

ORANGE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

SENIOR PLUMBER

DEFINITION

Under general supervision – performs more technical complex and skilled plumbing duties in the repair and installation of plumbing fixtures and systems; performs preventative maintenance and servicing; exercises leadership over other skilled workers and helper classes; and performs related duties and responsibilities as required.

Representative Duties

Takes responsibility for and performs more complex, technical and skilled assignments in the plumbing trade. Repairs and installs plumbing fixtures; installs waste lines; prepares pipe and fittings for installations; installs rough plumbing; sets fixtures, moves vents and rough plumbing; reinstalls fixtures; prepares tools and other plumbing equipment for use; sees that plumbing tools and equipment are properly cared for; repairs boilers; maintains equipment in safe working order; adjusts valves; makes tests of safety equipment; tests backflow devices; maintains records; unplugs sewage and waste lines; checks plumbing plans and specifications for conformance to codes, regulations and safety orders.

Organizational Responsibilities

Senior positions in this class report to the Maintenance Manager. Exercises senior status, oversees and coordinates work assignments, estimates cost and materials, assists workers in performance of their duties.

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Training and Experience – Equivalent to:

Three years of journeyman level experience in the repair and maintenance of plumbing systems, including one year of leadership experience or similar role. Completion of an approved technical school, or trade school courses in plumbing may be substituted for one year or required experience.

Knowledge and Abilities

Thorough knowledge of: standard practices of the plumbing trade; the materials, tools and procedures used in skilled plumbing work; plumbing ordinances contained in applicable building codes, safe working methods and procedures.

Ability to: use plumbing tools and equipment skillfully and safely; read and follow plumbing plans and specifications; understand and follow written and oral instructions; maintain records.

Licenses

A valid California Motor Vehicle Operator's License.

County Certification as a Backflow Device Tester, may be required for some positions.

Medium Work:

Positions in this class perform work which involves the frequent lifting, pushing and/or pulling of objects which may approximate 50 pounds and may occasionally weigh up to 100 pounds.

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