

PLUMBERS, PIPEFITTERS, AND STEAMFITTERS

| ANNUAL WAGES | HOURLY WAGES | EDUCATION AT ENTRY LEVEL |
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| ENTRY: \$38,500 MEDIAN: \$59,100 HIGH: \$69,900 | ENTRY: \$18.50 MEDIAN: \$28.43 HIGH: \$33.60 | HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA/ APPRENTICE LICENSE |

★ THIS OCCUPATION HAS TRAINING THROUGH LOCAL REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS

↗ THE AUSTIN MSA PROJECTS TO NEED OVER 6,162 PLUMBERS AND PIPEFITTERS BY 2034. WILL YOU BE ONE?

JOB DUTIES

- Cut, thread, or hammer pipes to specifications, using tools such as saws, cutting torches, pipe threaders, or pipe benders.
- Lay out full scale drawings of pipe systems, supports, or related equipment, according to blueprints.
- Inspect, examine, or test installed systems or pipe lines, using pressure gauge, hydrostatic testing, observation, or other methods.

YOU WILL THRIVE IN THIS POSITION IF...

- You like activities that include practical, hands-on problems and solutions.
- You think about the pros and cons of different ways to solve a problem.
- You have an attention to detail and are dependable.



SCAN TO WATCH A VIDEO ABOUT THIS CAREER PATHWAY

i This is a targeted occupation for Capital Area/Travis County. Scholarships may be available for education and training opportunities. Contact us to learn more!



Data Sources
SOC: 47-2152
O'Net, JobsEq, 2022Q4

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HOW TO GET STARTED IN THIS CAREER PATHWAY



See if you qualify for paid training with Workforce Solutions Capital Area. **Enroll at reworknow.org/austin**



Enroll into a DOL Registered Apprenticeship Program. **Scan the code for local programs!**



Apply for a career training scholarship for this occupation with Workforce Solutions



Complete a personality test or explore more high-demand careers. **Scan the code to get started!**

CAREER PATHWAY - ENTRY TO MANAGEMENT

| Experience Level | Occupation | Median Wages | Education Requirements |
|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|
| Master Level | Plumber-Master | \$33.15+ \$66,300+ | <u>Master Plumber License</u> |
| Senior Level | Plumber-Journeyman | \$33.15 \$66,300 | <u>Journeyman Plumber License</u> |
| Intermediate Level | Plumber-Apprenticeship | \$18.23 \$36,460 | <u>Apprenticeship Registration</u> |
| Entry Level | Helper, Plumber | \$17.51 \$36,400 | None, High School Diploma/GED |

WHAT IS SOMETHING NEW YOU LEARNED ABOUT THIS CAREER?
