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## PROGRAM OUTLINE

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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: <http://www.worksafebc.com>). 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
<b>Program Credentialing Model</b>	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
<b>OAC</b>	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
<b>Training Topics and Suggested Time Allocation</b>	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
<b>Program Content</b>	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
<b>Assessment Guidelines</b>	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
<b>Training Provider Standards</b>	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
<b>Appendix – Glossary of Acronyms</b>			Defines program specific acronyms	

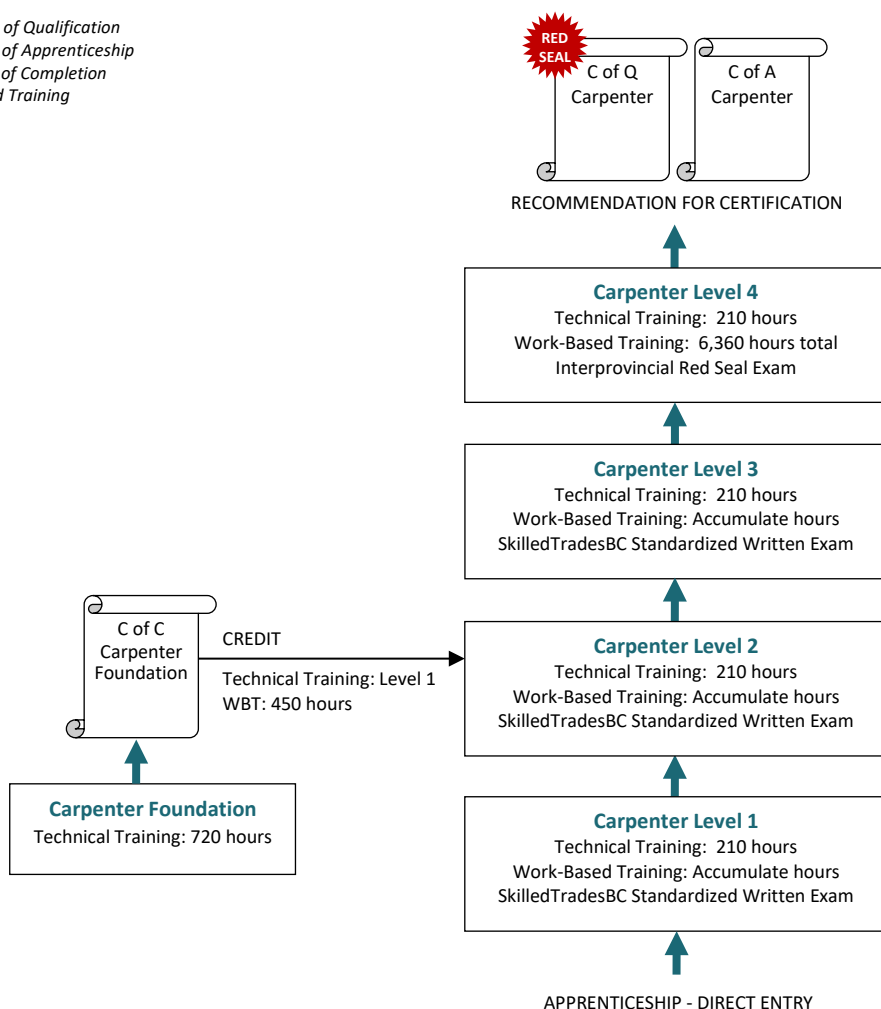
# **Section 2**

## **PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

### **Carpenter**

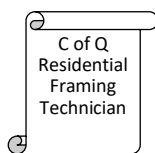
## Program Credentialing Model

C of Q = Certificate of Qualification  
C of A = Certificate of Apprenticeship  
C of C = Certificate of Completion  
WBT = Work-Based Training

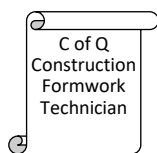


### CROSS-PROGRAM CREDITS

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.

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

**Program Overview**
**ACCESS, RIGGING, AND  
HOISTING EQUIPMENT**  
**E**

Use ladders, scaffolds, and access equipment				
E1				
1				

Use rigging and hoisting equipment				
E2				
1		3		

**SITE LAYOUT**  
**F**

Lay out building locations				
F1				
1				

Prepare building site				
F2				
			4	

Apply excavation and shoring practices				
F3				
		3		

**CONCRETE  
FORMWORK**  
**G**

Use concrete types, materials, additives, and treatments				
G1				
1		3		

Select concrete forming systems				
G2				
1		3		

Build footing and vertical formwork				
G3				
1		3		

Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms				
G4				
1	2	3		

Install reinforcement and embedded items				
G5				
1		3		

Build concrete stair forms				
G6				
		3		

Place and finish concrete				
G7				
1	2			

Install specialized formwork				
G8				
		3		

**WOOD FRAME  
CONSTRUCTION**  
**H**

Describe wood frame construction				
H1				
1				

Select framing materials				
H2				
1				

Build floor systems				
H3				
1				

Build wall systems				
H4				
1	2			

Build stair systems				
H5				
1	2		4	

Build roof systems				
H6				
	2	3	4	

Build specialized framing systems				
H7				
			4	

Perform renovations and additions				
H8				
			4	

Build timber and engineered wood construction				
H9				
			4	

Build decks and exterior structures				
H10				
			4	

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## Training Topics and Suggested Time Allocation

### CARPENTER – LEVEL 1

		% of Time Allocated to:			
		% of Time	Theory	Practical	Total
<b>Line A</b>	<b>SAFE WORK PRACTICES</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>100%</b>
A1	Apply shop and site safety practices		✓	✓	
A2	Apply personal safety practices		✓	✓	
<b>Line B</b>	<b>DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>100%</b>
B1	Use construction drawings and specifications		✓	✓	
B2	Interpret building codes and bylaws		✓	✓	
B3	Plan and organize work		✓		
B4	Perform trade math		✓		
B5	Use communication and mentorship techniques		✓		
<b>Line C</b>	<b>TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>100%</b>
C1	Use hand tools		✓	✓	
C2	Use portable power tools		✓	✓	
C3	Use stationary power tools		✓	✓	
<b>Line D</b>	<b>SURVEY INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>100%</b>
D1	Use levelling instruments and equipment		✓	✓	
<b>Line E</b>	<b>ACCESS, RIGGING, AND HOISTING EQUIPMENT</b>	<b>9%</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>100%</b>
E1	Use ladders, scaffolds, and access equipment		✓	✓	
E2	Use rigging and hoisting equipment		✓	✓	
<b>Line F</b>	<b>SITE LAYOUT</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>100%</b>
F1	Lay out building locations		✓	✓	
<b>Line G</b>	<b>CONCRETE FORMWORK</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>100%</b>
G1	Use concrete types, materials, additives, and treatments		✓		
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		✓		
G7	Place and finish concrete		✓		
<b>Line H</b>	<b>WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>100%</b>
H1	Describe wood frame construction		✓		
H2	Select framing materials		✓		
H3	Build floor systems		✓	✓	
H4	Build wall systems		✓		
H5	Build stair systems		✓	✓	

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



## Training Topics and Suggested Time Allocation

### CARPENTER – LEVEL 2

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

## Training Topics and Suggested Time Allocation

### CARPENTER – LEVEL 3

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

## Training Topics and Suggested Time Allocation

### CARPENTER – LEVEL 4

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

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1. Describe Occupational Health and Safety (OHS) Regulation and related materials | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards</li> <li>• Legal responsibilities               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Education and training</li> <li>○ Orientation processes</li> <li>○ Toolbox meetings</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Inspections and investigations</li> <li>• WorkSafeBC assessment and penalty costs affecting employers</li> </ul>   |
| 2. Use OHS Regulation and related materials                                       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety committees               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Purpose</li> <li>○ Membership</li> <li>○ Role of members</li> <li>○ Meetings and minutes</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Conducting toolbox meetings               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Purpose</li> <li>○ Content</li> <li>○ Timing</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Conducting site inspections               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Identification of hazards</li> <li>○ Recommendations</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Remedies</li> </ul> |
| 3. Describe safe work practices   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety gear</li> <li>• Inspecting condition of tools</li> <li>• Using proper tools</li> <li>• Guards and barriers</li> <li>• Operating hazardous equipment</li> <li>• Using hazardous materials and harmful substances</li> <li>• Flammable, explosion, and electrical hazards</li> <li>• Grounding of tools and equipment</li> </ul>  |

