

CONSTRUCTION CRAFT LABOURER

The South West Calgary Ring Road is looking for Labourers! Construction craft labourers perform a wide variety of tasks, including moving materials and equipment and performing demolition, excavation and compaction activities. Some responsibilities may include site preparation and cleanup, setting up and removing access equipment, and assisting on concrete, masonry, steel, wood and pre-cast erection projects.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Handle and distribute construction materials (e.g., load and unload vehicles with supplies, equipment and construction materials; move tools, equipment and construction materials to and from work areas; remove rubble and other debris)
- Excavate, backfill and compact subgrade (e.g., move and level earth using shovels and rakes; operate tampers)
- Place, consolidate and protect cast-in-place concrete or masonry structures (e.g., shovel concrete and other materials into concrete mixers; mix, pour and spread concrete; use concrete vibrators)
- Install municipal sewer and water mains (e.g., dig trenches using shovels and other hand tools; align pipes and perform related activities)
- Assemble and dismantle scaffolding, ramps, catwalks, shoring and barricades at construction sites
- Drill and blast rock at construction sites
- Demolish buildings
- Sort, clean and pile salvaged materials from demolished buildings
- Operate jackhammers and drills to break up concrete or pavement
- Provide support for other trades as required

QUALIFICATIONS

- Minimum 3-5 years' experience in heavy construction
- Must have a valid class 5 (or better) driver's licence with clean drivers abstract
- Must be able to communicate well with co-workers
- Must be able to work under pressure

WORK CONDITIONS

- Able to work shift work as required, including night shift
- Ability to work outdoors in all weather conditions
- Requires standing and bending over for extensive periods of time; often requires crawling, climbing, grasping, kneeling, squatting and twisting
- Frequently requires lifting, carrying, pushing and/or pulling items weighing up to 50 lbs.
- Requires working at heights and climbing and descending ladders frequently