Hazardous Materials Worker Apprenticeship Pathway to a Certificate of Qualification

Phase #1: Registration

Submit Application for Apprenticeship Training through the on-line portal or to local Service Delivery Office

For on-line portal, please follow instructions for registration. You will need to create a *My Ontario* account to access online services.

Training agreement signed and registered by both apprentice and sponsor

Access your Apprenticeship Training Standard Logbook**
skilledtradesontario.ca/about-trades/trades-information

** This is the official record of your training progress. You are responsible for keeping it up-to-date.

Complete in-school training
Attend and complete the in-class training set out in the Curriculum Training Standard

Apprentices eligible to apply for apprenticeship incentive grants (Red Seal trades) and loans.

Phase #2: Apprenticeship

Attain 253W Asbestos Abatement Worker certification by:
Writing and passing the 253W test with the Ministry and obtain and carry the Ministry issued certification card at all times when on the jobsite

Sponsor eligible to apply for the Apprenticeship Training Tax Credit (in specific trades) and other incentives

Complete on-the-job training
Demonstrate and receive sign-off on the competencies/skills in your Apprenticeship Training Standard Logbook

Review and finalize your logbook with your sponsor

Submit proof of apprenticeship completion
via email, in-person or digital portal

Your Apprenticeship Training Standard Logbook details completion requirements.
Submit the following:

- completed Apprenticeship Training Standard Logbook with signatures
- proof of hours

Certificate of Apprenticeship is issued

Phase #3: Certification

Trades without examination

CofA is the final step of the program

Trades with examination (compulsory and non-compulsory trades)*

Provisional Certificate of Qualification issued for a 12 month term

To prepare for the CofQ examination download the Provincial and/or Red Seal Exam preparation guides.

Make payment for your Certificate of Qualification examination

Call to make a payment (647-847-3000 or 1-855-299-0028)

Schedule a date to write your Examination

To schedule your examination, contact your local Service Delivery Office.

Pass Certificate of Qualification examination

Apprentices eligible to apply for Apprenticeship Completion Grant (Red Seal trades) or Apprentice Completion Bonus (non-Red Seal)

Certificate of Qualification is issued

Upon completion, Sponsors may be eligible for Apprenticeship grants, incentives, bonuses or tax credits

* For a list of trades subject to a certification examination, visit: skilledtradesontario.ca

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