

Custom Cabinetmaking

Jackson Center

2 Year Program
(P.M. Class Only)

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Cabinetmakers construct and fabricate cabinetry, vanities, custom furniture, moldings and all custom designed wood decoration. They set up and operate a variety of woodworking machines and hand tools. They study blueprints or drawings of articles to be assembled in order to plan the sequence of construction.

Related Job Titles

Construction Carpenter
Form Builder
Maintenance Carpenter

Skills You Will Learn

- Read blueprints and shop drawings
- Select, setup and use hand and power tools
- Cabinet joint construction
- Layout, finishing and final assembly
- Millwork

Worker Requirements

You should prefer:

- Working with things
- Precision and detail work
- Seeing the results of your work

You should be able to:

- Solve simple math problems quickly
- Read and interpret working drawings
- Use a computer for applications in the construction industry

Physically you must:

- Bend, stoop and kneel
- Stand for long periods of time
- Have good vision
- Have full use of arms and hands

Career Ladder

Most cabinetmakers start as helpers or as an apprentice. With experience, cabinetmakers can become supervisors or open their own shop.

Continuing Education

Ocean County Vocational Technical School
Ocean County College
New England Institute of Technology
New England School of Architectural
Woodworking

Additional Information

Associated General Contractor of America
1957 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006

United Brotherhood of Carpenters and
Joiners of America
101 Constitution Ave., NW
Washington, DC 20001

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