

CONSTRUCTION



Drywall, Acoustic and Lathing Applicator

A drywall, acoustic and lathing applicator erects exterior structural steel studs and sheathing, shaft wall systems, installs and finishes lath and drywall, partition walls and furring, ceiling systems and access flooring types as well as applies thermal and sound insulation.

Are you in good physical condition? Do you have stamina? Are you able to lift weights of 50 lbs? Do you have good eyesight? Are you able to work at heights?



MOST IMPORTANT ESSENTIAL SKILLS

- communication
- numeracy
- significant use of memory
- working with others



POTENTIAL EARNINGS

Hourly wage

from \$30.00 to \$45.00

Annual salary

from \$59,000 to \$88,000

Make up to 100K during your apprenticeship



CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

You could work for:

- a construction company
- a residential builder
- a plastering, drywall or lathing contractor

or one day have your OWN business!

Other related trades:

- Drywall finisher and plasterer (453A)
- Painter and decorator—commercial and residential (404C)
- Painter and decorator—industrial (404D)



IMPORTANT DETAILS

- **CODE 451A**
- Non-compulsory trade
- 4,800 hours on the job + 600 hours of in-school training (levels 1, 2)
- Total of 5,400 hours (approximately three years)
- Certifying exam



To become a drywall, acoustic and lathing applicator, you could participate in an apprenticeship.

Start your apprenticeship now with OYAP!

Check out the specialized programs in your high school to explore the trades!

Let OYAP be your helping hand!

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