

A workplace powered by you

At BC Hydro, we're working towards creating a cleaner and more sustainable future for all British Columbians and need people like you to help us. A career at BC Hydro is meaningful and provides you the opportunity to be part of a talented, inclusive, and diverse team. We offer a healthy work-life balance, competitive wages, a comprehensive benefits package, and training opportunities to support you in your career growth. We're proud to be ranked as one of B.C.'s Top Employers and one of Canada's Best Diversity Employers.

We invite you to join us as we build an even cleaner B.C. We welcome applications from all qualified job seekers. If you're a person with a disability, please let us know by emailing RecruitmentHelp@bchydro.com, as adjustments can be made to help support you in your application process.

Automotive and Heavy Vehicle Partsperson Apprentice

Number of positions: 1

Job Location: Surrey Trades Training Centre

Employment type: Apprentice

Region: Various

Hours of work: Full-time (37.5 hrs/wk)

Flexible Work Role: Field

What you'll do

Automotive and Heavy Vehicle Partsperson at BC Hydro identifies vehicle parts and supplies, issues vehicle supplies, parts, and shop tools. Accepts and records deliveries of materials and maintains the stock room. The BC Hydro fleet consists of 3,000 vehicles including passenger vehicles (e.g. cars, SUVs, passenger vans), light vehicles (e.g. pick-up trucks, commercial vans, flat deck trucks), heavy vehicles e.g. man lifts, digger derricks, crane trucks), mobile machines (e.g. fork lifts, self-propelled man lifts) and trailers (e.g. pole trailers, reel trailers, utility trailers). Fleet Services delivers the service via a main maintenance garage, satellite workshops and mobile work shops.

As an apprentice in this trade, you would:

- * Work with a Journey person to identifies automotive parts and supplies, issues automotive supplies, parts and shop tools
- * Accepts and records deliveries of materials and maintains the stock room
- * Arranges for shipping of materials, prepares way bills, delivery slips and other records
- * May be required to pick up or deliver parts and operate a forklift

What you bring

The successful candidate will have:

- * Graduated from high school with the following courses: English 12, Math 11 and Physics 11 / Science & Technology 11 (or equivalents).
- * Demonstrated mechanical aptitude and familiarity with industrial tools/equipment
- * Truck and/or automotive experience preferred
- * Normal color vision
- * A minimum of a valid BC Class 5 driver's license or equivalent
- * Forklift certified or ability to obtain forklift certification
- * Strong interpersonal skills to deal with both internal and external customers

What we offer

THE BENEFITS

Besides having a challenging and satisfying career, you're paid while you learn and have an excellent benefit package. Apprentices earn 75% of the full trade rate with further increases during the apprenticeship. The apprentice pay rate is \$30.41; upon graduation as a journeyperson, the rate is \$40.55. Additionally, we are committed to keeping our employees healthy and safe by providing a generous benefit package that includes vacation, overtime pay, designated day offs with pay, disability income, health and vision care, and dental benefits.

- A comprehensive benefits package
- A minimum of 15 paid vacation days
- A lifetime pension
- Flexible work model, depending on your role type
- Training and development courses

For more information on the benefits we offer, visit bchydro.com/benefits.

What else you should know

This position is affiliated with the international Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Union (IBEW local 258) www.ibew258.bc.ca

THE PROGRAM

The Automotive and Heavy Vehicle Partsperson apprenticeship involves 36 months of on-the-job, working with auto and heavy vehicle parts and classroom training. Graduation from the program will include successful completion of the Parts Technician red seal examination.

THE FUTURE

Graduated apprentices can apply on any vacancies for Automotive and Heavy Vehicle Partsperson within BC Hydro.

THE LOCATION

During your apprenticeship, you will be assigned to Surrey garage. You will be required to do 2 to 3 rotations in alternate headquarters across the province for up to 2-3 weeks each during your apprenticeship.

* A condition of employment for this job once becoming a journeyperson is that you maintain your Driver's License: Class 5

* Please be advised that this role has been assessed as safety sensitive and pre-qualification alcohol and drug testing will be required as a pre-condition to employment.

Please ensure you submit a complete and comprehensive application package, making sure you include:

- Resume
- Cover Letter
- Proof of pre-requisite completion: copies of school transcripts from your educational institution(s) confirming high school requirements
- Include in your application a copy of your ICBC Driver's Abstract - which can be obtained from a motor vehicle branch or <https://www.icbc.com/driver-licensing/getting-licensed/Your-driving-record>)

If you do not include this information, this could result in delays in assessing your application.

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