**LEARNING TASKS**

**CONTENT**

4. Apply safe work practices

- Lockout procedures
- Housekeeping
- Using compressed air
- Sound and light signals
- Entering confined spaces
- 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
  - Fuel
  - Heat
  - Oxygen
- Solvent flammability
  - Flash points
- Types of fires
  - 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Assignment sheet</li></ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Accuracy</li><li>• Interpretation</li></ul>



<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>SAFE WORK PRACTICES</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>A2</b>	<b>Apply personal safety practices</b>

## 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

1. Describe roles and responsibilities related to workplace safety
2. Describe hazard identification in the workplace
3. Use personal protective equipment and clothing

## CONTENT

- Personal safety
- Responsibilities
  - Employers
  - Employees
- Hazardous materials
- Slips and trips
- Working at height
  - Fall protection
  - Tethering tools
  - Control zones
- Overhead dangers
- Confined spaces
  - Certification
- Excavations
- Working around equipment
- Uneven ground
- Changes in conditions
- Inspecting
  - 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

**CONTENT**

- 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
  - Fall arrest
  - Rescue
- Rope grabs and shock limiting devices
- Using safety harness, lanyard, and lifeline
- Safety equipment inspection

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>B1</b>	<b>Use construction drawings and specifications</b>

## 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

1. Describe drawings
2. Describe the parts of drawings
3. Describe construction documents
4. Use drafting tools and materials

## CONTENT

- Views
- Types of drawings
- Line types
- Symbols
- Abbreviations
- Title block
- Borders
- Revisions
- Legends
- Notes
- Scale
  - 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**

5. Use construction drawings

- 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)
- 
- 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Specifications</li> <li>• Assignment sheet</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Procedure</li> </ul>

**Achievement Criteria 2**

Performance	The learner will interpret information from construction drawings.
Conditions	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Assignment sheet</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accuracy</li> </ul>

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>B2</b>	<b>Interpret building codes and bylaws</b>

### 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

1. Describe building codes and bylaws
2. Use building codes and bylaws
3. Describe the types and purposes of inspections

### CONTENT

- National Building Code
- BC Building Code
- Municipal zone bylaws
- Vancouver Building Code
- National Fire Code
- BC Building Code
- Purpose of inspections
- Sequence of inspections
- Work that requires inspections
  - Foundation and forms
  - Perimeter drain, rain water leaders, and sumps
  - Rough in plumbing
  - Foundation insulation and ground seal
  - Subtrades
    - Gas
    - Electrical
    - Security
    - Fire suppression
  - Chimney and fireplace
  - Framing
  - Insulation and vapour barrier
  - Building envelope
    - Energy efficiency
  - Final inspections

### Achievement Criteria

Performance	The learner will interpret information from the building code.
Conditions	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assignment sheet</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accuracy</li> </ul>

**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

### CONTENT

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1. Describe the construction planning process       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overviewing sequence of a build               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Pre-build                   <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Consulting</li> <li>▪ Budgeting</li> <li>▪ Designing</li> <li>▪ Permits and applications</li> <li>▪ Scheduling project</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| 2. Describe manufacturer and supplier documentation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types</li> <li>• Uses</li> <li>• Formats</li> <li>• How to access</li> <li>• Storing and record keeping</li> </ul>  |
| 3. Describe material handling plan                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Handling</li> <li>• Storage</li> <li>• Protection</li> <li>• Receiving</li> </ul>   |

**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

### CONTENT

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

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>B5</b>	<b>Use communication and mentorship techniques</b>

### 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

2. Describe communication expectations

### CONTENT

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



**LEARNING TASKS**

3. Describe the role of the protégé

**CONTENT**

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

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>C1</b>	<b>Use hand tools</b>

### 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

### CONTENT

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

**LEARNING TASKS**

**CONTENT**

4. Use fastening tools

- Operation
- Adjustment
- Maintenance
- Storage
  
- Safety
- Types
  - Hammers
  - Screwdrivers
  - Bars
  - 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Tool use</li> <li>• Calculations</li> <li>• Accuracy of layout and cuts</li> <li>• Quality of finished product</li> </ul>

**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 portable power tools
- Use portable power tools

**LEARNING TASKS**

**CONTENT**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1. Describe portable power tools            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Cutting</li> <li>○ Boring</li> <li>○ Shaping</li> <li>○ Fastening</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  |
| 2. Describe the use of portable power tools | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Electric</li> <li>• Pneumatic</li> <li>• Mechanical</li> <li>• Operating procedures</li> <li>• Following manufacturers' documentation</li> <li>• Condition of equipment</li> <li>• Power supply</li> <li>• Storage of tools</li> <li>• Battery disposal</li> </ul>             |
| 3. Use portable circular saws               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Types and sizes               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Corded</li> <li>○ Cordless</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Parts</li> <li>• Blade types</li> <li>• Operations</li> <li>• Accessories</li> <li>• Adjustments</li> <li>• Maintenance</li> </ul> |
| 4. Use portable mitre saws                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Safety</li> </ul>   |

**LEARNING TASKS**

**CONTENT**

5. Use portable drills and drivers

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

6. Use portable pneumatic tools

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

7. Use jigsaws and reciprocating saws

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

**LEARNING TASKS**

**CONTENT**

- Reciprocating saws
- Multi tools
- 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Tool use</li> <li>• Accuracy of layout and cuts</li> <li>• Quality of finished project</li> </ul>

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>C3</b>	<b>Use stationary power tools</b>

### 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	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A chisel or plane iron</li> <li>• Bench grinder</li> <li>• Sharpening stones</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Tool use</li> <li>• Procedure</li> <li>• Sharpness of finished edge</li> </ul>



<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>SURVEY INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>D1</b>	<b>Use levelling instruments and equipment</b>

### 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

### CONTENT

- Purpose
- Types of levelling instruments
  - Builder's levels
  - Electronic levels
- Parts
- Components
  - Tripod
  - Surveyor's rod
- Instrument set-up
- Testing level
- Levelling rods
  - Parts
  - Scales
  - Rod types
  - Hand signals
- Electronic and laser levels
  - Parts
  - 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Site plan including survey points</li> <li>• Field book</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy of rod readings</li> <li>• Field book recordings</li> <li>• Instrument set up</li> </ul>

**Achievement Criteria 2**

Performance	The learner will transfer elevations.
Conditions	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Electronic or optical level, receiver, and rod</li> <li>• Survey points</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Tool use</li> <li>• Accuracy of elevations</li> </ul>

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>ACCESS, RIGGING, AND HOISTING EQUIPMENT</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>E1</b>	<b>Use ladders, scaffolds, and access equipment</b>

### 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

2. Use ladders

3. Describe access equipment

4. Describe use of scaffolds and temporary access structures

### CONTENT

- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Ladder ratings
- Portable ladder safety
- Ladder types
  - Access ladder
  - Performance ladder
  - Job built ladder
- Accessories
- Safety
- Procedure for use
- Maintenance
- Storage
- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Swing stages
- Suspended power platform
- Scissor lifts
- Aerial lifts
- OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards
- Scaffold types
- General requirements
- Fall protection requirements
- Temporary ramps, walkways, and stairs
  - Slope regulations
  - Guards
- Work platforms

**LEARNING TASKS**

5. Use scaffolds and temporary access structures

**CONTENT**

- 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

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>ACCESS, RIGGING, AND HOISTING EQUIPMENT</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>E2</b>	<b>Use rigging and hoisting equipment</b>

### 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
  - Wire
  - Stranding
- Terminology
  - Breaking strength
  - Working load limits (WLL)
- Knots, bends, and hitches
  - Bowline
  - Figure eight
  - Reef or square knot
  - Sheet bend
  - Round turn and two half-hitches
  - Clove hitch
  - Timber hitch
  - 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

