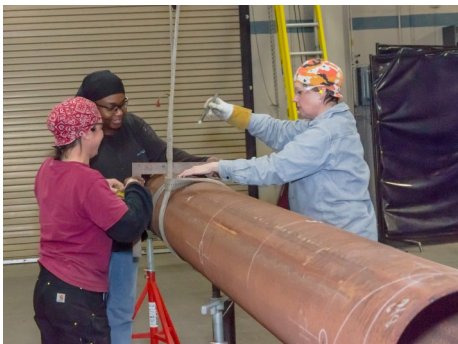


## Programs We Offer

- ♦ Steamfitter
- ♦ Plumber (Commercial and Residential)
- ♦ HVAC/Refrigeration

Our programs consist of 10,000 on-the-job hours (approximately 5 years) in conjunction with more than a 1,000 hours of in-class training. No tuition required!



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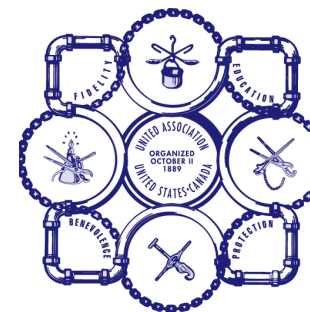
Our Other Apprenticeship Locations  
Bremerton: 7725 NW Eldorado Blvd  
(360) 486-9472  
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(360) 486-9441

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## Greater Western Washington Pipe Trades Apprenticeship

**The Original Four Year Degree**

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Ext. 400



# Application Requirements

- ◆ Applicants must be at least 18 years old at the time they apply
- ◆ Proof must be provided to show that each applicant has completed high school or has a GED (A copy of a diploma or official-sealed transcripts may be accepted as proof)
- ◆ A valid Washington State Driver's License must be provided
- ◆ Applicants must complete the eSkill Greater Western Pipe Trades Apprenticeship Committee applicant test. This test will need to be scheduled at our Lacey and Longview Facilities only.
- ◆ DD-214 (If applicable)
- ◆ Complete a non-D.O.T. drug test, at applicants' expense, with negative results prior to new employment



## Frequently Asked Questions

### Q: What will I get paid?

A: Apprentices start out getting paid 50% of the current Journeyman scale. In addition, there is a full medical, dental, and retirement package. For every 1,000 hours worked (approx. 6 months) apprentices are given a 5% increase on their paycheck.

### Q: What am I responsible to pay out of pocket?

A: Union dues and books are required to be paid out of the apprentice's pocket. Books may vary in price, depending on the classes scheduled.

### Q: Why should I choose to be union?

A: Being affiliated with a union provides you with a comprehensive wage and benefit package that ensures you have medical coverage, that you build a retirement for the future and you will receive some of the highest wages in the piping industry.

### Q: How long is the apprenticeship program?

A: We are a 10,000 hour program; which equates to approx. 5 years to complete.

### Q: Who do we hire?

A: We are looking for motivated people who enjoy building things and do not mind being in the weather. We believe in a diverse workforce and encourage minorities and women to apply for our apprenticeship program. We build America! If you are the kind of person who would take great pride in driving by a school or a power plant that you helped build; and maybe even showing it off to your friends or relatives one day, this may be the place for you! Above all, we are all family here at South-west Washington Pipe Trades. This is a place to learn and to become the best mechanic possible. The opportunities here at Local 26 are endless.

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You can also contact our other programs to check on the availability within their apprenticeship programs.

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