

Chemeketa Pre-Apprenticeship Entry-Level Worker Internship Program, Starting June 2021

Thank you for your interest in the Chemeketa Campus-Based Pre-Apprenticeship Program Entry-Level Worker Internship. This 10-week program is for people interested in working in construction and possibly applying for a Registered Apprenticeship program in the future. The intent is to provide training and hands-on experience for people new to the skilled trades. The internship may lead to permanent employment.

Interns will take two college classes as part of the program, APR 101, Trade Skills Fundamentals, and a two-credit internship. Interns will also complete OSHA 10 safety training and first-aid/CPR, earn badges by completing employability skill lessons, and participate in diversity training. There is no cost to the intern to participate in the program.

Interns will attend training on the Chemeketa Salem campus the week of June 14 from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm. Interns will then come to the Salem campus on Wednesdays for class on June 30, July 14, July 28, and August 11 (dates are tentative). There will be online assignments to complete as part of the program. The paid internship, a minimum of 32 hours a week for \$15 an hour, begins June 21.

Applicants will be matched with employers in May and invited to interview. If selected, interns will complete the new hire paperwork with the employer and register for classes before June 14. Applicants may be asked to complete a drug screening and background check.

Upon completion, interns will receive a certificate that demonstrates they completed a Registered Pre-Apprenticeship Program. Interns will earn college credit for APR 101 and the internship, and will receive certificates for OSHA 10, First-Aid/CPR, and other completed training.

Requirements

- 18 or older with a high school diploma or GED by June 14, 2021
- Reliable transportation to Chemeketa and the job site
- A computer or tablet to complete online assignments and Wi-Fi access (loaners available)
- Legally able to work in the United States
- Eligible to enroll at Chemeketa for classes (no outstanding balance at Chemeketa)

Click <u>here</u> to complete the application. Applicants will be required to attach or email a resume and proof of high school graduation or GED completion. Including high school transcripts is optional.

Email apprenticeship@chemeketa.edu with questions about the internship program.

Application due date: April 30, 2021