4. Use communication methods for lifting loads with cranes and hoists

**CONTENT**

- Purpose
- Types of cranes
- Types of hoists
- Rollers
- 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:

- Safety
- Accuracy

**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

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>SITE LAYOUT</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>F1</b>	<b>Lay out building locations</b>

### 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
  - 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	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A foundation plan</li> <li>• Reference points</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Setting of string lines</li> <li>• Dimensioning</li> <li>• Construction procedures</li> </ul>



<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>CONCRETE FORMWORK</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>G1</b>	<b>Use concrete types, materials, additives, and treatments</b>

### **Objectives**

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

- Describe concrete

### **LEARNING TASKS**

1. Describe concrete

### **CONTENT**

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

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>CONCRETE FORMWORK</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>G2</b>	<b>Select concrete forming systems</b>

### 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

1. Describe concrete formwork and falsework systems
2. Describe formwork material and hardware
3. Describe concrete joints

### CONTENT

- WorkSafeBC regulations and standards
- Safety
- Efficiency
- Architectural considerations
- Terminology
- Definitions
  - Responsibility of employer
  - Responsibility of formwork designer
  - Construction requirements
  - Inspection requirements
- Concrete pre-stressing
- Lumber
- Plywood
- Metal forms
- Plywood forms
- Ties
- Wedges and brackets
- Walers, strong backs, and bracing
- Reglets and inserts
- Types
  - Contraction
  - Control
  - Expansion
  - Isolation
  - 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

**CONTENT**

- Types
  - Strip
  - Stepped
  - Column
  - Grade beams
- Built-in-place forms
  - Strip easy forms
  - Snap tie forms
  - 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**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| 4. Calculate concrete volumes              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Access</li> </ul>  |
| 5. Build footing, wall, and vertical forms | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Footings</li> <li>• Walls</li> <li>• Columns</li> <li>• Centreline</li> </ul>                        |
| 6. Describe removal of concrete forms      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Layout</li> <li>• Assembling</li> <li>• Supporting</li> <li>• Aligning</li> <li>• Bracing</li> </ul> |
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| 6. Describe removal of concrete forms | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards</li> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Concrete design strength</li> <li>• Form removal               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Tool selection</li> <li>○ Edge protector</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
|---------------------------------------|---|

**Achievement Criteria 1**

- |             |  |
|-------------|--|
| Performance | The learner will build footing and wall forms using a strip easy tie system.   |
| Conditions  | The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A foundation plan which includes bucks, blockouts, and pour strip</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>  |
| Criteria    | The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Use of material and hardware</li> <li>• Plumb and level</li> <li>• Construction techniques</li> </ul> |

**Achievement Criteria 2**

- |             |   |
|-------------|---|
| Performance | The learner will build footing and vertical forms using snap tie system.  |
| Conditions  | The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A foundation plan which includes chamfer strip</li> <li>• Forming material and hardware</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul> |
| Criteria    | The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use of material and hardware</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Plumb and level</li> </ul>                       |

**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

**CONTENT**

- 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

**CONTENT**

- 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

### CONTENT

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

**Line (GAC):            H    WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION**

**Competency:           H1   Describe wood frame construction**

### 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

1. Describe framing systems

### CONTENT

- Platform
- 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

- Structural terms
- Architectural terms

3. Describe framing members

- Floors and ceilings
- Walls and partitions
- Roofs
- Trusses
- Bracing and blocking
- Sheathing

4. Describe roof styles

- Flat
- Shed
- Gable
- Hip
- Intersecting
- Mansard
- Gambrel
- Butterfly



**Competency:** H2 Select framing materials

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

## CONTENT

1. Describe characteristics of wood
  - Structural
  - Aesthetic
  - Softwood species
  - Hardwood species
  - Tropical hardwoods
2. Describe wood production
  - Production methods
    - Sawing
    - Drying
    - Surfacing
  - Moisture content
  - Sizes
  - Grading
    - Grade stamps
    - Board lumber
    - Light framing
    - Joists and planks
    - Beams and stringers
    - Posts and timbers
    - Decking
  - Siding
3. Describe common defects in wood
  - Warp
  - Compression wood
  - Mechanical defects
  - Split, check, and shake
  - Knots
  - Wane

**LEARNING TASKS**

**CONTENT**

4. Describe manufactured products

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

5. Describe fasteners used in wood frame construction

- Veneers
- Composite materials
- Pressure-treated
- Cross-banding
- Adhesives
- Softwood plywood grades
- Plywood veneers and cores
- Faces, backs, and cores
- Standard sizes and thicknesses

- Applications
- Nails
- Adhesives
- Threaded
- Treated wood
- Powder-actuated

6. Describe hardware used in wood frame construction

- Framing connectors
- Treated wood connectors
- Seismic connectors

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>H3</b>	<b>Build floor systems</b>

### 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

### CONTENT

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

2. Plan floor systems

## LEARNING TASKS

3. Calculate floor systems
4. Build pony walls
5. Build posts/columns and beams
6. Build floors
7. Describe deck systems

## CONTENT

- Spans
- Material quantities
  - Components
  - Pony wall construction
  - Post/column anchorage
  - Installing posts/columns and beams
- Layout and installation of
  - Sill plates
  - Joists
  - Bridging or blocking
- Openings
- Nailing requirements
- Joists supported by steel beams
- Installation of sheathing
- Safety
- Purpose
- Components
- Types
  - 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	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings that include openings and provisions for mechanical services</li> <li>• Tools</li> <li>• Materials</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Joist layout reflecting needs of services</li> <li>• Sequencing of joists around openings</li> <li>• Compliance with codes</li> <li>• Dimensional accuracy</li> </ul>

**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

### **CONTENT**

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

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

### LEARNING TASKS

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
  - Cut
  - 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**

1. Describe the forces acting on a building structure

**CONTENT**

- Dead and live loads
- Stresses
  - Compression
  - Tension
  - Torsion
  - 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**
**CONTENT**

- |                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| 1. Describe architectural drawings | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Residential</li> <li>• Industrial, commercial, and institutional (ICI)</li> <li>• Plans</li> <li>• Sections</li> <li>• Elevations</li> <li>• Shop drawings</li> <li>• As built drawings</li> </ul> |
| 2. Use architectural drawings      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Residential</li> <li>• ICI</li> <li>• Plans</li> <li>• Sections</li> <li>• Elevations</li> <li>• Shop drawings</li> <li>• As built drawings</li> </ul>   |
| 3. Describe schedules              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Door schedules</li> <li>• Window schedules</li> <li>• Hardware schedules</li> </ul>  |
| 4. Draw finishing details          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Plan</li> <li>• Section</li> <li>• Elevation</li> <li>• Component identification</li> </ul>  |

**Achievement Criteria 1**

Performance	The learner will interpret information from a set of construction drawings.
Conditions	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Assignment sheet</li> </ul>
Criteria	The individual will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interpretation of plans</li> </ul>

**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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Project specifications</li> <li>• Materials</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use of standard construction drawing standards and techniques</li> <li>• Complete and correct content</li> </ul>

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>B2</b>	<b>Interpret building codes and bylaws</b>

### 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

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>C2</b>	<b>Use portable power tools</b>

### 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

**CONTENT**

- Safety
- Purpose
- Types and sizes
- Parts
- Operations
- Accessories
- Adjustment
- Maintenance

5. Describe portable grinders

- Safety
- Types and sizes
- Parts
- Operations
- Accessories
- Abrasive types and speeds
- Adjustment
- Maintenance

6. Use portable routers

- Safety
- Purpose
- Types
- Parts
- Bit types
- Tables
- Operation
- Maintenance
- Storage

7. Use portable sanders

- Safety
- Purpose
- Types
- Parts
- Abrasive types
- Operation
- Maintenance
- Storage

8. Use portable power planes

- Safety
- Purpose

**LEARNING TASKS**

**CONTENT**

9. Use portable biscuit (plate) joiners

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

- 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Portable power tools</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> </ul>

**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

### CONTENT

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

2. Use a thickness planer

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

3. Use sanding machines

- 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	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Stationary power tools</li> <li>• Materials</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Selection of cutting blades, bits, and abrasives</li> <li>• Use of jigs and accessories</li> </ul>



