



GO WATER!

Pre-apprenticeship Program

FAQs

What should I bring/wear/expect?

Participants should wear comfortable clothing, long pants and closed toed shoes. Often times we will be outside for part of the day, so a hat and light clothing are always a good idea. Bring a snack and a bagged lunch. Breaks will be provided.

What facilities or amenities are available at the work site?

Drinking water, water fountains, and bathrooms will be available on the work site.

What about transportation for job shadowing and tours?

Participants must provide their own transportation for any site visits or job shadowing opportunities.

What about safety?

Every effort will be made to ensure the safety of the participants while on the work site or on tours. The participant and/or his/her parent (*for participants under 18 years old*) will be required to submit a signed "Assumption of Risk" form included in the application packet.

What do I get for participating?

You will gain first-hand, industry knowledge that can lead to a stable, long-term career. You will also receive a Certificate of Completion and may qualify for direct entry to the NCRWA Registered Apprenticeship Program for Water and Wastewater Systems Operations Specialist.

How do I receive training?

On the work site, you will shadow an experienced water industry worker. All other activities will be done remotely, online. You will need internet access to complete those activities, and your own transportation to and from your work site.

What other documents will I need to participate in the program?

- Your Birth Certificate (Original or Certified Copy)
- Photo ID (*only one of the following*):
 - Current School ID
 - Current/Valid Passport
 - Current State of NC ID
 - Current Driver's License

Do I get paid for the pre-apprenticeship?

The pre-apprenticeship program does not pay a wage. However, should you qualify to participate in the registered apprenticeship afterwards, you will "*earn while you learn.*"