

PIPELINE EQUIPMENT OPERATOR Dozer Endorsement Examination Information

Note: You require the following prerequisites before you may apply for this examination:

Apprentice - 3 years and 3000 hours

- Trade time must include experience in one or more of the following trade areas: Clearing, Stripping, Two-toning, Clean-up, Road Building and Maintenance, Backfilling, Restoration, Ripping, Winching and Towing, Stockpiling, Ditching, Pit Excavation or other trade related dozer functions subject to Board approval.

Tradesperson - 4.5 years and 4500 hours

- Trade time must include experience in one or more of the following trade areas: Clearing, Stripping, Two-toning, Clean-up, Road Building and Maintenance, Backfilling, Restoration, Ripping, Winching and Towing, Stockpiling, Ditching, Pit Excavation or other trade related dozer functions subject to Board approval.

The **Pipeline Equipment Operator – Dozer Endorsement** trade examinations are developed by the Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission in co-operation with a committee of worker and employer representatives selected from industry. The pass mark for all examinations is 70%. Examination content is based on the expectations and standards for Saskatchewan tradespeople as follows:

Subject	Percent
General Trade Practices	27%
Equipment Inspection and Maintenance	20%
Pipeline Procedures	53%
	100%

Study all areas of the trade in preparing for the examination.

To assist you, a list of reference textbooks is provided below. Note that ISBN numbers are subject to change. Please consult with your supplier to access their most current version of the text you are acquiring. It is not necessary to use these specific textbooks; you may find others which will be equally beneficial. You are encouraged to seek additional reference materials in all test areas.

FOS Tires and Tracks, Deere and Company.

FOS Fuels, Lubricants and Coolants, Deere and Company.

Excavation and Grading Hand Book, pub. Craftsman Book Co. ISBN 0-9340-4129-6.

Safety in Excavations and Trenches, Saskatchewan Occupational Health and Safety Branch, pub. Queen's Printer, ph. 1-800-226-7302.

*Unless otherwise noted, books listed here are available through the Saskatchewan Polytechnic Bookstore Call Centre: 1-866-569-8398.

NOTE: Textbooks **are not** usually available from libraries. When texts are being purchased, candidates should allow several weeks for delivery and several weeks for studying.

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Absolutely no cell phones, communication devices or PDAs are allowed in the examination facility. You will be required to leave immediately if any of these items are found on your person.

Important information regarding calculators – please note that due to increasing security issues, candidates are no longer permitted to bring their own calculators to the exam facility. Instead, we will be supplying each candidate with a calculator. Please refer to the “Forms” section of our web page for further information.

Please note that examinations and study information change frequently. The most recent information is available on our web site at www.saskapprenticeship.ca