**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

1. Describe electronic layout instruments

### CONTENT

- Purpose
- Types
  - 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

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>CONCRETE FORMWORK</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>G4</b>	<b>Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms</b>

### **Objectives**

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

- Build slabs-on-grade

### **LEARNING TASKS**

1. Build slabs-on-grade

### **CONTENT**

- Ground preparation
- Form system
- Reinforcement
- Establishing elevations

### **Achievement Criteria**

<b>Performance</b>	The learner will build the formwork for a sloping slab-on-grade.
<b>Conditions</b>	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Tools</li> <li>• Equipment</li> </ul>
<b>Criteria</b>	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Correct installation as per drawings</li> </ul>

**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

### **LEARNING TASKS**

1. Describe concrete finishing

2. Describe the process of concrete curing

3. Describe concrete defects

### **CONTENT**

- Safety
- Tools and equipment
- Walls
- Flatwork
- Procedures
- Surface treatments
  
- Hydration
- Curing
- Sealers and hardeners
- Environmental conditions
  
- 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

### CONTENT

- Safety
- Code requirements
  - Determine materials and sizes
  - Spacing
  - Spans
  - Brace walls
- Engineering
  - Seismic hardware
- Construction drawings
- Construction sequence
- Temporary bracing
- Critical barriers

2. Calculate wall systems

- Spans
- Framing materials
- Components

3. Build wall systems

- Build exterior walls
  - Layout
  - Assemble
  - Squaring walls
  - Sheathing
  - Standing walls
  - Straightening and bracing walls
- Build interior walls
  - Layout
  - Assemble
  - Standing walls
  - Straightening and bracing walls
  - Fire stops
  - Backframing

**Achievement Criteria**

Performance	The learner will build walls and partitions.
Conditions	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Stud layout</li> <li>• Framing around openings</li> <li>• Compliance with code</li> <li>• Dimensional accuracy: square, plumb, and level</li> </ul>

**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

### LEARNING TASKS

### CONTENT

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| 1. Describe stairs and balustrade  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Straight</li> <li>○ Multi-flight</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Stair components</li> <li>• Balustrade components</li> </ul>                         |
| 2. Plan stairs and balustrade      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Code requirements</li> <li>• Construction drawings               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Design considerations</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Construction sequence</li> </ul> |
| 3. Calculate stairs and balustrade | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Building codes</li> <li>• Rise and run</li> <li>• Stairwell openings</li> <li>• Stair dimensions</li> <li>• Materials</li> </ul>  |
| 4. Build stairs and balustrade     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Layout</li> <li>• Cut</li> <li>• Assemble</li> </ul>  |

### Achievement Criteria

- |             |  |
|-------------|--|
| Performance | The learner will plan and build straight stairs with a balustrade.   |
| Conditions  | The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Tools</li> <li>• Materials</li> </ul>   |
| Criteria    | The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Compliance with building codes</li> <li>• Calculations, layout, and cuts</li> <li>• Dimensional accuracy: straight, square, and plumb</li> <li>• Quality of finished project</li> </ul> |

**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

### CONTENT

- 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

1. Describe exterior doors

### CONTENT

- Purpose
- Schedule
- Code requirements
- Security requirements
- Common types
- Construction
- Terminology
- Weather and air sealing
- Storage during construction
- Swing/hand of door

2. Describe specialty exterior doors

- Types
- Purpose
- Installation

3. Describe exterior door jambs

- Types
- Purpose
- Construction

4. Describe exterior door hardware

- Types
  - Architectural
- Purpose
- Storage
- Labelling

5. Install exterior doors

- Types
- Operation
- Fitting
- Templates

**Achievement Criteria**

Performance	The learner will install an exterior door with hardware.
Conditions	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Compliance with building code</li> <li>• Installation of door to specified tolerances</li> <li>• Installation of hardware</li> </ul>

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>FINISHING MATERIALS</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>I3</b>	<b>Install windows and hardware</b>

### 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

### CONTENT

- Purpose
- Code requirements
- Types
- Components
- Construction
- Energy efficiency
- Storage
- Operation

2. Plan window installation

- Schedule
- Code requirements
- Drawings and specifications
- Manufacturers' specifications
- Delivery
- Storage
- Access
- Installation
  - Critical barriers
- Protection

3. Install windows

- Safety
- Fitting
- Plumb
- Level
- Shimming
- Fastening
- Sealing
- Accessories

**Achievement Criteria**

Performance	The learner will install a window.
Conditions	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tools</li> <li>• A rough opening</li> <li>• A window</li> <li>• Building envelope material</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Compliance with manufacturers' specifications</li> <li>• Preparation of opening</li> <li>• Positioning of window in rough opening</li> <li>• Installation of flashing and membranes</li> </ul>

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>FINISHING MATERIALS</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>I4</b>	<b>Install exterior finishes</b>

### Objectives

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

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

### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe building envelope

### CONTENT

- Code requirements
- Purpose
- Terminology
- Critical barriers
  - Air
  - Vapour
  - Moisture
  - Thermal
- Rainscreen systems
- Energy efficiency

2. Describe exterior finish materials

- Code requirements
- Purpose
- Types of finish materials
- Types of cladding
- Trim and accessories
- Fasteners

3. Plan exterior finish installation

- Safety
- Code requirements
- Drawings and specifications
- Sequence of installation
- Delivery
- Storage
- Access
- Installation
- Protection

4. Calculate exterior finish materials

- Materials
- Components

**LEARNING TASKS**

5. Install exterior finishing materials

**CONTENT**

- Accessories
- 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

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>J</b>	<b>BUILDING SCIENCE</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>J2</b>	<b>Control forces acting on a building as a system</b>

### 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 style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Principles</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Methods</li> </ul>
2. Describe control of vapour	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Principles</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Methods</li> </ul>
3. Describe control of air movement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Principles</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Methods</li> </ul>
4. Describe control of heat and cold	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Principles</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Methods</li> </ul>
5. Install building envelope components	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Building envelope control layers</li> </ul>



**Achievement Criteria**

Performance	The learner will install building envelope control layers.
Conditions	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tools</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Details</li> <li>• Drawings</li> <li>• Manufacturers' specifications</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Compliance with manufacturers' specifications</li> <li>• Installation of flashing and membranes</li> <li>• Sequencing</li> </ul>

# **Level 3 Carpenter**

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>B1</b>	<b>Use construction drawings and specifications</b>

### 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 style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types of drawings</li> <li>• Schedules</li> <li>• Specifications</li> <li>• Gridlines</li> </ul>
2. Describe schedules	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Door schedules</li> <li>• Window schedules</li> <li>• Room finish schedules</li> <li>• Hardware schedules</li> </ul>
3. Describe shop drawings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interior elevations</li> <li>• Millwork drawings</li> </ul>
4. Use structural drawings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <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 style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reflected ceiling plans</li> <li>• Specialties</li> <li>• Hardware</li> </ul>
6. Draw formwork details	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Question sheet</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accuracy</li> </ul>

**Achievement Criteria 2**

Performance	The learner will draw formwork details, including plan and section views.
Conditions	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Specifications</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Detail</li> </ul>

**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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Detail</li> </ul>

**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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Question sheet</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accuracy</li> </ul>

**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
  - Chisels
  - Smoothing tools
  - Scrapers
  - 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

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>ACCESS, RIGGING, AND HOISTING EQUIPMENT</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>E2</b>	<b>Use rigging and hoisting equipment</b>

### 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

### CONTENT

1. Describe lifting loads with cranes and hoists	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards</li> <li>• Considerations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ High voltage line clearance</li> <li>○ Overhead hazards</li> <li>○ Load stability</li> <li>○ Centre of gravity</li> <li>○ Sling locations</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
2. Use rigging equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards</li> <li>• Safe rigging practices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Lift plan</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Calculations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Weight of load</li> <li>○ Sling angle</li> <li>○ Working load limit</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Rigging structural shapes</li> <li>• Rigging complex shapes</li> <li>• Blocking and stacking</li> </ul>
3. Use hoisting equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards</li> <li>• Hand signals</li> <li>• Follow lift plan</li> <li>• Ground stability</li> <li>• Move and place load</li> </ul>
4. Maintain and store rigging and hoisting equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OHS Regulation and WorkSafeBC Standards</li> <li>• Safe storage and maintenance</li> </ul>



