

Plumbing

An ACE-IT Program

"My experience with the ACE-IT Program has been wonderful. I got the opportunity to complete the first level of my post-secondary education while still in high school and this has given me a head start to my career as a plumber."

T. Weber - Student



The 6-week ACE-IT Plumbing Program provides students with a unique opportunity to earn graduation credits, post-secondary credits and industry certification.

Learning to Work Working to Learn

WHAT DOES A PLUMBER DO?

- installs, alters and repairs plumbing systems
- reads and interprets blueprints and project specifications
- selects, measures, shapes and joins pipes
- develops specialized skills & knowledge based on the substance being carried (water, steam, gas, chemicals)

WHAT DO I NEED TO START?

- must be in grade 11 or 12
- good employability skills
- strong interest in entering industry (plumber, gasfitter or emergency sprinkler installer)
- mechanical aptitude is an asset

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

- 16 graduation credits
- optional 120 hours of work experience
- post-secondary training without the tuition fee
- Apprenticeship Technical Training certification Level 1
- easy transition to Apprenticeship Training Level 2
- Industry Training Authority Individual ID number

WHEN AND WHERE IS THE PROGRAM OFFERED?

- Piping Industry Apprenticeship Board (PIAB) on Annacis Island
- 6 weeks in June/July/August

HOW DO I REGISTER?

- submit an application package
- participate in an program interview

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