



CONSTRUCTION



Industry Overview

The Construction industry includes all aspects of the construction, repair, and maintenance of the built environment. Construction professionals possess a wide variety of skills related to the design, construction, destruction, and ongoing maintenance of structures. For professionals in construction, specialized skills working with a variety of materials, and understanding integrated systems and processes are the core of their job. The industry is always evolving as are buildings erected, and new materials and technologies improve energy efficiency, durability, and design.

Subindustries:

Construction
Manufacturing
Skilled Trades

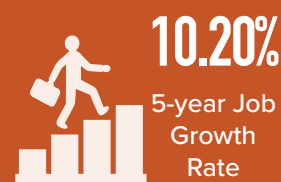
The Top Five...

Source: Burning Glass

Essential Skills	Industry Certifications	Businesses By Openings	Largest Employers	Specialized Skills
Good Driving Skills	Environmental Protection Agency Certification	Tradesman International, Inc	Cianbro Fabrication and Coating Corp	Customer Service
Problem Solving	Security Clearance	CRST International	Tricon Construction	Estimating
Teamwork/ Collaboration	Electrician Certification	Aerotek, Inc	Window Nation	Project Scheduling
Microsoft Office	EPA CFC/ HCFC Certification	Thumbtack, Inc	Schumacher & Seller	Supervisory
Professionalism	Plumbing Certification	Centimark Corporation	Corman Construction	Repair/Maintenance

FAST STATS in Anne Arundel County

Source: EMSI



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Top Five Occupations by Educational Attainment and Median Hourly Wages

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA		INDUSTRY CREDENTIAL / ASSOCIATE DEGREE		BACHELORS DEGREE OR ABOVE	
Construction Laborers	\$16.62	Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers	\$30.90	General and Operations Managers	\$58.73
Carpenter's Helper	\$14.35	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	\$23.29	Construction Managers	\$43.56
First-Line Supervisors of Trades and Extraction Workers	\$31.75	Electrician	\$26.68	Software Developers, Systems Software	\$62.14
Electrician's Helper	\$14.86	Electrical and Electronics Engineering Technicians	\$22.91	Non-residential Cost Estimators	\$34.38
Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	\$28.83	Telecommunications Equipment Installers and Repairers, Except Line Installers	\$24.33	Managers, All Others	\$40.54

"I chose the electrical trade because of the endless possibilities of branching off into other areas of construction. There will always be a need for skilled electricians."

- Clayton E. Savoy, Third Year Electrical Apprentice

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