



BUILDING TRADES & CONSTRUCTION
INDUSTRY SECTOR



Be part of an exciting and ever-changing industry

In the construction trades you can literally shape the world with your own hands and build structures that stand the test of time. Almost every sector of the economy benefits from the work of well-trained construction trades professionals. With every nail you drive and every blueprint you bring to life, you'll be able to build a rewarding and prosperous future.

Construction at Foothill High School



**CAREER
TECHNICAL
EDUCATION**
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SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Residential & Commercial Construction Pathway

This pathway teaches you a variety of construction skills directly associated with completing building projects. Classes cover the basic skills and terminology of the building industry that are necessary to enter apprenticeship programs that typically offer very competitive salaries, benefits, and career growth.



While you're in High School

UNIQUE FEATURES

- Hands-on practice working with materials such as wood, drywall, and cement
- Learn proper usage of various hand tools, power tools, and work practices
- Get introduced to the construction industry with opportunities to meet and discuss the industry with Labor Representatives from Building Trades Unions

GRADUATION OPPORTUNITIES

- Fulfills A-G requirement for College-Preparatory Elective (G)
- Seniors who meet the requirements can earn a Career Pathways Cord at graduation

How to participate!

- ⋮ Find out more program info from a CTE teacher on campus
- ⋮ Make an appointment with your counselor to plan your classes



Pathways in college and beyond

Community college programs provide a great opportunity to continue your training and prepare for your first job. You will receive the same quality training as private programs, but for only a fraction of the price.

COLLEGE MAJORS

- ⋮ Construction Management
- ⋮ Electrical Engineering
- ⋮ Civil Engineering
- ⋮ Mechanical Engineering
- ⋮ Apprenticeship Programs at Community Colleges

POTENTIAL CAREERS

- ⋮ Union Trades workers: Apprentices, Journeymen, Foremen, Superintendents
- ⋮ Carpenters, Glaziers, Electricians or Plumbers
- ⋮ Building Inspectors
- ⋮ Iron and Steel Workers
- ⋮ Sheet Metal Workers
- ⋮ Surveyors

