# PROGRAM OVERVIEW



Students will gain an understanding in areas such as job layout, mortar composition, and wall construction using brick, block, stone and concrete. This

will be accomplished through class assignments, class discussion and practical application of skills learned in the major units of study which include: shop and job safety, blueprint reading, transit operation, masonry tools and equipment, general construction procedures, brick,block, stone, concrete construction, footings, and cost estimation of time, material, and labor. This program will prepare a student for entry-level employment in the masonry and construction fields.



# **CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Brick Mason
- Block Mason
- Concrete Mason
- Tile Mason
- Stone Mason
- Terazzo Mason
- Restoration
- Mason Tender
- Estimator
- Retail
- Yard Worker -Material Delivery
- Hardscape Pavers & Retaining Walls



## POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

- Bricklayers and Allied
  Craft Workers Local #3
  Apprenticeship Program
- Alfred State College (Building Trades, Masonry)





# PROGRAMS OF STUDY

#### FOUNDATIONAL COURSES

#### **CTE Foundations: Construction**

9th Grade // 1 CTE Credit Career Research and Exploration Safety, Tools, and Materials **Basic Construction Skills** 

### Introduction to Construction & Design

10th Grade // 2 CTE Credits Rotation of Experiences in Carpentry Masonry, Electrical, and Computer Aided Design & Drawing (CADD)

### **CAREER MAJOR COURSES**

#### Masonry I

11th Grade // 2 CTE Credits **OSHA 10 Certification** Safety for Masons Laying Brick to the Line Identifying Pattern Bonds **Basic Brick Positions and Sizes Masonry Construction Equipment Concrete Masonry Units** Laying Block to the Line Setting and Cutting Tile

#### Masonry II

12th Grade // 2 CTE Credits Bobcat Skid-Steer Loader Training Certification Constructing Block Leads **Constructing Brick Leads Constructing Composite Walls** Installing Anchored Brick Veneer Brick Paving and Retaining Wall Systems Interpreting Blueprints and Specifications **Construct Brick Arches** Advanced Tile Setting

# **EMPLOYABILITY PROFILE:**

The Proficient Masonry Student will...

- Demonstrate employability skills Effectively read a variety of that will help them get a job and meet employer's professional expectations.
- Demonstrate academic knowledge and skills that meet postsecondary requirements.
- Consistently demonstrate safe practices and healthy relationships.
- Properly select, use, store, and maintain all tools and equipment.

- materials and communicate in a variety of situations.
- Accurately solve mathematical calculations, and apply geometric concepts, in context.
- Accurately measure within industry-standard tolerances.
- Demonstrate grit. Persevere through challenges and not give up.
- Interpret working drawings and specifications.

- Analyze the trade theory and science related to masonry.
- Cut and lay brick and block to the line.
- Properly prepare and maintain a safe and efficient working environment.
- Properly prepare and set tile on vertical and horizontal surfaces.
- Properly install brick used as walkways, patios, and driveways.

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