



BCIT Sheet Metal Program

Quick facts

Sheet Metal Worker Foundation: next start date is Sept. 6, 2022

Foundation course is 20 weeks long, full time [30 hours per week]

Tuition is approximately *\$3400.00

Books, supplies and PPE [steel toe boots, Fire-Resistant coveralls, hearing protection] approx. *\$600.00

- Foundation graduates will participate in job interviews with Sheet Metal contractors arranged by the department in the last month of the course. Majority of our students have a job offer before the end of the course.
- The Sheet Metal Worker Foundation program provides the skills and knowledge to succeed in the field.
- Starting wages for Foundation grads ranges from \$18.00 to \$24.00 depending on the contractor. Journeyperson wages range from \$30.00 to \$50.00 upon successful completion of the Red Seal certification exam.
- Successful Foundation graduates receive credit for Level 1 training in the program and 350 work-based hours credited toward completion of the apprenticeship. After approximately 14-16 months of work experience, Foundation graduates should return for Level 2 of Apprenticeship Training.
- Sheet Metal is a 4 year Red Seal apprenticeship program consisting of 6240 workplace training hours and 960 in school hours over the 4 level program. Each level is 8 weeks in duration. Tuition for each level is approximately *\$1200.00 for the 8 week block.
- A welding component is delivered in Foundation as well as Levels 1 – 4. Students will be exposed to all common welding processes with both theory delivery and hands on training time.

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