



# Construction Trades

## ► Is this course right for you?

Do you like to build things, work with your hands, and work outside using the most modern trends in building science? If so, then this is the course for you.

### Credits // Certification

- 4th Related Math Credit
- Visual Performing & Applied Arts Credit
- College Credit (Articulation):  
Kalamazoo Valley Community College

### Eligibility // Prerequisites

- Junior or Senior
- Dress appropriately for working in all kinds of weather conditions
- May be responsible for transportation

### Career Data // Jobs

**bricklayer, carpenter, construction manager, contractor, concrete finisher, drywaller, electrician, energy auditor, excavator, general laborer, HVAC technician, iron worker, job superintendent, owner/president of construction company, painter, plumber, project manager, safety manager**

**For salary information go to:  
<http://snipurl.com/salaryinfo>**

*“In Construction Trades we build Habitat homes where students from many backgrounds and experiences come together as a team and experience the rewards of hard work.”*

- Javius Cunningham, Kalamazoo Central High School



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### Engineering, Manufacturing & Industrial Technology Pathway

This course exposes students to several aspects of the construction industry including site layout, carpentry, electrical, masonry, plumbing, tile setting, HVAC, painting and other construction skill areas.

Both male and female students will enjoy the hands-on training experience in remodeling and/or new construction of a home that this course has to offer. Classroom training is also an important component of the class. Students interested in this course should understand basic concepts of measurement and mathematics and be able to work indoors or outdoors.

Students may take this course for two years.

\* This program is a partnership with Kalamazoo Valley Habitat for Humanity.