



LOCAL UNION 617
I.B.E.W.

SAN MATEO COUNTY
JOINT APPRENTICE AND TRAINING COMMITTEE
FOR THE
ELECTRICAL CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY



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OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT
4,000 HOURS PRIOR ELECTRICAL EXPERIENCE APPLICATION
IBEW/NECA INSIDE WIREMAN APPRENTICESHIP

Applications are available at 625 Industrial Road, San Carlos, in person, Monday through Friday (except office holidays) between 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. or online at www.smjatc617.com. If applying in person, applicants will not be admitted after 4:00 P.M.

WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO FILL OUT YOUR APPLICATION ONLINE AND BRING IT TO THE APPRENTICESHIP OFFICE ON THE DATE YOU APPLY. THIS WILL EXPEDITE THE APPLICATION PROCESS.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE TRADE:

- The Apprentice works directly under the supervision of a Journeyman Electrician. The trade requires considerable physical effort on the part of the Apprentice to do climbing, crawling, crouching and working in cramped quarters. Wiring is frequently color-coded and therefore, the worker cannot be colorblind. Mechanical ability and finger dexterity are essential. Electrician's work may be performed either indoors or outdoors, in existing or new buildings under construction, including street and highway lighting, traffic signals and other outdoor above and below grade installation, regardless of weather conditions.

APPLICANTS WITH PRIOR ELECTRICAL EXPERIENCE:

To qualify for a Placement Test and Oral Interview, an applicant with prior electrical experience must complete an Application Form, have a minimum of four thousand (4,000) hours of substantiated electrical construction work experience, and meet the following basic requirements:

- Applicant must have a valid California Driver's License to be qualified.
- Applicant must present documentation of a minimum of four thousand (4,000) hours of substantiated electrical construction experience, in the form of payroll statements or a transcript of wages and employers from the IRS (www.irs.gov, click on "Get Transcript of Your Tax Records"). See definition of Undisputable Documentation below.
- Pre-employment Drug Testing will be required.
- Applicants who meet the minimum requirements will be scheduled for a Placement Test to establish on-the-job credit and the appropriate period for related instruction within the Apprenticeship program.

UNDISPUTABLE DOCUMENTATION:

Undisputable documentation defines the applicant's experience in the electrical construction industry. This documentation must be comprised of official tax and/or payroll records. Substantiated electrical construction work experience consists of working for a C10 Electrical Contractor and working on and performing installations of 110 volts and/or higher. Such documentation must remain with the applicant's record. The JATC will examine all documentation submitted to determine qualifications of the applicant and schedule a placement examination and interview. An absolute minimum of four thousand hours of ELECTRICAL CONSTRUCTION WORK EXPERIENCE must be proven to meet this qualification. No other form of electronic or electrical experience/training or general construction experience will be given credit under this provision.

BURDEN OF PROOF IS THE APPLICANT'S RESPONSIBILITY

AGE:

- Applicant must be eighteen (18) years of age or older.

The San Mateo Electrical Workers Apprenticeship and Training Trust admits students of any race, color, national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, program and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admissions, scholarship, loan and other programs.

Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.