



NEVADA LABOR COMMISSIONER
NEVADA STATE APPRENTICESHIP COUNCIL
2023 Non-Joint Standards of Apprenticeship

Appendix A

WORK PROCESS SCHEDULES AND RELATED INSTRUCTION OUTLINE

JT Thorpe Industrial Inc.

Scaffolding / Scaffold Specialist

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WORK PROCESS SCHEDULE

This schedule is attached to and a part of these Standards for the above identified occupation.

1. TYPE OF OCCUPATION

☒ Time-based ☐ Competency-based ☐ Hybrid

2. TERM OF APPRENTICESHIP

The term of the occupation shall be defined by the attainment of all competencies of the position. 1) If the program uses a time-based approach, requires the completion of not less than 2,000 hours of [work experience,] on-the-job learning, consistent with training requirements as established by practice in the trade; (2) If the program uses a competency-based approach, specify the skills that must be demonstrated by an apprentice and address how on-the-job learning will be integrated into the program; or (3) If the program uses a hybrid approach, specify the skills that must be acquired and the minimum number of hours of on-the-job learning that must be completed by an apprentice.

This would be expected to occur within approximately 8000 hours (must be at least 2,000 hours) of OJL, supplemented by the minimum of 144 hours of related instruction per year of the apprenticeship.

3. RATIO OF APPRENTICES TO JOURNEYWORKERS

The apprentice to journey worker/fully trained worker ratio is: 1_ apprentice(s) to 2_ journey worker/fully trained worker(s).

4. APPRENTICE WAGE SCHEDULE

An apprentice minimum starting wage will be at least \$35.26 per hour. Apprentices shall be paid a progressively increasing schedule of wages based on either a percentage or a dollar amount of the current hourly journey worker/fully trained worker wage. A journey worker/fully trained worker minimum wage will be at least \$65.02

1-Year Term Example:

1 st	6 months = \$35.26	2 nd	6 months = \$38.84
3 rd	6 months = \$43.34	4 th	6 months = \$49.34
5 th	6 months = \$52.35	6 th	6 months = \$54.35
7 th	6 months = \$59.10	8 th	6 months = \$61.11

Periodic review and evaluation of the apprentice's on-the-job learning and related technical instruction will be conducted in alignment with the wage schedule established.

5. WORK PROCESS SCHEDULE (See attached Work Process Schedule)

The sponsor may modify the work processes to meet local needs prior to submitting these Standards to the appropriate Registration Agency for approval.

6. RELATED INSTRUCTION OUTLINE (See attached Related Instruction Outline)

The sponsor may modify the related instruction to meet local needs prior to submitting these Standards to the appropriate Registration Agency for approval.

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The term of the occupation shall be defined by the attainment of all competencies, both technical and behavioral, of the position, which would be expected and approximated to occur within 8000 hours of OJL, supplemented by a minimum of 144 hours of related instruction per year of apprenticeship.

Apprenticeship Competencies – Technical

Item	Work Processes	Approx. Hours
A	Safety and Work Habits	400
	Basic Safety (Construction Site Safety Orientation)	
	Basic Communication Skills	
	Introduction to Materials Handling	
B	Use and Care of Equipment, Hand and Power Tools	700
	Proper use and maintenance of hand and power tools.	
	Proper identification of equipment safety requirements for oxyfuel cutting	
	Safe operation of power tools used and proper selection, inspecting, using, and maintaining power tools	
C	Erection and dismantle of Scaffolding Systems	5,400
	Supported Scaffolds	
	Mobile Scaffolds	
	Suspension Scaffolds	
D	Codes, Standards, Drawings and Schematics	400
	Introduction to the Trade	
	Trade Math	
	Calculations of scaffold loads	
E	Quality Control and Quality Assurance	500
	Fundamentals of Scaffolding Crew Leadership	
	Basic Understanding of Blueprint reading	
	Duties of a scaffolder, and identifies scaffold types and scaffolding terms	
F	Material Handling & Supplemental Skills	600
	Comprehensive overview of the regulations and guidelines in the scaffolding industry	
	Total hours (approximate)	8,000

The above on-the-job-learning (OJL) work process competencies are intended as a guide. It need not be followed in any sequence, and it is understood that some adjustments may be necessary in the hours allotted for different work experience. In all cases, the apprentice is to receive sufficient experience to make them fully competent and use good workmanship in all work processes, which are a part of the industry. In addition, the apprentice shall be fully instructed in safety and OSHA requirements.

Apprenticeship Competencies – Behavioral

In addition to mastering all the essential technical competencies, an apprentice must consistently demonstrate at an acceptable level the following behavioral competencies, to complete the apprenticeship.

Item #	Behavioral Competencies
1.	Participation in team discussions/meetings
2.	Focus on team discussions/meetings
3.	Focus during independent work
4.	Openness to new ideas and change
5.	Ability to deal with ambiguity by exploring, asking questions, etc.
6.	Knows when to ask for help
7.	Able to demonstrate effective group presentation skills
8.	Able to demonstrate effective one-on-one communication skills
9.	Maintains an acceptable attendance record
10.	Reports to work on time
11.	Completes assigned tasks on time
12.	Using appropriate language
13.	Demonstrates respect for patients, co-workers, and supervisors
14.	Demonstrates trust, honesty, and integrity
15.	Requests and performs work assignments without prompting
16.	Appropriately cares for personal dress, grooming and hygiene
17.	Maintains a positive attitude
18.	Cooperate with and assist co-workers
19.	Follows instructions/directions
20.	Able to work under supervision
21.	Able to accept constructive feedback and criticism
22.	Able to follow safety rules
23.	Able to take care of equipment and workplace
24.	Able to keep work area neat and clean
25.	Able to meet supervisor's work standards
26.	Able to not let personal life interfere with work
27.	Adheres to work policies/rules/regulations

RELATED INSTRUCTION OUTLINE

The related instruction has been developed in cooperation with employer-partners as part of the apprenticeship. The following is a set of courses to be delivered by subject matter experts.

Related Technical Instruction (RTI) - This instruction shall include, but not be limited to, at least 144 hours per year for each year of the apprenticeship. The related theoretical education listed below is tightly integrated with real work products. The curriculum is defined as a variety of classes, around which the exams and projects are based. By defining the RTI this way, all competencies required of the students are met, through project work.

**COURSE
TOPICS****HOURS**

Apprenticeship Orientation and Harassment	7
OSHA 10	10
OSHA 30	30
First Aid / CPR	8
NCCER Core Construction	80
Orientation to Scaffolding	10
Trade Safety	20
Regulations and guideline	20
Introduction to Trade Math	30
Various Types of Scaffold Systems	21
Supported Scaffolds	30
Mobile Scaffolds	30
Suspension Scaffolds	30
Scaffold System Trade Math	30
SAIA System Scaffold Competent Person	8
Fundamentals of Crew Leadership	30
NCCER Scaffold Level 1	158
MSHA	24
TOTAL MINIMUM HOURS	576

SECTION 27 - OFFICIAL ADOPTION OF APPRENTICESHIP STANDARDS

JT Thorpe Industrial hereby adopts these standards of apprenticeship.

Sponsor(s) designate the appropriate person(s) to sign the standards on their behalf.



Signature of Sponsor (designee)

Date: 4/29/2026

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