



# EXAMPLE INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

Candidates that are invited to interview with signatory contractors should take time to prepare answers to commonly asked questions. Samples are included below. Positions are limited - how will you set yourself apart from other candidates?



## INTRODUCTIONS

How did you initially learn about the apprenticeship program?  
Are you familiar with Registered Apprenticeship and how it works?



## WORK EXPERIENCE

How did you become interested in a plumbing career?  
What outstanding ability or skill do you have that helps you succeed?  
What training or experiences have you had that apply to working in the pipe trades?  
Do you have a known fear of heights? Have you ever worked in high places?  
Do you have a known issue working in confined spaces? Have you ever worked in confined spaces?  
Success will require you to be on time and ready to work early in the day. Can you do this?  
Are you able to lift and carry up to 50 pounds of materials consistently throughout the day?



## TRANSPORTATION

Do you have reliable transportation to get to the job site?  
Are you willing to relocate if necessary for an apprenticeship opportunity?  
You may also be required to drive a Contractor's vehicle. Do you have a valid driver's license?



## ON THE JOB

What do you think you will enjoy most about a plumbing career?  
Describe a situation when you were under a lot of pressure? How did you address it?  
What is your secret to getting along with others?  
What are some experiences you've had that have made you the kind of person you are today?  
Let's say you worked hard on a job and are proud of the result. Later, a co-worker comes along and says "Who did that lousy job?" How would you handle the situation?  
Describe a time when you had to work as part of a team to complete a difficult task?