

**PLUMBERS AND PIPEFITTERS LOCAL 577
1236 GALLIA STREET
PORTSMOUTH, OHIO 45662**

**PLUMBERS AND PIPEFITTERS LOCAL 577 WILL BE TAKING APPLICATIONS
FOR THE LOCAL 577 APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM.**

**APPLICATIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE ONLINE AT
<https://ua577.com>**

STARTING ON WEDNESDAY JULY 22, 2026

**ALL APPLICATIONS AND REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION
MUST BE SUBMITTED BY FRIDAY AUGUST 14, 2026 AT 4:00PM.**

QUALIFICATIONS FOR APPLICATION

- 1.) MUST BE 18 YEARS OF AGE
- 2.) LEGALLY ELIGIBLE TO WORK IN THE UNITED STATES
- 3.) HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR G.E.D.
- 4.) VALID DRIVERS LICENSE WITH NO RESTRICTIONS

REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION

- 1.) VALID DRIVERS LICENSE WITH NO RESTRICTIONS
- 2.) BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 3.) HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR G.E.D.CERTIFICATE

MATH TESTING PROCEDURE

TWO MATH TESTS ONE ADDING SUBTRACTING MULTIPLYING
AND DIVIDING FRACTIONS. THE SECOND ONE IS A TAPE MEASURE
TEST. THEY ARE ON LINE AND MULTIPLE CHOICE.
NO CALCULATOR IS PERMITTED PAPER AND PENCIL WILL BE
PROVIDED TO WORK OUT PROBLEMS.
AFTER PASSING BOTH TESTS APPLICANTS ARE ELIGIBLE TO
TAKE DRUG TESTING.

DRUG TESTING PROCEDURE

TWO DRUG TESTS ARE REQUIRED. THE FIRST TEST IS A STANDARD 30 DAY URINE DRUG TEST. THE SECOND TEST IS A HAIR FOLLICLE TEST GOING BACK 6 MONTHS. BOTH TESTS DO CHECK FOR MARIJUANA (THC) METABOLITE. ANY DETECTION WILL RESULT IN A FAILED DRUG TEST.

RANKING LIST PROCESS

ALL APPLICANTS WHO TURN IN THE APPLICATION AND REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION BY THE DUE DATE, PASS THE MATH TESTS, AND PASS THE DRUG TESTING WILL BE ACCEPTED IN THE APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM. APPLICANTS WILL BE PLACED ON A CHRONOLOGICAL LIST ACCORDING TO RECEIVING THE DRUG TEST RESULTS.

APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM PROCESS

- 1.) THE APPRENTICESHIP IS A FIVE YEAR PROGRAM. EACH SCHOOL YEAR STARTS ON THE TUESDAY AFTER LABOR DAY AND RUNS FOR ONE YEAR SEGMENTS
- 2.) APPRENTICES ARE REQUIRED ON THE JOB TRAINING AND TWO HUNDRED CLASSROOM OFF THE JOB TRAINING HOURS EACH SCHOOL YEAR. THE CLASSROOM TRAINING CONSISTS OF EVERY SATURDAY STARTING SEPTEMBER 5, 2026 THRU APRIL 24, 2027. THE MONTH OF MAY WILL BE USED FOR MAKE-UP TIME. APPRENTICES HAVE NO MORE TRAINING THAT SCHOOL YEAR.
- 3.) ALL TRAINING IS FREE. ALL MATERIALS, BOOKS, TOOLS, AND PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT ARE PROVIDED WITH NO COST TO THE APPRENTICE. APPRENTICES DO NOT GET PAID FOR TRAINING.

	INDUSTRIAL	COMMERCIAL	%
PAY RATE			
1ST YR	\$23.83	\$21.95	50%
2ND YR	\$26.21	\$24.14	55%
3RD YR	\$28.59	\$26.33	60%
4TH YR	\$30.97	\$28.53	65%
5TH YR	\$40.50	\$37.31	85%
JOURNEYMAN	\$47.65	\$43.89	100%