



If you are looking for a job in Capital Transit Transportation and Transportation Construction, then the information below may be of interest to you.

1. Organization providing the training:

Chesapeake College

2. Physical location training occurs:

418 Race Street, Cambridge, MD 21613 (Cambridge Center)

1000 College Circle, Wye Mills, MD 21679

3. Description of the training offered:

The courses will be done in an Integrated Education & Training model to include Adult Education and Literacy skills, workforce preparation, and occupational training. The training will begin with CORE training for skilled trades, then move to HVAC parts 1 and 2, or Electrical, parts 1 and 2. There will be six separate cohorts of 10 students each, with each class being between 21 – 26 sessions, running two days per week. This includes both classroom time and lab time.

4. Trainees have the opportunity to earn the following industry-recognized certifications:

Students will earn multiple IRCs through the National Center for Construction Education and Research (NCCER). This credential completion will be available online for employers who wish to verify the credential.

- ☐ HVAC
- ☐ Electrical



5. Am I eligible?

Students will be tested with the Comprehensive Adult Student Assessment Systems (CASAS), currently used by the Adult Education Program as per State Department of Labor regulations, in both Reading and Math. Students who test into levels the Adult Basic Education levels 3 and 4, or English as a Second Language Students testing into levels 4 through 6, will be deemed eligible by virtue of their low literacy level. These students will also self-identify as having other life barriers, such as economic disadvantage, rural residence, learning needs or disabilities, are the target population for this program. Prospective students must be at least 16 years of age.

6. What is the application process?

Students who are recruited to apply for this program will be tested as stated above and will complete a registration form. Then an interview will take place in which the student will be asked to provide evidence of work eligibility. A Student Agreement, agreeing to commit to the three-year plan for this grant will also be explained to the student and signed by them.

7. How much can I expect to earn if I complete this program and obtain employment?

- Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers (HVAC Technicians) earn, on average, \$28.75 an hour, or nearly \$60,000 per year.
- Electricians earn, on average, \$29.98 per hour, or \$62,350 per year.

8. Where can I find more information about this program?

Please contact the Project Lead, Malica Dunnock:

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To learn more about Chesapeake College, please visit chesapeake.edu.