**LEARNING TASKS**

**CONTENT**

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

**Achievement Criteria**

Performance	The learner will prepare a lift plan.
Conditions	The learner will be given <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Instructions</li> <li>• Materials</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> </ul>

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>SITE LAYOUT</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>F3</b>	<b>Apply excavation and shoring practices</b>

### 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

1. Describe excavations

2. Describe shoring

3. Plan excavations and shoring

4. Calculate excavations

### CONTENT

- Safety
- Purpose
- Bulk excavations
- Trench excavations
- Deep excavations
- Soil
  - Conditions
  - Types
  - Bearing capacities/allowable bearing pressure
- Underpinning
- Types
- Slope stabilization
- Safety
- Weather conditions
- Site survey
- Grading
- Grid lines and grade stakes
- Excavation planning
- Describe backfilling
- Estimate volume of excavated material

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>CONCRETE FORMWORK</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>G1</b>	<b>Use concrete types, materials, additives, and treatments</b>

### 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

### CONTENT

1. Describe the uses for concrete	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Structural</li> <li>• Architectural</li> <li>• Fire proofing</li> <li>• Insulating</li> <li>• Conduits</li> <li>• Pavements</li> </ul>
2. Describe concrete mix designs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Strength</li> <li>• Durability</li> <li>• Water tightness</li> <li>• Finishing ability</li> <li>• Specialty concrete <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Exposed aggregate</li> <li>○ Self-consolidating</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
3. Describe the types of admixtures and treatments for concrete	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Air-entraining</li> <li>• Water-reducing</li> <li>• Plasticizers</li> <li>• Retardants</li> <li>• Accelerators</li> <li>• Colours</li> <li>• Damp proofing and permeability-reducing agents</li> <li>• Bonding agents</li> <li>• Release agents</li> <li>• Gas-forming agents</li> <li>• Pozzolans</li> </ul>
4. Describe structural grout	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Types</li> <li>• Procedures</li> </ul>

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>CONCRETE FORMWORK</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>G2</b>	<b>Select concrete forming systems</b>

### 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

1. Describe the factors affecting form design

### CONTENT

- 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

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| 1. Describe footing forms                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Raft slabs</li> <li>• Mass pad</li> <li>• Pile cap</li> <li>• Caissons</li> <li>• Piles</li> </ul>  |
| 2. Describe pile foundations               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types</li> <li>• Parts</li> <li>• Grade beams</li> <li>• Uses</li> <li>• Designs</li> </ul>   |
| 3. Describe column forms                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Fibre tubes</li> <li>○ Engineered column</li> <li>○ Job built</li> <li>○ Capital</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Assembly of forms</li> </ul> |
| 4. Describe wall forms                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Engineered wall system</li> <li>• Gang forms</li> <li>• Construction procedures</li> <li>• Form details</li> <li>• Double walers systems</li> </ul>   |
| 5. Describe insulated concrete forms (ICF) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Components and hardware</li> <li>• ICF foundation walls</li> <li>• Above ground flat ICF walls</li> </ul>   |

**LEARNING TASKS**

6. Plan footing and vertical formwork

**CONTENT**

- Safety
- Contract drawings
- Engineered drawings
- Procedures
  - Form system
  - Lift plan
  - Concrete placement
- Grade beams
- Material handling and storage
- Schedule
- Access

7. Calculate forming materials and concrete volumes

- Contact area
- Concrete wall volume
  - Battered
  - Circular
  - 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

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>CONCRETE FORMWORK</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>G4</b>	<b>Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms</b>

### Objectives

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

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

### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe suspended slabs

2. Describe fly table forms

3. Describe shoring and re-shoring

4. Plan suspended slab formwork

5. Calculate forming materials and concrete volumes

### CONTENT

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



<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>CONCRETE FORMWORK</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>G5</b>	<b>Install reinforcement and embedded items</b>

**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**

1. Describe embedded materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anchor bolts</li> <li>• Machine base bolts</li> <li>• Sleeves</li> <li>• Reglets</li> <li>• Dowels</li> <li>• Manhole cover frames</li> <li>• Grates, catch basins, and drain troughs or trenches</li> <li>• Dock levellers</li> <li>• Water stops</li> <li>• Specialty items</li> </ul>
2. Install embedded materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anchor bolts</li> <li>• Weld plates</li> <li>• Lifting anchors</li> <li>• Plastics</li> </ul>
3. Describe door frames used in concrete and masonry walls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types of frames</li> <li>• Methods of installation</li> </ul>
4. Describe concrete fastening systems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grout</li> <li>• Metal anchors</li> <li>• Chemical anchors</li> <li>• Mechanical anchors</li> <li>• Powder-actuated fasteners</li> </ul>

**Achievement Criteria**

<b>Performance</b>	The learner will lay out and install anchor bolt template.
<b>Conditions</b>	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Construction drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>
<b>Criteria</b>	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Installation</li> </ul>

**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

### CONTENT

- Cast-in-place stairs
- Pre-cast stairs
- Concrete finishes and nosings
- Components
  
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Construction drawings
- Procedures
  - Form system
  - Concrete placement
  - 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	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Tools</li> <li>• Materials</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Compliance with code</li> <li>• Layout</li> <li>• Use of forms and hardware</li> <li>• Plumb and level</li> <li>• Dimensional accuracy: straight and square</li> </ul>

**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

1. Describe tilt-up construction

### CONTENT

- Safety
- Uses
- Drawings
- Formwork
- Lifting sequence
- Lifting and bracing procedures

2. Describe pre-cast concrete

- Purpose
- Types
- Order of assembly
- Handling and storage
- Construction methods

3. Describe pre-stressed concrete

- Pre-tensioning
- Post-tensioning

4. Describe slip-form construction

- Planning
- Types
- Concrete mix design
- Construction procedures
- Jacks and yokes
- Concrete placement
- Concrete finishing
- Dismantling procedures

**LEARNING TASKS**

5. Describe mass concrete

6. Describe architectural formwork

7. Describe sealing joints

8. Lay out tilt-up construction

**CONTENT**

- Heat of hydration
- Types
- Placement methods
  
- Purpose
- Types
  - Curved walls
  - Arches
  - Floors
  - Walls
  - Ceilings
  - Landscape features
- Rustications
- Sandblasted and tooled concrete
- Exposed aggregate
- Form liners
- Stamped and coloured
  
- Types of caulking compounds
- Backer rods
- Sealers and primers
- Procedures
  
- 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
- Plan an intersecting roof
- Build an intersecting roof

### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe hip roof systems

### CONTENT

- Purpose
- Uses
- Types
- Components

2. Plan hip roof systems

- Safety
- Code requirements
- Construction drawings
- Construction sequence

3. Calculate hip roof systems

- Theoretical lengths
- Materials
- Components

4. Build hip roof systems

- Layout
- Cutting
- Assembling

5. Describe an intersecting roof

- Purpose
- Uses
- Types
- Components

6. Plan an intersecting roof

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

**LEARNING TASKS**

7. Calculate an intersecting roof

8. Build an intersecting roof

**CONTENT**

- Theoretical lengths
- Materials
- Components
- Layout
- Cutting
- 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

Criteria            The learner will be evaluated on:

- 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 style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Types</li> <li>• Schedule</li> <li>• Construction</li> <li>• Terminology</li> <li>• Code requirements</li> <li>• Security</li> <li>• Storage during construction</li> <li>• Swing/hand of door</li> </ul> |
| 2. Describe specialty interior doors | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types</li> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Installation</li> </ul>  |
| 3. Describe interior door jambs      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Steel frame</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Construction</li> </ul>   |
| 4. Describe interior door hardware   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types</li> <li>• Schedule</li> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Storage</li> </ul>   |
| 5. Install interior doors            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rough openings</li> <li>• Hanging and fitting</li> </ul>   |
| 6. Install interior door hardware    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types</li> <li>• Operation</li> <li>• Fitting</li> <li>• Templates</li> </ul>  |



