage
  - o Muster station
  - Parking
  - o Wheel wash
  - o Sediment control
- Temporary services
- Water
- Gas
- Electrical
- Material management
  - o Logistics
  - Site processes
  - o Dump site
- Temporary road ways
- Demobilization

2. Describe site and project preparation

- Site layout
- Permits
- Requirements
  - Environmental plan
  - o Environmental impact assessment
  - Geotechnical reports
- Clearing the site
  - o BC One Call



## LEARNING TASKS

## CONTENT

- Demolition
  - Identifying and removing hazardous materials
- Site services
  - Locating
  - Disconnecting
  - Existing
  - o New
- Building elevations

3. Describe hoardings

- Building codes and bylaws
- Methods of construction
- Types
- Access lighting and signage

4. Describe site drainage systems

- Types
  - Dewatering systems
  - Perimeter draining systems
  - Granular drainage layer systems
  - o Drainage disposal
- Sumps
- 5. Describe sumps, catch basins, and septic tanks
- Code regulations
- Dewatering systems
- Sumps
- Trapping hoods
- Storm drains
- Sanitary sewers
- Catch basins
- Backwater valves
- Septic tanks
- Perimeter drains

6. Describe backfilling

- Safety
- Code requirements
- Procedures
  - Concrete foundations
  - o Preserved wood foundations
  - o Service trenches
  - Compaction
- Foundation protection
- Water/damp proofing



Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H5 Build stair systems

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe geometric stairs
- Build geometric stairs
- Build balustrades

TE	ARNING TASKS	CONTENT
1.	Describe stairs with winders	Stringer types
1.	Describe stans with whiteels	
		<ul> <li>Tread shapes</li> </ul>
2.	Plan stairs with winders	<ul> <li>Safety</li> </ul>
		Code requirements
		Stringer types
		otiniger types
3.	Calculate stairs with winders	Rise and run
		<ul> <li>Stairwell openings</li> </ul>
		Stair dimensions
		<ul> <li>Materials</li> </ul>
4.	Build stairs with winders	• Layout
		<ul> <li>Cutting</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Assembling</li> </ul>
5.	Describe circular stairs	<ul> <li>Purpose</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Types</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Components</li> </ul>
6.	Plan circular stairs	<ul> <li>Safety</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Code requirements</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Stringer types</li> </ul>
7.	Calculate circular stairs	Rise and run
		Stairwell openings
		<ul> <li>Stair dimensions</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Materials</li> </ul>



## LEARNING TASKS

## 8. Build circular stairs

## CONTENT

- Layout
- Cutting
- Assembling

9. Build balustrades

- Code requirements
- Calculating
- Planning
- Layout
- Assembling

# Achievement Criteria 1

Performance

The learner will build winder stairs.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

- · Drawings and specifications
- Materials
- Tools

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Compliance with building codes
- Calculations, layout, and cuts
- Dimensional accuracy: straight, square, and plumb
- Fit and finish

# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance

The learner will build circular stairs.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

- Drawings and specifications
- Materials
- Tools

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Compliance with building codes
- Calculations, layout, and cuts
- Dimensionall accuracy:, straight, square, and plumb
- Use of templates and jigs
- Assembly techniques
- Fit and finish



# Achievement Criteria 3

Performance The learner will build a balustrade.

Conditions The learner will be given:

Drawings and specifications

Materials

Tools

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

Compliance with building codes

Calculations, layout and cuts

Dimensional accuracy:, straight, square, and plumb

Fit and finish



Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H6 Build roof systems

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe the construction methods for unequal slope intersecting roofs
- Plan an unequal slope intersecting roof
- Build an unequal slope intersecting roofs
- Plan specialized roof framing systems
- Build a specialized roof framing system

LEA	ARNING TASKS	CONTENT	
1.	Describe an unequal slope intersecting roof	<ul><li>Purpose</li><li>Uses</li><li>Types</li><li>Components</li></ul>	
2.	Plan an unequal slope intersecting roof	<ul> <li>Safety</li> <li>Code requirements</li> <li>Construction drawings</li> <li>Developed drawings</li> <li>Construction sequence</li> </ul>	
3.	Calculate an unequal slope intersecting roof	<ul><li>Theoretical lengths</li><li>Materials</li><li>Components</li></ul>	
4.	Build an unequal slope intersecting roof	<ul><li>Layout</li><li>Cutting</li><li>Assembling</li><li>Sheathing cuts</li></ul>	
5.	Describe specialized roof framing systems	<ul> <li>Types</li> <li>Polygon roofs</li> <li>Gambrel</li> <li>Mansard</li> <li>Flat</li> <li>Dormer</li> </ul>	

