

PLUMBING TECHNICIAN PROGRAM

No one really thinks about the plumbing — until something goes wrong. That's when a plumbing technician becomes a superhero. Whether it's for residential, commercial, or industrial properties, plumbers are there to install, maintain, and repair water and piping systems, including installing fixtures and appliances, repairing broken equipment, and more. It's a profession that is in consistent demand all over the United States.

At Summit College, we know that the most important thing we can do for our students is build a curriculum that really prepares you for the job market. Our Plumbing Technician program uses both classroom and hands-on instruction to teach you things like:



Plumbing fundamentals and basic OSHA regulations



Piping systems and water service distribution



Fitting designs and fixture types



Mathematical formulas and blueprint reading



Valves, pumps, and plumbing codes



Plumbing system service & maintenance

Benefits of Plumbing Technician **Training at Summit College**

At Summit College, you can complete our Plumbing Technician program in just 8 short months! We also offer:

- Flexible day or evening classes: To better fit into your busy schedule and make furthering your education possible.
- · Professional faculty focused on your success:

Your instructors have all done the job you're training for and use their experience to prepare you for real-world situations.

- The perfect learning environment: Our dedicated faculty, small classes and modern facilities make it easy for you to go from learning to earning in under a year.
- Career and training support services: You are important to us. That's why we offer free tutoring, personal attention from faculty members, resume assistance, mock interviews, and workshops.





PLUMBING CAREER OUTLOOK

Plumbing technician jobs in California are growing even faster than the national average, with the California Employment Development Department projecting employment to increase by 12% through 2028. This is much faster than all occupations and includes positions for both companies and for self-employed plumbers.

WHERE SUMMIT PLUMBING GRADS CAN WORK

- Plumbing and HVAC contractors
- Residential construction
- Manufacturing
- · Heavy and civil engineering construction
- · Other home, business, and factory settings

PROGRAM MODULES

Our Plumbing Technician curriculum is aligned with the National Center for Career Education and Research.

Course	Title	Lecture Hours		Lab Hours		Total Instructional Hours		Est. Hours of Work Outside of Class/Homework
		Clock	Credit	Clock	Credit	Clock	Credit	
PL110	Plumbing Fundamentals*	60	6	20	1	80	7	14
PL120	Plumbing Theory*	80	8	0	0	80	8	16
PL130	Fittings and Fixtures*	40	4	40	2	80	6	12
PL140	Drainage, Waste, and Vents*	40	4	40	2	80	6	12
PL150	Water Service & Distribution Installation	40	4	40	2	80	6	12
PL160	Valves. Pumps, and Plumbing Code	60	6	20	1	80	7	14
PL170	Layout and Installation	60	6	20	1	80	7	14
PL180	Servicing Plumbing Systems	60	6	20	1	80	7	14
		440	44	200	10	640	54	108

^{*}Prerequisite

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