

CLIMB HIGH AS A JOURNEYMAN LINEMAN



MISSOURI VALLEY

Line Constructors Apprenticeship & Training Program

SEE HOW A CAREER AS A LINEMAN STACKS UP TO OTHER CAREER OPTIONS YOU MAY BE CONSIDERING.

As you will see, as a lineman you'll enjoy being paid more, receive better benefits and have opportunities wherever your career takes you.

	Journeyman Lineman	Welder	Mechanic
Anticipated Salary	\$70,000 and more	\$35,500–\$43,500	\$31,000–\$43,000
Education Required	Apprenticeship Training	Technical School and/or On-The-Job Training	Specialized Training Programs
Travel Required	Yes	None	None
Career Track	Safety Manager, Project Estimator, Project Manager	Supervisor, Inspector	Independent Business Owner
Job Outlook	Very good because of a lack of qualified applicants in the marketplace	Affected by cycles in construction industry	Employment expected to increase through 2014
Benefits	Excellent benefits, including health care, retirement and ongoing education	Varies by employer and union membership	Varies by size of business
Work Environment	Primarily outdoor	Outdoor/Indoor	Indoor
Physical Exertion/Hazardous	High	High	Moderate

BEING A JOURNEYMAN LINEMAN is really a combination of jobs — part engineer, part project manager, part equipment operator and part mechanic.



TOP FIVE REASONS

To Pursue A Career As A Journeyman Lineman

1. THE JOB IS EXCITING AND REWARDING.

As a journeyman lineman, you'll build, maintain and repair power lines that carry electricity to homes and businesses. You may find yourself involved in building a new community or restoring power to a community recovering from a storm. Whatever the task, you'll be playing a vital role in the quality of life for the community in which you work.

2. THE TRAINING IS FREE.

As an apprentice lineman, you'll expand your knowledge of electricity, increase your physical strength and learn how to understand detailed diagrams.

Best of all, your tuition fees are waived if you work for a contributing contractor after you graduate from the program.



3. THE CAREER OUTLOOK IS EXCELLENT.

Currently there is a nationwide shortage of trained journeymen linemen, so career opportunities look good. With proper training and ongoing education, journeymen linemen can advance to supervisory positions. Some may go into training or starting their own electrical contracting business.

4. THE BENEFITS ARE OUTSTANDING.

Journeymen linemen have the potential to make a six-figure annual income based on experience and workload. Best of all, you'll be earning a wage when you start your apprenticeship training program. Being treated as a full-time employee, even while training, ensures superb wages and benefits such as medical insurance, retirement plans and possible college credit.

"There's no better job in the world for someone like me who likes physical work, being outside and isn't afraid of heights."

-Samantha





"I would definitely recommend this career path to anyone coming out of the service, especially if they like traveling and working outdoors."

-David

5. **YOU'LL HAVE
THE OPPORTUNITY
TO TRAVEL.**



Wherever you find electrical lines, you'll find opportunities for journeymen linemen. After completing their apprenticeship, some linemen turn their careers into an adventure as they travel across the country putting their skills and the reputation of the apprenticeship training program to work.

**Your apprenticeship
training program
will prepare you
for all aspects of
this exciting and
rewarding career.**



START YOUR CAREER AS A JOURNEYMAN LINEMAN TODAY AND GET PAID FOR IT!

Unlike other career opportunities that require years of school and experience before you can land the job you want, and unlike college that requires a substantial financial investment, our programs allow you to earn a high wage while gaining the experience and knowledge needed to succeed as a journeyman lineman. After completion of this program, you will be proud to say that you are a journeyman lineman from Missouri Valley.

Climb high with Missouri Valley Line Constructors Apprenticeship & Training Program. Visit www.movalleyjatc.org for complete details.

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