Cupola Turret



## LEARNING TASKS

## CONTENT

- Canopy
- o Spire
- o Saw tooth
- Butterfly roof
- Components
  - o False gable
  - Cricket/saddle
  - o Parapet
  - Cant strip
  - Hidden gutters
- Methods of construction
  - Openings
  - Wall frame
  - o Roof frame
  - o Curbs
  - o Critical barriers
- Vaulted ceilings

6. Plan specialized roof framing systems

- Safety
- Code requirements
- Scale drawing
- Construction sequence
- 7. Calculate specialized roof framing systems
- Theoretical lengths
- Materials
- Components
- 8. Build specialized roof framing systems
- Layout
- Cutting
- Assembling

# Achievement Criteria 1

Performance

The learner will build an unequal slope intersecting roof.

Conditions

The learner will be given:

- Drawings and specifications
- Materials
- Tools

Criteria

The learner will be evaluated on:

- Safety
- Accuracy
- Compliance with Code
- Drawing for adjustments



# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance The learner will build a specialized roof framing system.

Conditions The learner will be given:

• Drawings and specifications

Materials

• Tools

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

• Framing technique

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Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H7 Build specialized framing systems

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe specialized framing systems
- · Plan exterior structures
- Plan decks

#### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe specialized framing systems

#### CONTENT

- Purpose
- Critical barriers
- Types
  - o Bay windows
  - o Bow windows
  - Window boxes
  - Drop ceilings
  - Valences
  - o Pony walls
  - o Bulkheads
  - o Cornices
  - Access floors

2. Describe exterior structures

- Purpose
- Types
  - o Fences
  - o Pergola
  - o Gazebos
  - Privacy screens
  - o Accessory buildings
- Components
- Methods

3. Plan exterior structures

- Safety
- Code requirements
- Drawings and specifications
- Sequence
- Plan decks
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Drawings and specifications
- Sequence

4.



Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H8 Perform renovations and additions

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

Plan renovations and additions

## **LEARNING TASKS**

Describe renovations and additions

# 2. Plan renovations and additions

# **CONTENT**

- Purpose
- Types
  - Residential
  - Industrial, commercial, and institutional (ICI)
  - o Leasehold improvements
- Design considerations
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Drawings and specifications
- Permits
- Environmental assessment
- Housekeeping
- Remediation and abatement
- Disposal
- Hoarding
- Sequence
- Demolition
- Temporary support
- Services
- Protecting finishes
- Hazardous materials
  - Asbestos
  - o Mould
  - o Lead
  - o Mercury
  - o PCB
  - o Infestation
  - o Biohazards
  - o Silica
  - Dust
- · Reclaiming material



# LEARNING TASKS

3. Describe methods of renovations and additions

# **CONTENT**

- Selecting materials
- Critical barriers
- Supporting existing structure
- Connecting structural components
  - o Concrete-to-concrete
  - o Wood-to-wood
  - Wood-to-steel
  - o Wood-to-concrete
- Removal of temporary supports and hoardings
- Installing finishes



Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H9 Build timber and engineered wood construction

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

Describe timber and engineered wood construction

## **LEARNING TASKS**

1. Describe timber construction

#### uction

- Purpose
- Legislation
  - o Wood First Act
- Uses

**CONTENT** 

- Types
  - o Heavy timber
    - Post and beam
    - Timber framing
  - o Log building
  - o Engineered
- Hardware
- Tools
- Connections

2. Describe mass timber

- Types
  - Cross-laminated timber (CLT)
  - Dowel-laminated timber (DLT)
  - Nail-laminated timber (NLT)
- Applications
- Methods
- Components



Line (GAC): H WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION

Competency: H10 Build decks and exterior structures

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

Plan exterior structures

# **LEARNING TASKS**

1. Describe exterior structures

# CONTENT

- Purpose
- Types
  - o Fences
  - o Pergola
  - Gazebos
  - Privacy screens
  - Accessory buildings
- Components
- Methods

2. Plan exterior structures

- Safety
- Code requirements
- Drawings and specifications
- Sequence



Line (GAC): I FINISHING MATERIALS

Competency: I5 Install interior finishes

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Plan the installation of finished floors
- Plan interior finishes
- Install interior wall finishes and trims

