

Carpentry and Renovation Technician Program

Build your career brand in the Carpentry and Renovation Technician program at Fleming College which will lead to employment in the construction industry with the added knowledge of sustainable practices, project management, and entrepreneurial skills. Initial employment includes roles such as: General Carpenter

Apprentice in residential carpentry, Skilled Labourer with an opportunity for Apprenticeship, or Carpenter's Helper. Additional opportunities may include roles such as Project Coordinator in a construction office, Assistant Site Superintendent, or Clerk of Works in municipal construction departments. After several years' experience, graduates may be able to start their own business or work in construction management.

	FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER	THIRD SEMESTER	FOURTH SEMESTER	AND BEYOND	
DEVELOP YOUR CAREER BRAND	LEARN					
	BE OPEN TO ALL CAREER POSSIBILITIES	Check out orientation , meet fellow students in your program and faculty.	Investigate the Ontario College of Trades to find out more about the industry standards and working in the trades.	Enroll in one of the free on-campus certifications such as the Campus Health or Information Literacy certifications.	Come to a Program Advisory Committee meeting. Demonstrate leadership skills and get involved with the future of your program!	Keep in contact with Career Services , graduates can access services for two years beyond graduation.
	BUILD ON YOUR PROGRAM AND EXPERIENCES	Build your diversity and cultural competencies. Demonstrate your ability to work with others in a variety of settings.	Keep up with news in your industry! Find out what's happening and keep in touch with trends.	Your Career Essentials course will help you build essential workplace skills such as problem solving.	Practice your interview skills by using InterviewStream software, play back your interviews and refine your answers to common questions.	Access community job search resources after graduation at Fleming CREW , Lindsay VCCS , or other providers .
	BELONG					
	GIVE BACK TO THE COMMUNITY	In Computer Skills in the Trades you will learn the latest computer techniques and applications used by the trades.	Engage in community service learning. Investigate volunteer opportunities both on and off campus.	Your Service Learning course will allow you to demonstrate your professionalism in the workplace	Book an appointment with a Career Educator to discuss how to present communication skills gained in volunteer experiences.	Stay in touch, network with program faculty and your peers after graduation.
	FIND SUPPORT FOR YOUR CAREER PATH AND GOALS	Connect with campus resources such as Tutoring & Academic Skills , start your academic career off on a strong footing.	Investigate Fleming College's commitment to sustainable practices and apply to industry in Sustainable Building Practices	Get involved in industry associations such as the Canadian Construction Association or Canadian Green Building Council .	Fleming College is going global, electives like Working Around the world can build your global perspective.	Connect with the FastStart program for entrepreneurship resources.
	USE YOUR EDUCATION TO CREATE NEW OPPORTUNITIES	Your Skilled Trades Portfolio course provides you with a great way to track your success and career path.	Begin your co-curricular record to track campus and community involvement that contribute to your career brand.	Career Services can link you to employers who want to hire from your program!	Educational Pathways allow you complete additional trades or certificates at Fleming or go international at the Institute of Technology, Sligo in Ireland!	Mentor a grad or student, stay connected through the Alumni LinkedIn page.
	BECOME					
	BE SUCCESSFUL ON YOUR TERMS	First Generation student? Connect with supports to help you navigate College.	Register with Career Services and access TypeFocus to identify personality strengths and values.	Book an appointment with a Career Educator to discuss your plans beyond graduation.	Developing Entrepreneurial Skills in the Trades allows you to explore entrepreneurship and small business.	Explore Continuing Education courses for ongoing learning opportunities to stay updated in your industry.
	EMBRACE THE SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE AROUND YOU	Your first semester courses such as carpentry practices and welding process and practices will expose you to industry equipment.	Access a wide variety of Student Life resources to help you succeed at College.	Connect and register with the Alumni Office , find out how Fleming supports you after graduation.	Participate in Networking and LinkedIn workshops to build your job search skill sets.	Continue to document your career achievements in your portfolio.