

Construction Craft Worker



Trade Description

Sets up/dismantles forms; performs site preparation and clean-up, excavation, backfill/compaction, traffic control duties, concrete placement and finishing and mason tending; and operates grading equipment

Sector: Construction

Key Skills or Attributes:

Mechanical aptitude, manual dexterity, ability to do hard physical work. Ability to work with a team and interact with public. Organizational, leadership and plan reading skills.

Other Considerations (if applicable):

Primarily outdoors. Work at heights, over water, in confined spaces and excavations. Maybe safety and liability issues.

National Occupational Analysis: <http://www.red-seal.ca/tr.1d.2@-eng.jsp?tid=254>

Apprenticeable	N	Trade Regulation Exists	N
Journeyman to Apprentice Ratio	1:1	Compulsory Certified - ATQA	N
Red Seal	Y	Compulsory Certified - Other	N

Applicable Legislation or Regulatory Authority:
Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act

Trade Regulation Under Review: No

Order in Council Date:

Training Pathways

Trades Qualifier Hours: 6000 **Apprenticeship Hours:** NA

Training Standards: N **Technical Training Available:** N

Available Training Options (if applicable)	
Program Name:	Provider:

Workforce Statistics

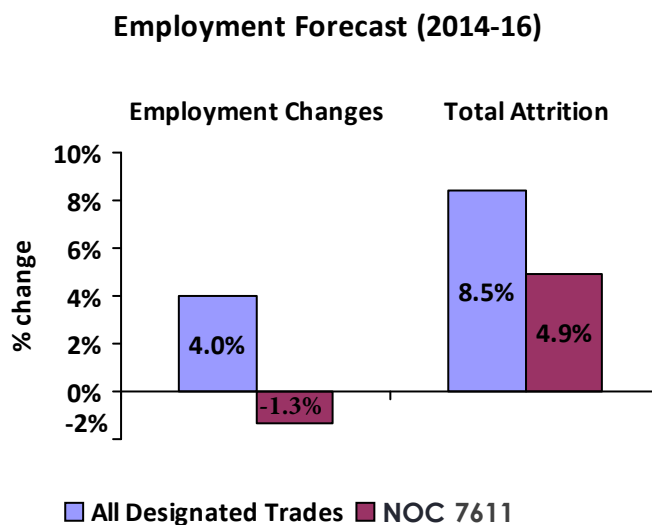
2011 NOC Title: Construction Trades Helpers and Labourers

2011 NOC Group: 7611

Main Industries	NAICS Code	Employment Share
1 Other Industries	Other	31.5%
2 Specialty trade contractors	238	29.3%
3 Construction of buildings	236	24.4%

Employment Outlook - NOC 7611

	NS	Canada	Employment Prospect Call:	Fair
Employment 2011:	3570	134150	(good, fair, limited)	
% Females:	10	6		
% Self-employed:	4	11		
% in a CMA/CA:	61	76		
% with post-secondary credential:	32	31		
Employment Chg, 2006-11:	720	9725		
Median Age (years):	39	35		
EI Claims, Avg Monthly 2014:	3722	NA		
Median Employment Inc. (\$):	20,450	23,300		
Temporary Resident Work Permits, 2014 (as of Q2 2015)	6	786		



Total attrition=retirements+deaths

Resources

Careers Nova Scotia <http://careers.novascotia.ca/occupation/373>