# LEARNING TASKS

- Describe finished floors
- 2. Plan the installation of finished floors

3. Describe interior finishes

4. Plan interior finishes

# CONTENT

- Types
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Material calculations
- Storage and handling
- Acclimatization
- Subfloor preparation
- Installation of sleepers
- Layout procedures
- Fasteners
- Adhesives
- Sanding/finishing
- Types
  - o Wall panels
  - Wainscotting
  - o Cornice moulds
  - Coffered ceilings
  - o Mantles
- Components
- Materials
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Drawings and specifications
- Calculations
- Sequence
- Temporary protection



## LEARNING TASKS

5. Install interior finishes

# CONTENT

- Layout
- Cutting
- Assembling

# Achievement Criteria 1

Performance The learner will scribe fit panelling.

Conditions The learner will be given:

• Tools

• Equipment

Specifications

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

• Fit

# Achievement Criteria 2

Performance The learner will install casing and crown moulding.

Conditions The learner will be given:

• Tools

Materials

• Specifications

Criteria The learner will be evaluated on:

Safety

Accuracy

· Fit and finish



Line (GAC): I FINISHING MATERIALS

Competency: I7 Install interior floor, ceiling, and wall systems

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

Describe specialized floor systems

# LEARNING TASKS

# CONTENT

1. Describe specialized floor systems

- Access flooring
- Sports surfaces



Line (GAC): J BUILDING SCIENCE

Competency: J1 Control the forces acting on a building

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

- Describe the forces acting on a building
- Describe the construction details for wood frame seismic applications
- Describe live and dead load calculation

LEARNING TASKS	CONTENT
	CONTLINI

- 1. Describe the forces acting on a building structure
- Types of loads
- · Types of stress
- Bearing capacities of soil
- 2. Describe the forces acting on a building envelope
- Weather/climate
- Temperature
- Wind
- Water
- Building orientation
- Ultraviolet radiation/sun
- Relative humidity
- Hydrostatic forces
- Atmospheric pressure
- Pressure differential

3. Describe seismic applications

- Code requirements
  - o Brace wall panels
  - o Brace wall bands
  - Sheathing types
  - o Nailing patterns
  - Nail types
  - o Blocking and backing
  - Bracing
  - Floor diaphragms

4. Describe seismic hardware and steel frames

Describe live and dead load calculation

- Hold down anchors
- Straps
- Bolts
- Nails
- Drag struts
- Steel moment frames
- Tributary area
- Soil bearing capacities
- Footing sizes

5.



Line (GAC): J BUILDING SCIENCE

Competency: J2 Control the forces acting on a building as a system

# **Objectives**

To be competent in this area, the individual must be able to:

• Describe energy efficient construction and sustainable building systems

# **LEARNING TASKS**

Describe energy efficient construction and sustainable building systems

# CONTENT

- Net zero
- Water, vapour, air, and heat
- Materials
  - R-Value/RSI calculation
- Properties
  - Compatibility
  - o Permeable
  - o Non-permeable
- Mechanical ventilation
- · Heating and cooling



# Section 4 ASSESSMENT GUIDELINES



# Assessment Guidelines - Level 1

# Level 1 Grading Sheet: Subject Competency and Weightings

	PROGRAM: CARPENTER LEVEL 1				
LINE	SUBJECT	SUBJECT COMPETENCIES		PRACTICAL WEIGHTING	
A	SAFE WORK PRACTICES		6%	3%	
В	DOCUMENTATION AND C	DRGANIZATIONAL SKILLS	16%	12%	
С	TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT		17%	16%	
D	SURVEY INSTRUMENTS A	ND EQUIPMENT	6%	6%	
Е	ACCESS, RIGGING, AND F	IOISTING EQUIPMENT	15%	15%	
F	SITE LAYOUT		2%	3%	
G	CONCRETE FORMWORK		20%	30%	
Н	WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION		16%	15%	
J	BUILDING SCIENCE		2%	0%	
		Total	100%	100%	
In-school theory/practical subject competency weighting			50%	50%	
Final in	Final in-school percentage score		IN-SCI	HOOL %	
	In-school Percentage Score Combined theory and practical subject competency multiplied by			0%	
	Standardized Level Exam Percentage Score The exam score is multiplied by			0%	

