

Task Title: Watch a video about working in the skilled trades

# OALCF Cover Sheet – Practitioner Copy

**Learner Name:**

**Date Started:**

**Date Completed:**

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| **Goal Path:** | Employment | Apprenticeship |
| Secondary School | Post Secondary | Independence |

**Successful Completion:**  Yes No 

**Task Description:**

Watch the “Consider a Career in the Skilled Trades” video to learn about working in the skilled trades.

**Main Competency/Task Group/Level Indicator:**

* Find and Use Information/Extract info from films, broadcasts and presentations/A3

**Materials Required:**

* Access to a computer or other digital device
* Pen and paper or access to Microsoft Word or other word processing program

# Learner Information

Working in the skilled trades has many benefits. There are many different trades to choose from. You can use resources on the internet to help you learn more about the skilled trades.

Click on this link <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Hh3avnMf_Fs> and watch the video “Consider a Career in the Skilled Trades”.

# Work Sheet

**Task 1: List three benefits of working in the skilled trades that were shared in the video.**

Answer:

**Task 2: List four jobs in the skilled trades that you noticed in the video.**

Answer:

**Task 3: In total, how many different kinds of trades are there?**

Answer:

**Task 4: At the end of the video, the Canadian Apprenticeship Forum invites you to learn more about the skilled trades by going to their website. Write the address of this website.**

Answer:

# Answers

**Task 1: List three benefits of working in the skilled trades that were shared in the video.**

Answers could include and 3 of the following:

* There is a high demand for people who work in the skilled trades
* You get to work with your hands
* You get to solve problems
* You don’t work in an office
* You get a sense of accomplishment
* Skilled trades workers are often paid higher than the Canadian average
* You get to use the latest technology and tools
* You get to use your creativity and imagination

**Task 2: List four jobs in the skilled trades that you noticed in the video.**

Answers could include any 4 of the following:

* Crane operators
* Boiler makers
* Auto mechanics
* Hairdressers
* Plumber
* Baker
* Electricians
* Construction worker

**Task 3: In total, how many different kinds of trades are there?**

Answer:

* There are over 300 skilled trades

**Task 4: At the end of the video, the Canadian Apprenticeship Forum invites you to learn more about the skilled trades by going to their website. Write the address of this website.**

Answer:

* CAREERSINTRADES.CA

# Performance Descriptors

| Levels | Performance Descriptors | Needs Work | Completes task with support from practitioner | Completes task independently |
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| A3 | Tasks in this task group are not rated for complexity. |  |  |  |

This task: Was successfully completed Needs to be tried again 

Learner Comments:

Instructor (print): Learner (print):

# URLs

* Consider a Career in the Skilled Trades: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Hh3avnMf_Fs>