

WELDER, SENIOR TRADESPERSON

GENERAL

An incumbent designated Senior Tradesperson performs all duties of the specified trade and, in addition, is responsible for the supervision of tradespeople in his/her trade.

TYPICAL DUTIES

Cuts and welds ferrous and non-ferrous metals in repairing construction machinery.

Modifies equipment and fabricates new parts.

May fabricate and construct steel structures or machines from blueprints.

Supervises the work of tradespeople.

Performs other related duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS

Knowledge, Abilities and Skills

Good knowledge of welding practices and techniques.

Knowledge of welding properties of various metals and alloys.

Knowledge of occupational hazards and necessary safety precautions.

Ability to plan and lay out work from drawings, blueprints or other written specifications.

Ability to supervise the work of others.

Education, Training and Experience

Certificate of welder qualification from a recognized trade school. A minimum of five years' general welding experience, preferably as a heavy duty equipment maintenance welder.

Physical Standards

Physically capable of performing the duties assigned.