**Final Percentage Score** 

FINAL%



# Assessment Guidelines - Level 2

# Level 2 Grading Sheet: Subject Competency and Weightings

	PROGRAM: CARPENTER LEVEL 2			
LINE	LINE SUBJECT COMPETENCIES			PRACTICAL WEIGHTING
В	DOCUMENTATION AND (	DRGANIZATIONAL SKILLS	13%	13%
С	TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT		10%	10%
D	SURVEY INSTRUMENTS A	ND EQUIPMENT	12%	13%
G	CONCRETE FORMWORK	5%	5%	
Н	WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION		25%	24%
I	FINISHING MATERIALS		25%	25%
J	BUILDING SCIENCE		10%	10%
	Total		100%	100%
In-scho	In-school theory/practical subject competency weighting			50%
Final in-school percentage score			IN-SCI	HOOL %

In-school Percentage Score Combined theory and practical subject competency multiplied by	80%
Standardized Level Exam Percentage Score The exam score is multiplied by	20%
Final Percentage Score	FINAL%



# Assessment Guidelines - Level 3

# Level 3 Grading Sheet: Subject Competency and Weightings

	PROGRAM: CARPENTER LEVEL 3				
LINE	LINE SUBJECT COMPETENCIES			THEORY WEIGHTING	PRACTICAL WEIGHTING
В	DOCUMENTATION AND (	ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS		14%	14%
С	TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT			3%	8%
Е	ACCESS, RIGGING, AND HOISTING EQUIPMENT			3%	3%
F	SITE LAYOUT			3%	0%
G	CONCRETE FORMWORK			27%	27%
Н	WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION		20%	18%	
I	FINISHING MATERIALS			30%	30%
	Total		otal	100%	100%
In-scho	In-school theory/practical subject competency weighting			50%	50%
Final in-school percentage score				IN-SCF	HOOL %

In-school Percentage Score Combined theory and practical subject competency multiplied by	80%
Standardized Level Exam Percentage Score The exam score is multiplied by	20%
Final Percentage Score	FINAL%



# Assessment Guidelines - Level 4

#### Level 4 Grading Sheet: Subject Competency and Weightings

	PROGRAM: CARPENTER LEVEL 4			
LINE	LINE SUBJECT COMPETENCIES		THEORY WEIGHTING	PRACTICAL WEIGHTING
В	DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS		15%	20%
D	SURVEY INSTRUMENTS A	ND EQUIPMENT	10%	13%
F	SITE LAYOUT		8%	0%
Н	WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION		52%	55%
I	FINISHING MATERIALS		10%	12%
J	BUILDING SCIENCE		5%	0%
	Total		100%	100%
In-scho	In-school theory/practical subject competency weighting			50%
Final in-school percentage score  Apprentices must achieve a minimum 70% as the final in-school percentage score to be eligible to write the Interprovincial Red Seal exam.			IN-SCF	HOOL %

All apprentices who complete Level 4 of the Carpenter program with a FINAL level mark of 70% or greater will write the Interprovincial Red Seal examination as their final assessment.

SkilledTradesBC will enter the apprentices Red Seal Interprovincial examination mark in ITADA. A minimum mark of 70% on the examination is required for a pass.



# Section 5 TRAINING PROVIDER STANDARDS



# **Facility Requirements**

#### Classroom Area

- Compliance with all local and national fire code and occupational safety requirements
- Compliance with municipal and provincial bylaws and regulations, including WorkSafeBC requirements
- Comfortable seating and tables suitable for learning
- Overhead and multimedia projectors with a projection screen
- Whiteboard with marking pens and erasers
- Lighting controls to allow easy visibility of the projection screen while allowing students to take notes
- Windows must have shades or blinds to adjust sunlight
- In-room temperature control to ensure comfortable room temperature
- Acoustics in the room must allow audibility of the instructor
- Access to the internet for students and instructors using suitable devices
- Access to a library complete with reference material for student and instructor use

#### **Shop Area**

- Compliance with all local and national fire code and occupational safety requirements
- Compliance with municipal and provincial bylaws and regulations, including WorkSafeBC requirements
- Minimum square feet and ceiling height to safely accommodate all required equipment and tools associated with practical training components as identified in this Program Outline
- 2,400 square feet per 16 students with 16-foot ceilings is recommended
- Adequate outdoors area, fenced
- Adequate climate control and lighting
- Ventilation as per WorkSafeBC standards
- Storage area for tools, equipment, and materials
- Refuse and recycling bins for used materials
- First Aid facilities
- Posted signage for fire exits, first aid facilities, safety equipment, and hazardous materials

#### Lab Requirements

• N/A

#### **Student Facilities**

- Adequate lunchroom as per WorkSafeBC requirements
- Adequate washroom facilities as per WorkSafeBC requirements
- Personal storage lockers

