

ATTENTION: SKILLED-TRADES EMPLOYER

Apprentice candidates from around the province, both graduating SHSM students and adults, will be invited to take part in a one-day, intensive introduction to the trades with Support Ontario Youth via the [Tools in the Trades Boot Camps](#)!

These free events will be hosted in locations across Ontario, focusing on the following trades to find the top candidates for YOU:

- Construction (Electrical, Plumbing)
- Motive Power (Automotive)
- Service (Horticulture)
- Industrial (Millwright)

The Bootcamp is designed to expose candidates to different aspects of the trades to enhance their potential for employment and success in the skilled trades.

The Tools in the Trades bootcamp team will be hosting over 70 events across Ontario, and we look forward to working with you to make this event a success and create a positive impact on the skilled trades economy.

We also know this event allows us to change the lives of so many looking to start their career in the trades by giving them the tools they need to get a head-start.

The day will include workshops in essential employability skills such as workplace etiquette, resume building, and interview skills. In addition, participants will practice trade specific skills under the guidance of experienced tradespeople.

There will also be an opportunity to meet and network with you, employers who are eagerly looking to hire apprentices for their business. This is your opportunity to get involved and see their work ethic in action.

This entire day is sponsored by Support Ontario Youth and is **free** to all who attend!

If you, or someone you know, is interested in participating in an employer panel (approximately an hour of your time, from 10:45-11:45 a.m. OR 11:30-12:45 p.m., depending on the event type and date) to help answer questions, educate and network with candidates – please reach out to us, our contact information can be found below.

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If you are interested in more information on location and agenda to see if you can participate, or if you're interested in attending, but can't make the employer panel mid-day, please still reach out and we can discuss how you can join us.

Sincerely,



Stephen Sell
Executive Director, Support Ontario Youth

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