INTERIOR FINISHER

DESCRIPTION

An interior finish carpenter works towards making the inside of a building look good, through their carpentry work. Interior finishers build, install and repair interior wall panelling, trim and crown mouldings for single and multi-family homes, and commercial buildings.

SKILLS

- Attention to detail
- Sound judgement and estimating ability

- Strong math skills
- Use of precision tools

DUTIES

- Cutting and shaping materials and joining them with nails, screws, bolts or glue
- Developing work plans
- Look through blueprints and drawings to determine requirements for interior finishing work
- Selecting, measuring and marking materials for interior panelling, trim or mouldings
- Reading and interpreting blueprints
- Assist in installing wood and plastic paneling on walls and doors, while maintaining an aesthetic look of the surface

EDUCATION

High School Diploma Required

RELATED PATHWAY OPTIONS

Trim Carpenter

Framer

SALARY RANGE \$50,000 to \$87,000

WHERE TO TRAIN



LOCAL 183 OR OTHER LOCAL LABOUR UNION RESIDENTIAL HANDYMAN

OTHER OPTIONS

COLLEGE OF CARPENTERS AND ALLIED TRADES INC. (CCAT)

CARPENTERS' DISTRICT COUNCIL OF ONTARIO

CONESTOGA: GENERAL CARPENTER (APPRENTICESHIP)

GEORGE BROWN COLLEGE - CARPENTRY AND RENOVATION TECHNICIAN PROGRAM (T180)

ALGONQUIN COLLEGE BUILDING RENOVATION

CANADORE COLLEGE BUILDING RENOVATION

DURHAM COLLEGE BUILDING RENOVATION

GETTING STARTED

THE OCCA CAN HELP YOU EXPLORE THESE THREE PATHWAYS:

- You can begin by applying for a job directly in the Construction Industry. Once you begin working with a Construction Company or Contractor you will quickly gain the necessary skills needed to advance yourself through in-house, work-as-you-learn training.
- You can get started through an apprenticeship program by combining on the job training with technical in-class training, gaining experience and increased responsibility. You can work in the industry, get paid, and work towards earning credits.
- You can enroll in a University, Community College or a Private Technical School to study and prepare yourself for a Career in Construction. All of this information may be found through our website.