#### Instructor's Office Space

- Desk and filing space
- Computer

#### Other

N/A



# **Tools and Equipment**

# Required

#### All Levels:

#### **Standard Safety Equipment**

Eye protection Hard hat (head protection)

Fall protection systems Hearing protection

First aid kit Lung protection

Foot protection Reflective vest

Hand protection

#### **Stationary Equipment**

Dust collection equipment

#### Level-Specific:

#### **Survey Instruments**

1 Optical levels 2 Theodolite

#### Rigging and Hoisting Equipment

1	Chokers	1	Ropes
1	Come-alongs	1	Skid ramps
1	Eyebolts	1	Tirfors

1 Nylon lifting straps 1 Turnbuckles

1 Pinch bar

#### **Stationary Equipment**

3	Band saw	2	Sanders
1	Bench grinder	1	Table saw

3 Drill press 2 Thickness planer

2 Jointer



#### Shop (Facility) Tools

#### Standard Tools

#### All Levels:

#### Hand tools

Adjustable wrench Nail puller
Allen wrenches Nail set

Chalk line Pencil/marking instrument

Clamps Pliers and side cutter

Combination square Plumb bob
Cordless drill Pry bars
Dry line Scale rulers

Framing square Screwdrivers (Robertson, Phillips, straight)

Hammers (framing, finishing) Sliding T-bevel square

Hand saws Speed square
High speed drill set Stair gauges
Knives Try square
Levels Wrecking bar

Measuring tape

#### Portable Power Tools and Portable Equipment

Calculator Mitre saw

Circular saw Portable power tool accessories

Cordless drill and bits Power nailer/fastener
Electric drill Reciprocating saw

Extension cords Step ladders

Grinder Wet/dry vacuum

Ladders Wheelbarrow



### Level-Specific:

		Hand tools	
1,3	Angle divider	1,3	Plane (compass)
1	Aviation snips	1,3	Plane (fore)
1	Back saw	1,3	Plane (jack)
2,3	Butt gauge	1,3	Plane (jointer)
2,3,4	Caulking gun	1,3	Plane (rabbet)
1	Circle cutter	1,3	Plane (router)
1,3	Concrete bits	1,3	Plane (smooth)
3	Cone/tie wrench	1,3	Plane (universal)
3	Coping saw	1,3	Putty knife
3	Dividers	1,3	Rasp
3	Drywall T-square	1,3	Scriber
1	File	1,3	Scribing compass
1	Hack saw	1,3	Set of chisels
2	Hand shears	1,2	Stapler
2,3	Hinge gain template	1,3	Stones (oil and water)
3	Hole saw	1,2	Tape measure 100 ft.
3	"J" rollers	3	Trammel points
3	Keyhole saw	1,3	Wood boring bits
3	Laminate knives	1,3	Wood chisels
1,3	Plane (bench)	1,3	Wood spade bit set
1,3	Plane (block)		



# Portable Power Tools and Portable Equipment

1	Air compressor	1	Ladder jacks
2	Belt sander	3	Laminate trimmer
2	Biscuit joiner	2	Oxy-fuel outlet
3	Concrete cutting saw	2	Palm sander
3	Concrete vibrator	2	Planer
3	Construction heaters	1	Pneumatic tools
3	Cut-off saw	1,3	Powder actuated tools
3	Drywall gun	1,2	Roof jack
3	Electric chipping hammer	2	Router and bits
1	Generator	2	Sander
3	Grinder	1	Scaffold
3	Hammer drill	3	Stapler
3	Jackhammer	1	Wall jack
1	Jigsaw		



#### Reference Materials

#### Required Reference Materials

Contact training provider for required reference material

#### Level 1:

- Carpenter Apprenticeship Program: Year 1: (2 Binder Set) BC Trade Modules (www.crownpub.bc.ca)
- Carpentry: Third Canadian Edition by Floyd Vogt and Michael Nauth
- British Columbia Building Code

#### Level 2:

- Carpenter Apprenticeship Program: Year 2: (2 Binder Set) BC Trade Modules (www.crownpub.bc.ca)
- Carpentry: Third Canadian Edition by Floyd Vogt and Michael Nauth
- British Columbia Building Code

#### Level 3:

- Carpenter Apprenticeship Program: Year 3: (2 Binder Set) BC Trade Modules (<u>www.crownpub.bc.ca</u>)
- Carpentry: Third Canadian Edition by Floyd Vogt and Michael Nauth
- British Columbia Building Code

