# Barton Plumbing 18 Credit Hour 1 Semester



## Program Description

This is an introductory program that covers commercial and residential plumbing in new construction, including installation and repair of drain, waste and vent, water systems, and gas. Plumbing Code is covered, as well as safety, blue print reading, and construction math.

Hands on and classroom training.

Upon successful completion of the program, students will obtain an OSHA 10 card, NCCER Introduction to Craft Skills and Level 1 Plumbing Certification.

Job placement assistance available with a variety of industry partners.

Student Gear Kit is provided to all students.

Completed in one semester, with a program start in August and January.

Financial Aid eligible

Excel CTE eligible

Promise Act eligible





#### Plumbers In Demand

- To say that plumbers are in demand is an understatement! According to the National Association of Home Builders, there is a 55% shortage of plumbers available for work. At the same time, job growth is projected to climb to 14% over the next decade.
- Plumbing Contractors and even homeowners are having a tough time finding a skilled professional to handle commercial and residential needs.
- The shortage has been especially dire post-pandemic; the demand for home improvement professionals has skyrocketed, and again, people are scrambling to find pros to install, maintain, repair, and inspect water, gas, and other piping systems.
- A major factor in the plumber shortage is the "greying" of the profession. Plumbers are retiring in droves, and there are fewer and fewer younger people there to step into their roles.
- People training to be plumbers can get to work immediately. For example, you can start as a helper or assistant with little or no experience. You will earn money while gaining invaluable on-the-job experience and working towards licensure.
- The bottom line: being a plumber is great for *your* bottom line. This is a career with exceptional earning potential and advancement opportunities. People often think that skilled trades jobs are a "dead end." Not only can you make a great living, but you can also hone the skills and make the contacts you need to set up shop for yourself one day.



### Industry Partners

- Comfort Pro
- Comfort Systems
- A & F Enterprises
- InteGreen Services
- Stueder Contractors
- Glassman Corporation
- Rube's Heating and Air



• Moeder Plumbing Heating and Air



# **Plumbing Jobs**

- New Construction Remodel Service Drain Cleaning Maintenance Radon Mitigation Backflow Med Gases Irrigation Water Treatment Sewer Treatment Municipalities • Utilities LP Natural Gas
  - Fire Suppression

Pipefitter Sprinklerfitter Steamfitter Pipelayer Foreman Project manger **Business Owner** Boilermaker Estimator Sales Fabricator Wells Inspector DIY **Alternative Waste** 

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#### Questions?



