SITE SUPERINTENDENT

DESCRIPTION

Superintendents play a vital role in any construction project. Construction superintendents ensure projects are delivered successfully and on time. They collaborate with engineers and subcontractors to define project needs and oversee staff performance.

SKILLS

- Thrive in team dynamics, leadership ability required
- Effectively manage a team
- Able to perform heavy manual labour for prolonged periods of time
- Ability to interpret and build according to drawings, specifications and other documents
- Problem solving skills to provide solutions to challenges

DUTIES

- Leading and managing the on-site construction team
- Coordinating and overseeing all work on site
- Attending production meetings
- Reviewing and becoming familiar with the schedule and budget
- Following the project timeline to ensure deadlines are met
- Monitoring and ensuring on-site safety compliance, cleanliness and orderliness
- Maintaining records for site personnel such as daily field reports, field orders and RFIs

EDUCATION

- High school diploma required
- College diploma in construction technology may be required
- University degree in civil engineering may be required

RELATED PATHWAY OPTIONS

Foreman

Project Manager

SALARY RANGE \$54,000 to \$95,000

WHERE TO TRAIN



CCA- GOLD SEAL CERTIFICATION

OTHER OPTIONS

FANSHAWE COLLEGE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT MANAGEMENT

ALGONQUIN COLLEGE CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

GEORGE BROWN COLLEGE CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

CENTENNIAL COLLEGE CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

HUMBER COLLEGE CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

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.