#### Level 4:

- Carpenter Apprenticeship Program: Year 4: (2 Binder Set) BC Trade Modules (www.crownpub.bc.ca)
- Carpentry: Third Canadian Edition by Floyd Vogt and Michael Nauth
- British Columbia Building Code

#### **Recommended Resources**

• Occupational Health & Safety Regulation, Worker's Compensation Board,

All carpenters in British Columbia are required to use and adhere to this regulation. The OHS Regulation is always changing to meet the needs of the construction industry. Use the WorkSafeBC website to keep up-to-date with changes to the regulation and to be informed of new workplace hazards <a href="https://worksafebc.com">https://worksafebc.com</a>

• Concrete Formwork by Leonard Koel, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition

ISBN 9780826907103

- Principles and Practices of Commercial Concrete
- Understanding Construction Drawings Tom Stephenson
- Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) and First Aid, <a href="http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ewh-semt/occup-travail/whmis-simdut/index-eng.php">http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ewh-semt/occup-travail/whmis-simdut/index-eng.php</a>
- WorkSafeBC, <u>www.worksafebc.com</u>

#### Codes

- National Fire Code of Canada <a href="http://www.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca">http://www.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca</a>
- BC Ministry of Housing <a href="http://www.gov.bc.ca/buildingcodes">http://www.gov.bc.ca/buildingcodes</a> Queen's Printer for BC Code books
  - o BC Building Code
  - o BC Fire Code
  - o BC Electrical Code



- National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) <u>www.nfpa.org</u>
  - o NFPA 80 Standards for Fire Doors and Fire Windows
  - o NFPA 101 Life Safety Code
- Canadian National Building Code <a href="http://www.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca">http://www.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca</a>

#### **Suggested Texts**

• Building Trades Blueprint Reading

Sandberg - Copp Clark (1982)

ISBN 0-7730-2900-1

This text is suggested to complete the technical training component of the carpentry apprenticeship program. It describes blueprint-reading techniques for the construction of residential buildings.

• Principles and Practices of Commercial Construction, 9th Edition

Smith - Prentice-Hall (2000)

ISBN 0-13-026162-9

This text is suggested to complete the technical training component of the carpentry apprenticeship program. It covers construction techniques for the construction of large buildings.

• Building Trades Dictionary 4th Edition

Toenjes - American Technical Publishers (1989)

ISBN-13: 978-0-8269-0406-5

The Building Trades Dictionary explains the meaning of many construction terms. The text makes good use of diagrams. It is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library. CD Rom is available.

• Practical Problems in Mathematics For Carpenters

Huth - Delmar (1991)

ISBN 0-8273-4579-8

Harry Huth, the author of this text, uses many diagrams and sample problems to lead the learner through the methods used to solve carpentry related math problems. The text is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library.

• Permanent Wood Foundations

Canadian Wood Council (1992) ISBN 0-921628-19-6

The Canadian Wood Council publishes this text. It includes many diagrams and does an excellent job of describing wood foundations. It is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library.

• Formwork for Concrete

Hurd - American Concrete Institute SP-4 (1989)

LCC 89-81442

Formwork for Concrete, Principals and Practices of Commercial Construction is the definitive text on the construction of formwork. The explanations and diagrams are excellent. It is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library.



• Concrete Technology

White - Delmar (1991) ISBN 0-8273-3635-7

Concrete Technology is a simplified version of Design and Control of Concrete Mixtures. It is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library.

• Hand Woodworking Tools

McDonnell - Delmar (1978) ISBN 0-8273-1098-6

Hand Woodworking Tools gives a wonderful description of the traditional hand woodworking tools used in carpentry. It is an older text that may be out of print but is listed here because of the quality of the diagrams used in the text. It is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library.

• Design and Control of Concrete Mixtures, 8th Canadian Edition

ISBN-13: 978-0893122720

*The Design and Contr*ol of Concrete Mixtures gives a thorough description of the components of concrete and how they work together. It is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library.

• Understanding Wood

Hoadley - Taunton Press (2005) ISBN 978-1-56158-358-4

Understanding Wood is a very well written text on the properties of wood. It describes how the properties of wood can be predicted and controlled. It is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library.

• Canadian Wood frame House Construction, CMHC, Revised 2013

The Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) publish this useful book. It describes all aspects of wood frame construction. It is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library and is also available on CD-ROM. It is available for free download on the CMHC website.

