

Youth WORK in Trades

Already working part-time/full-time in the trades?

You could be a **'hidden'** apprentice and qualify to be in the Youth WORK Program.
 Check out the details below.

What you need to know about the program:



What is Youth Work?

- Work-based **apprenticeship** training program
- "earn while you learn" opportunity
- On-the-job work experience in an apprenticeable trade
- Individualized program**
- Flexible (not on the timetable)**
- Student sourced employment

What do I need?

- Open to eligible students 15 years+
- Paid employment with WorkSafe
- Recognized skilled trade by (ITA) Industry Training Authority
- To be supervised by Certified Tradesperson (Red Seal Journeyperson)



How do I benefit?

- Gain a competitive advantage with the technical skills
- Develop professional skills
- Choose the lifestyle you want
- Earn 16 high-school credits
- Earn a \$1,000 award

Questions?

See your school's
 Career Advisor
 or
 Youth Apprenticeship
 Coordinator

What's a Trade?

Check out the ITA website for
 qualifying trades:

www.itabc.ca/youth

WORK \$1,000 Award Criteria

1. Register with ITA as Youth Apprentice
2. Finish all 4 Work courses successfully
3. Graduate from high school
4. C+ average in Grade 12 numbered courses
5. Work 900 total hours by December 31st of the year you turn 19

the 900 total hours included the 480 hours earned for the WORK courses