# BAY COUNTY -Career Pathways -



# **CONSTRUCTION TECHNOLOGY**

At the end of the day, if you like to step back and really see what you've done, you may be perfect for a career in construction. Whether you are outdoors building the skyline, or inside adding the finishing touches to a project, or would like to be able to operate heavy equipment at job sites, a career in construction provides an opportunity to create, rejuvenate and develop new buildings and infrastructure.

**FIRST** 

Requires on-the-job training, work experience, and/or a high school diploma.

Job	2022 Avg. Hr. Rate
Operating Engineers/Construction Equipment Operators	\$23.56
Paving, Surfacing, & Tamping Equipment Operator	\$18.06
Excavating & Loading Machine & Dragline Operator, Surface Mining	\$19.83



#### NEXT

Requires 2-4 years of education beyond high school.

Job	2022 Avg. Hr. Rate
Heating, A.C., & Refrigeration Mechanics & Installer	\$22.06
First-Line Supervisors of Construction & Extraction Wo	orker \$32.00
Welders, Cutters, Solderers, Brazers	\$19.46
Carpenter	\$20.27

### **LATER**

Requires 4 or more years of education beyond high school plus work experience.

Job	2022 Avg. Hr. Rate
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Civil Engineer-Entry Level	\$42.82
Electrical Engineer-Entry Level	\$47.73

\* See back for Training Pathways >>

# TRAINING PATHWAYS in



# **CONSTRUCTION TECHNOLOGY**

**FIRST** 

Programs are middle & high school career exploration or career pathways. Students enrolled in the Construction Academy at Arnold HS can sit for NCCER Industry Certifications in Construction Technology Core, Electrical 1 and OSHA Safety and OSHA Heavy Equipment Certifications

#### **Training Program**

#### • Building Trades & Construction Design Technology 1

Building Trades & Construction Design Technology 2

Building Trades & Construction Design Technology 3

Building Trades & Construction Design Technology 4

#### Institutions / School

Arnold High School

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\*Through completion of this portion of the pathway, you could qualify for the Bright Futures Gold Seal Vocational Scholarship.

**NEXT** 

Programs are certifications, technical programs or 2 year degrees.

#### **Training Program**

- A.C., Refrigeration & Heating Technology (HVAC)
- Electrician Certification
- · Electricity Certification
- A.S. Architectural Design & Construction Technology
- · A.A. Engineering Technology Bldg. Construction

#### Institutions / School

Tom P. Haney Technical Center

Gulf Coast State College

## **LATER**

Requires 4 or more years of education beyond high school plus work experience.

#### **Training Program**

- B.S. Electrical Engineering
- B.S. Civil Engineering

#### Institutions / School

Florida State University, Panama City

#### SOURCES:

\*Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, Bureau of Workforce Statistics and Economic Research, Occupational Employment Statistics Program (OES), 2020

\*Bureau of Labor Statistics, U. S. Department of Labor, Occupational Outlook Handbook, 2020

The district's career and technical programs are open to all eligible students and are committed to a nondiscrimination policy in employment and educational opportunity. Questions or complaints may be sent to Shirley Byas, Executive Director/Equity Coordinator/ Human Resources and Employee Support Services @ 850-767-4100 (bakersy@bay.k12.fl.us).