• National Building Code of Canada

The National Building Code (NBC) is the main building regulation text for Canada. Local Building Codes are based on this text. When working in British Columbia, it is useful to be aware of the difference between the BC Code and the NBC. This text is available at public libraries and at the college library and is also available on CD-ROM. Available online at: http://www.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca/eng/solutions/advisory/codes\_centre\_index.html

• Construction Materials, Methods and Techniques William P. Spence, Eva Kultermann (2016)

This text does an excellent job of describing the properties of construction materials. It is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library or at the college library.



• Why Buildings Stand Up

Salvadori, Norton Publishing (2002)

ISBN 978-0-393-30676-7

Why Buildings Stand Up does a great job of describing the physics of building construction. It uses many historical references and truly simplifies the forces acting on a building. It is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library or at the college library.

 Architectural and Graphic Standards, Student Edition Charles George Ramsey, Harold, Reeve, Sleeper, Bruce Bassler (Editor)
 American Institute of Architects (2008)

ISBN 0-471-04683-3

The construction details shown in this tex*t* are wonderful. Both residential and commercial construction details are shown. It is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library or at the college library.

• Hoisting and Rigging Safety Manual

The Ontario Safety Association published this manual. It provides a good description of safe rigging practices. It is useful as an auxiliary reference text that may be available at the public library or at the college library.

• De Walt Carpentry and Framing

ISBN 13:978-1-1111361-3-0

De Walt Carpentry and Framing handbook spells out, through pictures, the step-by-step procedures associated with key carpentry concepts. The accompanying text is clear, straightforward, and accessible, clarifying and elaborating on the visuals. Coverage begins with a discussion of house types and foundations, gradually progressing to more complex areas, such as wall and floor framing.



# **Instructor Requirements**

#### **Occupation Qualification**

The instructor must possess:

• Carpenter Certificate of Qualification with an Interprovincial Red Seal Endorsement

#### **Work Experience**

The instructor must possess:

- A minimum of 5 years' experience working in the industry as a journeyperson.
- Diverse industry experience covering all the competencies in this program.

#### **Instructional Experience and Education**

It is preferred that the instructor also possesses one of the following:

- An Instructor Diploma or equivalent
- A Bachelor's Degree in Education
- A Master's Degree in Education







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#### **Appendices**

# Appendix A Acronyms

**BEDMAS** Brackets, Exponents, Division, Multiplication, Addition, and Subtraction

BIM Building information modelling

**CADD** Computer-Aided Design and Drafting

CLT Cross-laminated timber

DLT Dowel-laminated timber

FLRA Field level risk assessment

ICI Industrial, commercial, and institutional

ICF Insulated concrete forms
 JHA Job hazard analysis
 MSI Musculoskeletal Injuries
 NBC National Building Code

NFPA National Fire Protection Association
OHS Occupational Health and Safety
PPE Personal protective equipment

SDS Safety data sheets

WHMIS Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

Nail-laminated timber

WLL Working load limits

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# Appendix C Summary of Achievement Criteria

Achievement Criteria are included for those competencies that require a practical assessment. The intent of including Achievement Criteria in the Program Outline is to ensure consistency in training across the many training institutions in British Columbia. Their purpose is to reinforce the theory and to provide a mechanism for evaluation of the learner's ability to apply the theory to practice. It is important that these performances be observable and measurable and that they reflect the skills spelled out in the competency. The conditions under which these performances will be observed and measured must be clear to the learner as well as the criteria by which the learner will be evaluated. The learner must also be given the evaluation criteria.

The performance spelled out in the Achievement Criteria is a suggested performance and is not meant to stifle flexibility of delivery. Training providers are welcome to substitute other practical performances that measure similar skills and attainment of the competency. Multiple performances may also be used to replace individual performances where appropriate.

The following tables summarize the practical assessments for each level. For details, please refer to the Achievement Criteria following the particular competency in the Program Content section.

	CARPENTER - LEVEL 1 SUMMARY OF ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA			
	SUBJECT COMPETENCY	ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA TASK		
A1	Apply shop and site safety practices	The learner will interpret information from OHS Regulation.		
		1. The learner will use drafting tools to draw a project.		
B1	Use construction drawings and specifications	2. The learner will interpret information from construction drawings.		
B2	Interpret building codes and bylaws	The learner will interpret information from the building code.		
C1	Use hand tools	The learner will lay out and build a hand tool project.		
C2	Use portable power tools	The learner will lay out and build a project that includes cross, mitre, and bevel cuts, and ripping with a circular saw.		
	Use stationary power tools	1. The learner will perform rip and cross cuts on a table saw.		
C3		2. The learner will use a bench grinder to sharpen a chisel or plane iron.		
D1	Use levelling instruments and equipment	1. The learner will complete a survey circuit to identify elevations at various locations, including a turning point.		
DI		2. The learner will transfer elevations.		
E1	Use ladders, scaffolds, and access equipment	The learner will set up a scaffold system with an access ladder.		
E2	Use rigging and hoisting equipment	1. The learner will use hand signals for communication.		
1:2	ose rigging and noisting equipment	2. The learner will tie knots, bends, and/or hitches.		
F1	Lay out building locations	The learner will set up batter boards and string lines for a foundation project.		



