

The University of Akron
Classification Specification

Job Title:	Master Plumber	Job Code:	94043
Job Function:	Staff	Grade:	09
Job Family:	Bargaining Unit	FLSA:	Non-Exempt
SOC Description:	5000 Facilities Management Division	Date:	7/12

Job Summary:

Perform skilled, semi-skilled and unskilled plumbing repairs and installations. Plan, inspect, record and oversee plumbing concerns. Evaluate systems, research solutions and order repair parts and supplies. Serve as team leader and train others in proper work methods and procedures.

Essential Functions:

50-80% Perform all essential functions of a Plumber Apprentice. Perform skilled plumbing and repair of backflow preventers, water mains, fire systems, acid waste lines, glass drain lines, sewage injector pumps, sump pumps, air lines and gas lines.

0-10% Plan, inspect and maintain backflow preventers throughout campus and plumbing systems. Check and inspect all dry valves and fire systems.

0-10% Complete work orders and coordinate work with other trades, University departments and/or contractors when necessary.

0-10% Complete work, time and material usage reports. Perform other duties as assigned by Superintendent/Supervisor.

Education:

Requires high school diploma or GED and successful completion of a State Certified Apprenticeship Training Program for Plumbers.

Licenses/Certifications:

Valid Ohio Driver's License.

Experience:

Requires a minimum of 6 years experience in the plumbing field. Ability to operate and use standard powered and non-powered plumbing tools and equipment such as cutting, threading and bending machines, core hole machines, wrenches, hoisting machinery, saws, drills, main drain machines, grinders and testing gauges required. Ability to perform mathematics associated with trade applications (fractions, ratios, percentages) required. Ability to read, write, observe and accurately follow oral, written and graphic instructions required. Requires the ability to exercise judgment in determining correct course of action when confronted with new situations. Prior experience in leading others preferred.

Leadership:

Provide guidance to nonexempt staff including general scheduling, assigning tasks and monitoring the work of others, as assigned by the Supervisor.

Physical Requirements:

Must be able to lift 80 pounds without assistance and demonstrate bending, crouching and lifting. Must be able to climb a ladder, scaffolding and work on rooftops.

Working Conditions:

Routine exposure to heat, cold, moisture/wetness, inclement weather, noise air pollution and heights. May involve exposure to chemical substances, hazards and moving parts. Work schedule is subject to change in accordance with University needs and/or the results of the shift line-up process. Overtime/Call-ins may be mandatory based on University need.

The intent of this classification specification is to provide a representative summary of the types of duties and responsibilities that will be required of positions given this title and shall not be construed as a declaration of the specific duties and responsibilities of any particular position. Employees may be requested to perform job-related tasks other than those specifically presented in this description. The University requires that all University employees whose assigned duties include some involvement with The University of Akron's intercollegiate athletics program, comply with all relevant NCAA Bylaws in performing their work.