

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS WORKER



"I care about the environment and people's health and am proud of my role in ensuring hazardous materials are handled and disposed of safely."

WHAT YOU'LL NEED

Entrance Requirements

- Grade 12 Diploma

Apprenticeship Program:

As an apprentice, you will learn as you earn by attending one 3-week in-school session in between a period of paid work experience for a total of 3600 hours.

Key Skills & Attributes

(technical training and on the job)

- containment, removal and disposal of hazardous materials

DID YOU KNOW?

During the renovation of the West Block of the Parliament Precinct in Ottawa, more than 2,900 tons of asbestos-containing material was safely removed from the building.

ABOUT THIS CAREER

Hazardous materials workers identify, removes, packages, transport and disposes of hazardous materials such as asbestos, mould, lead, mercury, and other biological hazards.

- ✓ projected growth for the coming decades
- ✓ like to work with your hands
- ✓ enjoy a challenge

JOURNEYPERSON PAY

\$32.73/hr

116,200 WORKERS NEEDED
TO MEET INDUSTRY DEMAND GROWTH
TO 2030*

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- Apprentices of the program are expected to be familiar with applicable legislation including the Occupational Health and Safety Act, the Environmental Protection Act and their regulations.

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