**Achievement Criteria 1**

Performance	The learner will install an interior door.
Conditions	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Construction drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Compliance with building codes</li> </ul>

**Achievement Criteria 2**

Performance	The learner will use templates to layout door closers and panic hardware.
Conditions	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Manufacturers' specifications</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accuracy</li> </ul>

**Line (GAC): I FINISHING MATERIALS**

**Competency: I5 Install interior finishes**

### Objectives

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

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

### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe gypsum wallboard

### CONTENT

- Types
- Purpose
- Components
- Tools
- Installation

2. Plan installation of gypsum wallboard

- Safety
- Code requirements
- Temporary protection

3. Calculate materials

- Gypsum wallboard
- Components

**Line (GAC): I FINISHING MATERIALS**

**Competency: I6 Install cabinets**

### Objectives

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

- Build cabinets
- Plan installation cabinets
- Install countertops

### LEARNING TASKS

1. Describe cabinets

2. Describe countertops

3. Plan the building of cabinets and countertops

4. Build cabinets

5. Plan the installation of prefinished cabinets and countertops

### CONTENT

- Types
- Components
- Construction methods
- Finishes
  
- Types
  - Plastic laminate
  - Solid surface
  - Stone
  - Tile
  - 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**

6. Install countertops

- Installation methods
- Components
- Temporary protection
  
- Techniques

**Achievement Criteria 1**

Performance	The learner will build a cabinet.
Conditions	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Tools</li> <li>• Materials</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Dimensioning</li> <li>• Fit and finish</li> <li>• Installation of hardware</li> </ul>

**Achievement Criteria 2**

Performance	The learner will apply plastic laminate to a project.
Conditions	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Tools</li> <li>• Materials</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Dimensioning</li> <li>• Fit and finish</li> </ul>

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>FINISHING MATERIALS</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>I7</b>	<b>Install interior floor, ceiling, and wall systems</b>

### 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

1. Describe steel stud systems

2. Plan installation of steel stud systems

3. Install steel studs

4. Describe demountable partitions

5. Describe interior ceiling systems

6. Plan installation of interior ceiling systems

7. Calculate materials

8. Install interior ceiling systems

### CONTENT

- Types
- Purpose
- Tools
- Components
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Construction drawings
- Layout
- Cut
- Assemble
- Types
- Components
- Installation
- Purpose
- Types
- Components
- Methods
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Construction drawings
- Reflected ceiling plans
- Wall systems
- Ceiling systems
- Layout
- Cut
- Assembly

**Achievement Criteria 1**

Performance	The learner will build steel stud walls with openings.
Conditions	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Tools</li> <li>• Materials</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Plumb and square</li> <li>• Cutting and fastening technique</li> </ul>

**Achievement Criteria 2**

Performance	The learner will build a suspended ceiling.
Conditions	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reflected ceiling plan</li> <li>• Tools</li> <li>• Materials</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Layout</li> <li>• Level and square</li> <li>• Installation technique</li> </ul>

# **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
  - Fire-rated assemblies
    - Compartments
    - Separations
    - Walls
  - Penetrations



<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>B3</b>	<b>Plan and organize work</b>

### 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
  - Paper
  - 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**

- |  |  |
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|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Liens</li> <li>• Penalties/bonuses</li> <li>• Contingency funds</li> </ul>  |
| 5. Plan work sequence                                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Construction sequence and scheduling               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Gantt chart</li> <li>○ Critical path</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Material delivery sequence</li> <li>• Coordination with sub-trades</li> <li>• Time estimates</li> </ul>   |
| 6. Estimate the cost of a job                            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Labour</li> <li>• Material</li> <li>• Equipment</li> <li>• Subtrades</li> <li>• Overheads</li> <li>• Profit margin</li> </ul>   |
| 7. Describe inspections for engineered applications      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Architectural               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Work completed</li> <li>○ Quality of work</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Engineering               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Geotechnical</li> <li>○ Formwork</li> <li>○ Reinforcing steel</li> <li>○ Embedded materials</li> <li>○ Concrete</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Municipal/Provincial               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Plumbing</li> <li>○ Electrical</li> <li>○ Fire</li> <li>○ Gas</li> <li>○ Final/occupancy</li> <li>○ Elevator</li> <li>○ Health</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| 8. Describe use of computers in the construction process | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Building information modelling (BIM)</li> <li>• Electronic plan rooms</li> <li>• CADD</li> <li>• Spreadsheets</li> <li>• As builts</li> <li>• Warranty documents</li> </ul>   |

**Achievement Criteria 1**

Performance	The learner will estimate and schedule a project.
Conditions	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Cost guides</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Project schedule</li> <li>• Documentation</li> </ul>

**Achievement Criteria 2**

Performance	The learner will complete documents for a building permit application.
Conditions	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Municipal bylaws and regulations</li> <li>• Construction drawings and specifications</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interpretation of bylaws, regulations, and permit processes</li> </ul>

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>B5</b>	<b>Use communication and mentorship techniques</b>

### 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

1. 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
  - 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

1. Describe total stations

### CONTENT

- 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
    - First Aid
    - Tool storage
    - Site offices
    - Fuel storage
    - Muster station
    - Parking
    - Wheel wash
    - Sediment control
  - Temporary services
  - Water
  - Gas
  - Electrical
  - Material management
    - Logistics
    - Site processes
    - Dump site
  - Temporary road ways
  - Demobilization
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2. Describe site and project preparation
    - Site layout
    - Permits
    - Requirements
      - Environmental plan
      - Environmental impact assessment
      - Geotechnical reports
    - Clearing the site
      - BC One Call

**LEARNING TASKS**

**CONTENT**

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|---|---|
| <p>3. Describe hoardings</p> <p>4. Describe site drainage systems</p> <p>5. Describe sumps, catch basins, and septic tanks</p> <p>6. Describe backfilling</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demolition             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Identifying and removing hazardous materials</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Site services             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Locating</li> <li>○ Disconnecting</li> <li>○ Existing</li> <li>○ New</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Building elevations</li> <li>• Building codes and bylaws</li> <li>• Methods of construction</li> <li>• Types</li> <li>• Access lighting and signage</li> <li>• Types             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Dewatering systems</li> <li>○ Perimeter draining systems</li> <li>○ Granular drainage layer systems</li> <li>○ Drainage disposal</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Sumps</li> <li>• Code regulations</li> <li>• Dewatering systems</li> <li>• Sumps</li> <li>• Trapping hoods</li> <li>• Storm drains</li> <li>• Sanitary sewers</li> <li>• Catch basins</li> <li>• Backwater valves</li> <li>• Septic tanks</li> <li>• Perimeter drains</li> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Code requirements</li> <li>• Procedures             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Concrete foundations</li> <li>○ Preserved wood foundations</li> <li>○ Service trenches</li> <li>○ Compaction</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Foundation protection</li> <li>• Water/damp proofing</li> </ul> |
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**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

### LEARNING TASKS

### CONTENT

- |                                  |   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| 1. Describe stairs with winders  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stringer types</li> <li>• Tread shapes</li> </ul>  |
| 2. Plan stairs with winders      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Code requirements</li> <li>• Stringer types</li> </ul>                               |
| 3. Calculate stairs with winders | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rise and run</li> <li>• Stairwell openings</li> <li>• Stair dimensions</li> <li>• Materials</li> </ul> |
| 4. Build stairs with winders     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Layout</li> <li>• Cutting</li> <li>• Assembling</li> </ul>   |
| 5. Describe circular stairs      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Types</li> <li>• Components</li> </ul>  |
| 6. Plan circular stairs          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Code requirements</li> <li>• Stringer types</li> </ul>                               |
| 7. Calculate circular stairs     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rise and run</li> <li>• Stairwell openings</li> <li>• Stair dimensions</li> <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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Compliance with building codes</li> <li>• Calculations, layout, and cuts</li> <li>• Dimensional accuracy: straight, square, and plumb</li> <li>• Fit and finish</li> </ul>

