

Construction

The Construction Career Cluster focuses on professions involved in designing, planning, managing, and executing projects in the built environment. It emphasizes sustainable building practices to ensure that structures are both environmentally responsible and resilient. Careers in this Cluster are pivotal in creating durable infrastructure that meets present needs without compromising future generations' ability to meet their own, covering a range of roles from architects and engineers to construction managers and skilled

Rank	Occupation category	U.S. employment
1	Maintenance and repair workers, general	1,621,800
2	Construction laborers	1,489,300
3	First-line supervisors of construction trades and extraction workers	913,300
4	Carpenters	889,700
5	Electricians	821,000
6	First-line supervisors of mechanics, installers, and repairers	629,000
7	Construction managers	609,100
8	Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters	510,600
9	Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators	489,500
10	Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics and installers	440,900