

APPRENTICESHIP FACTS

Gain Real-World Experience and Obtain Industry-Related Online Instruction Simultaneously



Entertaining an apprenticeship?
Here are some facts to help you on your journey.


What is an Apprenticeship?


An apprenticeship is an industry-driven, high-quality career pathway where employers can develop and prepare their future workforce, and individuals can obtain paid work experience, classroom instruction, and a portable, nationally-recognized credential.


The Significance of Apprenticeships

Apprenticeships remain a critical component for your career growth and success. One sure way to set yourself apart from other candidates, as well as make yourself more competitive in a 21st century workforce economy, is to secure an apprenticeship with an exceptional employer!

The Return on Apprenticeships

 **\$300K+** Individuals who completed an apprenticeship earned \$300K more over their lifetime compared to those who did not complete an apprenticeship.

 **94%** 94% of students who complete an apprenticeship retain their employment.

 **\$70K** The average salary of individuals who complete an apprenticeship is \$70K.

Source: U.S. Department of Labor - www.apprenticeship.gov

What You'll Gain

- ✓ Obtain hands-on, real-world learning and problem-solving skills
- ✓ Wage progression
- ✓ Nationwide industry recognized credentials
- ✓ Obtain new and customizable industry-related skills
- ✓ Stay competitive and build resume credibility
- ✓ Work closely with colleagues and teams
- ✓ Stay up-to-date on new technology, and gain work-based learning skills that meet employer needs

The Impact: It's a Win-Win!

Mentor

- Serves as a support system
- Acts as a role model and encourages success
- Provides experience and teachable moments
- Assists with goal setting and personal development
- Grooms and inspires future mentors

Mentee

- Grows, matures, and develops professionally
- Improves self-confidence
- Increases career opportunity
- Builds leadership skills
- Enhances one's networking opportunity

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