G3	Build footing and vertical formwork	1. The learner will build footing and wall forms using a strip easy tie system.
		2. The learner will build footing and vertical forms using snap tie system.
НЗ	Build floor systems	The learner will plan, layout, and build a floor system with an opening.
Н5	Build stair systems	The learner will plan and build straight stairs with a handrail.

CARPENTER – LEVEL 2 SUMMARY OF ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA				
	SUBJECT COMPETENCY	ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA TASK		
B1	Use construction drawings and specifications	1. The learner will interpret information from a set of construction drawings.		
		2. The learner will draw plans for a project such as a door or exterior finish detail.		
C2	Use portable power tools	The learner will use portable power tools to complete a project.		
СЗ	Use stationary power tools	The learner will use stationary power tools to finish a project.		
D2	Use site layout equipment	The learner will lay out building corners using a theodolite.		
G4	Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms	The learner will build the formwork for a sloping slab-on-grade.		
H4	Build wall systems	The learner will build walls and partitions.		
Н5	Build stair systems	The learner will plan and build straight stairs with a balustrade.		
Н6	Build roof systems	1. The learner will build a gable roof with ceiling joists.		
		2. The learner will layout and install a hip rafter.		
I2	Install doors and hardware	The learner will install an exterior door with hardware.		
I3	Install windows and hardware	The learner will install a window.		
I4	Install exterior finishes	The learner will install exterior cladding materials including flashing.		
J2	Control forces acting on a building as a system	The learner will install building envelope control layers.		



# CARPENTER – LEVEL 3 SUMMARY OF ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA

SUMMARY OF ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA				
	SUBJECT COMPETENCY	ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA TASK		
B1	Use construction drawings and specifications	The learner will interpret information from a set of structural drawings.		
		2. The learner will draw formwork details, including plan and section views.		
		3. The learner will estimate a reflected ceiling plan, including items such as lighting fixtures and bulkheads.		
B2	Interpret building codes and bylaws	The learner will interpret information in the BC Building Code related to public spaces.		
C1	Use hand tools	The learner will use and maintain hand tools.		
С3	Use stationary power tools	The learner will use band saw and drill press.		
E2	Use rigging and hoisting equipment	The learner will prepare a lift plan.		
G3	Build footing and vertical formwork	The learner will build a vertical formwork project.		
64	Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms	1. The learner will install chamfer strips including mitres and 3-way corners.		
G4		2. The learner will build suspended slab forms including a beam, girder, or drop panel.		
G5	Install reinforcement and embedded items	The learner will lay out and install anchor bolt template.		
G6	Build concrete stair forms	The learner will build multi-flight concrete stair forms.		
G8	Install specialized formwork	The learner will lay out pre-cast concrete components.		
Н6	Build roof systems	The learner will build an intersecting hip roof.		
10	Install doors and hardware	1. The learner will install an interior door.		
I2		2. The learner will use templates to layout door closers and panic hardware.		
	Install cabinets	1. The learner will build a cabinet.		
<b>I6</b>		2. The learner will apply plastic laminate to a project.		
To	Install interior floor, ceiling, and wall systems	1. The learner will build steel stud walls with openings.		
17		2. The learner will build a suspended ceiling.		
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	SUBJECT COMPETENCY	ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA TASK		
В3	Plan and organize work	1. The learner will estimate and schedule a project.		
		2. The learner will complete documents for a building permit application.		
D2	Use site layout equipment	The learner will layout curved shapes.		
Н5	Build stair systems	1. The learner will build winder stairs.		
		2. The learner will build circular stairs.		
		3. The learner will build a balustrade.		
Н6	Build roof systems	1. The learner will build an unequal slope intersecting roof.		
		2. The learner will build a specialized roof framing system.		
15	Install interior finishes	1. The learner will scribe fit paneling.		
		2. The learner will install casing and crown moulding.		