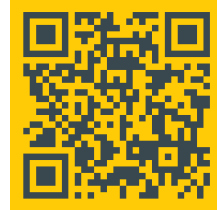


MOBILE CRANE OPERATOR



“I like challenging work, variety and can work on numerous and different projects. No two jobs are the same!”

ABOUT THIS CAREER

Crane operators work on cranes or draglines to lift, move, position or place machinery, equipment and other large objects. They can work at construction or industrial sites, ports, railway yards, surface mines or other similar locations.

HOURLY PAY (BASED ON JOURNEYPERSON)

Approx. **\$27-\$34**

PROJECTED CONSTRUCTION WORKER RETIREMENTS

~8,100 BY 2029

**BuildForce Canada*



You have a keen awareness of safety and surrounding areas.



You have good attention to detail and coordination.



You have strong communication skills and are a team player.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Operate cranes to lift, move, position or place equipment and materials
- Inspect cranes and calculate capacities and weight
- Assemble tower cranes on site
- Perform routine crane maintenance such as cleaning and lubricating
- Can specialize in work such as driving pilings to support structures, dredging waterways, loading / unloading ship cargo and supply vessels, and moving objects or materials at railway yards and on boats.



WHAT YOU'LL NEED

Education:

Highschool or equivalent. Complete a three-to four year apprenticeship program. Once you successfully complete the required on-the-job training, technical training and exams, you are awarded a journeyperson certificate.

Apprenticeship Program:

3-4 years, includes technical training, on-the-job training and exam. Journeyperson certificate awarded after successful completion.

Key Skills & Attributes

- Strong communication and problem-solving skills, numeracy and reading
- Strong depth perception, hand-eye coordination and attention to detail
- Ability to calculate crane capacities
- Ability to work in high places
- Ability to work outdoors in diverse weather

DID YOU KNOW?

There are opportunities to learn and operate a variety of crane types or to specialize in one. Almost all operators work within a team.



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