

# FINDING WORK



## MARTIN'S PLUMBING & HEATING LTD.

### The Company

Martin's Plumbing & Heating Ltd. has been serving the town of Vermilion and area since 1930 and has been independently owned and operated by the present owners since 1960.

The company provides a comprehensive line of services in heating, plumbing, gas, hot water and steam heating, air conditioning and eaves trough installations. Martin's offers outstanding maintenance and service on all your installations. As part of their ongoing service, they also carry a full line of heating and plumbing parts.

### The Work

Typically Martin's employs between nine and 10 tradesmen as Journeyman and Apprentice: Plumbers, Sheet Metal Workers, and Steam and Hot Water and Air Conditioning Workers. Currently Martin's employs four Journeyman Plumbers, two Apprentice Plumbers, 2 Sheet Metal Workers and three workers with Air Conditioning/Steam and Hot Water certification.

### The Ideal Candidate

The ideal candidate to work at Martin's Plumbing & Heating Ltd. would have the following attributes:

- Willing to learn and willing to work
- Team Player
- Service orientated and reliable
- Responsible for their work and respectful of others' materials



### Plumbers/Steam Fitters

- Study drawings and specifications to determine installation and materials required
- Install, repair and maintain pipes, fixtures and other plumbing equipment used for water distribution and waste water disposal in domestic, commercial or industrial systems
- Measure, cut, bend and thread pipes using hand and power tools or machines
- Join pipes using couplings, clamps, screws, bolts, cement or soldering, brazing and welding equipment
- Test pipes for leaks using air and water pressure gauges
- Clean, maintain units and remove and replace worn components



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- Must have completed trade certification or in an apprenticeship program at an accredited Trade School such as NAIT, SAIT, Lakeland College.
- Interprovincial Red Seal certification an asset

#### *Sheet Metal Workers*

- Sheet metal workers fabricate, assemble, install and repair sheet metal products
- Read drawings and specifications to be performed and layout, measure and mark sheet metal according to templates
- Develop patterns using CAD software packages
- Operate light metal working machines such as shears, brakes, punches, and drill presses to cut, bend, punch, drill, shape or straighten sheet metal
- Fit and join sheet metal parts using riveting and exhaust hoods, eaves troughs and other handling systems
- Install sheet metal products according to specifications and building codes
- Service and maintain installed equipment and systems
- Completion of an apprenticeship program and trade certification from an accredited trades institution is required
- Red Seal certification an asset

#### *Air Conditioning Mechanic*

- Read and interpret blueprints or other specifications
- Assemble and install air conditioning components using hand and power tools
- Install, troubleshoot and overhaul entire heating, ventilation, air handling and air conditioning systems
- Repair and replace parts and components
- Install, maintain and repair equipment
- Trade certification from an accredited trades college or institution is required
- Red Seal certification is an asset

#### Training

In house training and cross-training in all positions is provided.

#### **Hours of Work, Pay and Benefits**

Martin's Plumbing & Heating Ltd. is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday to Friday, and is closed Saturday, Sunday and Statutory Holidays.

Salaries, vacations and vacation pay are commensurate with training and experience and are in conformity with industry standards and the *Labour Standards Act*. Some benefits are offered.

#### **How to Apply**

The company typically recruits by word-of-mouth or by drop-in.

Applicants may apply in person with references and proof of credentials to:

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