**Achievement Criteria 2**

Performance	The learner will build circular stairs.
Conditions	The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>
Criteria	The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Compliance with building codes</li> <li>• Calculations, layout, and cuts</li> <li>• Dimensional accuracy: straight, square, and plumb</li> <li>• Use of templates and jigs</li> <li>• Assembly techniques</li> <li>• Fit and finish</li> </ul>

**Achievement Criteria 3**

Performance	The learner will build a balustrade.
Conditions	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Compliance with building codes</li> <li>• Calculations, layout and cuts</li> <li>• Dimensional accuracy:, straight, square, and plumb</li> <li>• Fit and finish</li> </ul>

**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

### LEARNING TASKS

### CONTENT

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| 1.    Describe an unequal slope intersecting roof  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose</li> <li>• Uses</li> <li>• Types</li> <li>• Components</li> </ul>   |
| 2.    Plan an unequal slope intersecting roof      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <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 style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Theoretical lengths</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Components</li> </ul>   |
| 4.    Build an unequal slope intersecting roof     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Layout</li> <li>• Cutting</li> <li>• Assembling</li> <li>• Sheathing cuts</li> </ul>  |
| 5.    Describe specialized roof framing systems    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Polygon roofs</li> <li>○ Gambrel</li> <li>○ Mansard</li> <li>○ Flat</li> <li>○ Dormer</li> <li>○ Cupola</li> <li>○ Turret</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |

**LEARNING TASKS**

**CONTENT**

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|---|---|
|   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Canopy</li> <li>○ Spire</li> <li>○ Saw tooth</li> <li>○ Butterfly roof</li> <li>● Components <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ False gable</li> <li>○ Cricket/saddle</li> <li>○ Parapet</li> <li>○ Cant strip</li> <li>○ Hidden gutters</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Methods of construction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Openings</li> <li>○ Wall frame</li> <li>○ Roof frame</li> <li>○ Curbs</li> <li>○ Critical barriers</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Vaulted ceilings</li> </ul> |
| 6. Plan specialized roof framing systems      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Safety</li> <li>● Code requirements</li> <li>● Scale drawing</li> <li>● Construction sequence</li> </ul>   |
| 7. Calculate specialized roof framing systems | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Theoretical lengths</li> <li>● Materials</li> <li>● Components</li> </ul>  |
| 8. Build specialized roof framing systems     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Layout</li> <li>● Cutting</li> <li>● Assembling</li> </ul>   |

**Achievement Criteria 1**

- |             |   |
|-------------|---|
| Performance | The learner will build an unequal slope intersecting roof.  |
| Conditions  | The learner will be given: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Drawings and specifications</li> <li>● Materials</li> <li>● Tools</li> </ul>                                    |
| Criteria    | The learner will be evaluated on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Safety</li> <li>● Accuracy</li> <li>● Compliance with Code</li> <li>● Drawing for adjustments</li> </ul> |

**Achievement Criteria 2**

Performance	The learner will build a specialized roof framing system.
Conditions	<p>The learner will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drawings and specifications</li> <li>• Materials</li> <li>• Tools</li> </ul>
Criteria	<p>The learner will be evaluated on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Framing technique</li> </ul>

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>H7</b>	<b>Build specialized framing systems</b>

### 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
  - Bay windows
  - Bow windows
  - Window boxes
  - Drop ceilings
  - Valences
  - Pony walls
  - Bulkheads
  - Cornices
  - Access floors

2. Describe exterior structures

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

3. Plan exterior structures

- Safety
- Code requirements
- Drawings and specifications
- Sequence

4. Plan decks

- Safety
- Code requirements
- Drawings and specifications
- Sequence

**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**

1. Describe renovations and additions

### **CONTENT**

- Purpose
- Types
  - Residential
  - Industrial, commercial, and institutional (ICI)
  - Leasehold improvements
- Design considerations

2. Plan renovations and additions

- 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
  - Mould
  - Lead
  - Mercury
  - PCB
  - Infestation
  - Biohazards
  - Silica
  - Dust
- Reclaiming material

**LEARNING TASKS**

3. Describe methods of renovations and additions

**CONTENT**

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



<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>H9</b>	<b>Build timber and engineered wood construction</b>

### 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

### CONTENT

- Purpose
  - Legislation
    - Wood First Act
  - Uses
  - Types
    - Heavy timber
      - Post and beam
      - Timber framing
    - Log building
    - Engineered
  - Hardware
  - Tools
  - Connections
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- 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
    - Fences
    - Pergola
    - Gazebos
    - Privacy screens
    - Accessory buildings
  - Components
  - Methods
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- Safety
  - Code requirements
  - Drawings and specifications
  - Sequence

2. Plan exterior structures

**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

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

### CONTENT

- Types
- Safety
- Code requirements
- Material calculations
- Storage and handling
- Acclimatization
- Subfloor preparation
- Installation of sleepers
- Layout procedures
- Fasteners
- Adhesives
- Sanding/finishing

3. Describe interior finishes

- Types
  - Wall panels
  - Wainscotting
  - Cornice moulds
  - Coffered ceilings
  - Mantles
- Components
- Materials

4. Plan interior finishes

- 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

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>FINISHING MATERIALS</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>I7</b>	<b>Install interior floor, ceiling, and wall systems</b>

**Objectives**

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

- Describe specialized floor systems

**LEARNING TASKS**

1. Describe specialized floor systems

**CONTENT**

- Access flooring
- Sports surfaces

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>J</b>	<b>BUILDING SCIENCE</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>J1</b>	<b>Control the forces acting on a building</b>

### 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

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1. Describe the forces acting on a building structure | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types of loads</li> <li>• Types of stress</li> <li>• Bearing capacities of soil</li> </ul>  |
| 2. Describe the forces acting on a building envelope  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Weather/climate</li> <li>• Temperature</li> <li>• Wind</li> <li>• Water</li> <li>• Building orientation</li> <li>• Ultraviolet radiation/sun</li> <li>• Relative humidity</li> <li>• Hydrostatic forces</li> <li>• Atmospheric pressure</li> <li>• Pressure differential</li> </ul>                       |
| 3. Describe seismic applications                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Code requirements               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Brace wall panels</li> <li>○ Brace wall bands</li> <li>○ Sheathing types</li> <li>○ Nailing patterns</li> <li>○ Nail types</li> <li>○ Blocking and backing</li> <li>○ Bracing</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Floor diaphragms</li> </ul> |
| 4. Describe seismic hardware and steel frames         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hold down anchors</li> <li>• Straps</li> <li>• Bolts</li> <li>• Nails</li> <li>• Drag struts</li> <li>• Steel moment frames</li> </ul>  |
| 5. Describe live and dead load calculation            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tributary area</li> <li>• Soil bearing capacities</li> <li>• Footing sizes</li> </ul>   |

<b>Line (GAC):</b>	<b>J</b>	<b>BUILDING SCIENCE</b>
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>J2</b>	<b>Control the forces acting on a building as a system</b>

### **Objectives**

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

- Describe energy efficient construction and sustainable building systems

### **LEARNING TASKS**

1. Describe energy efficient construction and sustainable building systems

### **CONTENT**

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

# **Section 4**

## **ASSESSMENT GUIDELINES**



## Assessment Guidelines – Level 1

### Level 1 Grading Sheet: Subject Competency and Weightings

PROGRAM: IN-SCHOOL TRAINING:		CARPENTER LEVEL 1	
LINE	SUBJECT COMPETENCIES	THEORY WEIGHTING	PRACTICAL WEIGHTING
A	SAFE WORK PRACTICES	6%	3%
B	DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS	16%	12%
C	TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT	17%	16%
D	SURVEY INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT	6%	6%
E	ACCESS, RIGGING, AND HOISTING EQUIPMENT	15%	15%
F	SITE LAYOUT	2%	3%
G	CONCRETE FORMWORK	20%	30%
H	WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION	16%	15%
J	BUILDING SCIENCE	2%	0%
	Total	100%	100%
In-school theory/practical subject competency weighting		50%	50%
Final in-school percentage score		IN-SCHOOL %	

