

PAINTER AND DECORATOR

First-year Apprentice Learning Plan

Please indicate in the appropriate course column the skills to be focused on in this 125-hour course.
Feel free to add skills specific to your work site.

Trade Skills and Tasks	RAP 15 125 hrs	RAP 25A 250 hrs	RAP 25B 375 hrs	RAP 25C 500 hrs	RAP 35A 625 hrs	RAP 35B 750 hrs	RAP 35C 875 hrs	RAP 35D 1000 hrs
	RAP 4148	RAP 5148	RAP 5149	RAP 5150	RAP 6148	RAP 6149	RAP 6150	RAP 6151
Demonstrates basic calculation and measurement specific to trade (metric/imperial)								
Demonstrates proper care, use and maintenance of tools/machinery specific to workplace								
Demonstrates proper assembly and use of ladders, scaffolds and other riggings								
Reads drawings and specifications								
Plans the job and selects appropriate materials								
Analyzes surface and proposes remedies for defects								
Prepares plaster and drywall and wood surfaces								
Prepares other miscellaneous surfaces								
Operates abrasive hydro-blasting equipment								
Demonstrates an understanding of colour theory								
Demonstrates an understanding of the effect of light on colour								
Demonstrates understanding of the chemistry of colour								
Identifies types of colouration								
Understands and applies the fundamentals of mixing colours								
Demonstrates correct brushing and rolling techniques								
Operates conventional and airless spray equipment								
Operates compressor								
Applies specialty coatings								
Installs a variety of residential and commercial wall coverings								

Note: These skills and tasks are taken directly from the *Apprenticeship and Industry Training Record Book* (Blue Book) as a general guideline of the training required for a first-year RAP student.

Employer's Signature

Student's Signature

Off-campus Coordinator's Signature