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

## Assessment Guidelines – Level 2

### Level 2 Grading Sheet: Subject Competency and Weightings

PROGRAM: IN-SCHOOL TRAINING:		CARPENTER LEVEL 2	
LINE	SUBJECT COMPETENCIES	THEORY WEIGHTING	PRACTICAL WEIGHTING
B	DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS	13%	13%
C	TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT	10%	10%
D	SURVEY INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT	12%	13%
G	CONCRETE FORMWORK	5%	5%
H	WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION	25%	24%
I	FINISHING MATERIALS	25%	25%
J	BUILDING SCIENCE	10%	10%
	Total	100%	100%
<b>In-school theory/practical subject competency weighting</b>		50%	50%
<b>Final in-school percentage score</b>		IN-SCHOOL %	

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

## Assessment Guidelines – Level 3

### Level 3 Grading Sheet: Subject Competency and Weightings

PROGRAM: IN-SCHOOL TRAINING:		CARPENTER LEVEL 3	
LINE	SUBJECT COMPETENCIES	THEORY WEIGHTING	PRACTICAL WEIGHTING
B	DOCUMENTATION AND ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS	14%	14%
C	TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT	3%	8%
E	ACCESS, RIGGING, AND HOISTING EQUIPMENT	3%	3%
F	SITE LAYOUT	3%	0%
G	CONCRETE FORMWORK	27%	27%
H	WOOD FRAME CONSTRUCTION	20%	18%
I	FINISHING MATERIALS	30%	30%
	Total	100%	100%
<b>In-school theory/practical subject competency weighting</b>		50%	50%
<b>Final in-school percentage score</b>		IN-SCHOOL %	

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

## Assessment Guidelines – Level 4

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

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

**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 SkilledTradesBC DA. 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
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#### **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/marketing 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](http://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](http://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** ([www.crownpub.bc.ca](http://www.crownpub.bc.ca))
- 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](http://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 <https://worksafebc.com>

- *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, <http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ewh-semt/occup-travail/whmis-simdut/index-eng.php>
- WorkSafeBC, [www.worksafebc.com](http://www.worksafebc.com)

### Codes

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

- National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) [www.nfpa.org](http://www.nfpa.org)
  - NFPA 80 – Standards for Fire Doors and Fire Windows
  - NFPA 101 – Life Safety Code
- Canadian National Building Code <http://www.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca>

### **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, 9<sup>th</sup> 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 4<sup>th</sup> 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, Principles 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, 8<sup>th</sup> Canadian Edition* ISBN-13: 978-0893122720

*The Design and Control 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](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 text 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

# Appendices



## **Appendix A Acronyms**

<b>BEDMAS</b>	Brackets, Exponents, Division, Multiplication, Addition, and Subtraction
<b>BIM</b>	Building information modelling
<b>CADD</b>	Computer-Aided Design and Drafting
<b>CLT</b>	Cross-laminated timber
<b>DLT</b>	Dowel-laminated timber
<b>FLRA</b>	Field level risk assessment
<b>ICI</b>	Industrial, commercial, and institutional
<b>ICF</b>	Insulated concrete forms
<b>JHA</b>	Job hazard analysis
<b>MSI</b>	Musculoskeletal Injuries
<b>NBC</b>	National Building Code
<b>NLT</b>	Nail-laminated timber
<b>NFPA</b>	National Fire Protection Association
<b>OHS</b>	Occupational Health and Safety
<b>PPE</b>	Personal protective equipment
<b>SDS</b>	Safety data sheets
<b>WHMIS</b>	Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System
<b>WLL</b>	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
<b>A1</b> Apply shop and site safety practices	The learner will interpret information from OHS Regulation.
<b>B1</b> Use construction drawings and specifications	1. The learner will use drafting tools to draw a project.
	2. The learner will interpret information from construction drawings.
<b>B2</b> Interpret building codes and bylaws	The learner will interpret information from the building code.
<b>C1</b> Use hand tools	The learner will lay out and build a hand tool project.
<b>C2</b> 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.
<b>C3</b> Use stationary power tools	1. The learner will perform rip and cross cuts on a table saw.
	2. The learner will use a bench grinder to sharpen a chisel or plane iron.
<b>D1</b> Use levelling instruments and equipment	1. The learner will complete a survey circuit to identify elevations at various locations, including a turning point.
	2. The learner will transfer elevations.
<b>E1</b> Use ladders, scaffolds, and access equipment	The learner will set up a scaffold system with an access ladder.
<b>E2</b> Use rigging and hoisting equipment	1. The learner will use hand signals for communication.
	2. The learner will tie knots, bends, and/or hitches.
<b>F1</b> Lay out building locations	The learner will set up batter boards and string lines for a foundation project.

<b>G3</b> 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.
<b>H3</b> Build floor systems	The learner will plan, layout, and build a floor system with an opening.
<b>H5</b> Build stair systems	The learner will plan and build straight stairs with a handrail.

<b>CARPENTER – LEVEL 2 SUMMARY OF ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA</b>	
<b>SUBJECT COMPETENCY</b>	<b>ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA TASK</b>
<b>B1</b> 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.
<b>C2</b> Use portable power tools	The learner will use portable power tools to complete a project.
<b>C3</b> Use stationary power tools	The learner will use stationary power tools to finish a project.
<b>D2</b> Use site layout equipment	The learner will lay out building corners using a theodolite.
<b>G4</b> Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms	The learner will build the formwork for a sloping slab-on-grade.
<b>H4</b> Build wall systems	The learner will build walls and partitions.
<b>H5</b> Build stair systems	The learner will plan and build straight stairs with a balustrade.
<b>H6</b> Build roof systems	1. The learner will build a gable roof with ceiling joists.
	2. The learner will layout and install a hip rafter.
<b>I2</b> Install doors and hardware	The learner will install an exterior door with hardware.
<b>I3</b> Install windows and hardware	The learner will install a window.
<b>I4</b> Install exterior finishes	The learner will install exterior cladding materials including flashing.
<b>J2</b> Control forces acting on a building as a system	The learner will install building envelope control layers.

CARPENTER – LEVEL 3 SUMMARY OF ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA	
SUBJECT COMPETENCY	ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA TASK
<b>B1</b> Use construction drawings and specifications	1. 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.
<b>B2</b> Interpret building codes and bylaws	The learner will interpret information in the BC Building Code related to public spaces.
<b>C1</b> Use hand tools	The learner will use and maintain hand tools.
<b>C3</b> Use stationary power tools	The learner will use band saw and drill press.
<b>E2</b> Use rigging and hoisting equipment	The learner will prepare a lift plan.
<b>G3</b> Build footing and vertical formwork	The learner will build a vertical formwork project.
<b>G4</b> Build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms	1. The learner will install chamfer strips including mitres and 3-way corners.
	2. The learner will build suspended slab forms including a beam, girder, or drop panel.
<b>G5</b> Install reinforcement and embedded items	The learner will lay out and install anchor bolt template.
<b>G6</b> Build concrete stair forms	The learner will build multi-flight concrete stair forms.
<b>G8</b> Install specialized formwork	The learner will lay out pre-cast concrete components.
<b>H6</b> Build roof systems	The learner will build an intersecting hip roof.
<b>I2</b> Install doors and hardware	1. The learner will install an interior door.
	2. The learner will use templates to layout door closers and panic hardware.
<b>I6</b> Install cabinets	1. The learner will build a cabinet.
	2. The learner will apply plastic laminate to a project.
<b>I7</b> Install interior floor, ceiling, and wall systems	1. The learner will build steel stud walls with openings.
	2. The learner will build a suspended ceiling.

CARPENTER – LEVEL 4 SUMMARY OF ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA	
SUBJECT COMPETENCY	ACHIEVEMENT CRITERIA TASK
<b>B3</b> Plan and organize work	1. The learner will estimate and schedule a project.
	2. The learner will complete documents for a building permit application.
<b>D2</b> Use site layout equipment	The learner will layout curved shapes.
<b>H5</b> Build stair systems	1. The learner will build winder stairs.
	2. The learner will build circular stairs.
	3. The learner will build a balustrade.
<b>H6</b> Build roof systems	1. The learner will build an unequal slope intersecting roof.
	2. The learner will build a specialized roof framing system.
<b>I5</b> Install interior finishes	1. The learner will scribe fit paneling.
	2. The learner will install casing and crown moulding.