
Career-Technical Scholarship

For graduates of schools having an Articulated Training Agreement with Pearl River Community College, full tuition and half tuition scholarships will be awarded to entering career-technical freshmen who meet the following qualifications:

- High school diploma
- Completed a two-year career-technical program in high school
- Enroll full time (within a year after high school graduation) in a career-technical program at PRCC
- Full tuition scholarships require overall "B" average or above in high school
- Half tuition scholarships require overall "C" average in academic courses with an "A" average in career-technical program courses in high school

Requirements for Admission

- Official copy of high school transcript or official copy of GED scores
- Completed application of admission (also available online at www.prcc.edu)
- College/University transcript (if applicable)

Submit the above documents to:

Office of Admissions
Pearl River Community College
101 Highway 11 North
Poplarville, MS 39470
(601) 403-1214

Why College?

Research shows that education pays. Students who complete associate degrees and certificates are more likely to move into professional positions with higher earnings. Students with a solid education beyond high school can expect to earn an average of \$250,000 more than people with only a high school diploma.

For More Information

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Main number	601-403-1000
Career-Technical Affairs	601-403-1101
Admissions Office	601-403-1214
Financial Aid Office	601-403-1211
Recruitment Office	601-403-1197
G.E.D.	601-403-1250
Distance Learning	601-403-1110

Check us out on the net:
www.prcc.edu



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Block, Brick & Stonemasonry

Poplarville Campus

Certificate of Proficiency



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About the Program

The Brick, Block and Stonemasonry Program at Pearl River Community College is designed to lead to a Certificate of Proficiency.

The student in Brick, Block and Stonemasonry learns to lay brick and blocks. Instruction includes laying out and/or spacing bonds; determining vertical and horizontal alignment of courses using gauges, plumb-bobs and levels; and cutting, notching and shaping blocks, bricks and stone to construct or repair walls, partitions, arches and fireplaces.

Applicants for the Brick, Block and Stonemasonry Program must have a high school diploma or a GED.

Career Opportunities in the Field

The current demand for brick, block and stonemasonry craftpersons assures the student of a job upon graduation. The national average for an apprentice Brick Mason is \$12.65 per hour, but the demand in this area is far greater than the national one, so graduates can expect to earn between \$16 and \$20 per hour. The masonry field is currently short of the current need and that shortage is expected to increase.

Program of Study

BRICK, BLOCK AND STONEMASONRY

Certificate of Proficiency

First Semester

	Semester Hours
BBV 1115 Brick and Block Laying	5
BBV 1215 Masonry Construction.....	5
BBV 1223 Masonry Math & Blueprint Reading	3
BBV 1303 Tools, Equipment & Safety	3
Total	16

Second Semester

	Semester Hours
BBV 1425 Advanced Block Laying	5
11525 Advanced Bricklaying.....	5
BBV 1623 Chimney & Fireplace Construction	3
Approved Electives	3
Total	13

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS..... 29

Approved Electives:

- BBV 1723 Steps, Arches and Brick Floors
- BBV 191(1-3) Special Problem in Brick, Block and Stonemasonry
- BBV 192(1-6) Supervised Work Experience in Brick, Block and Stonemasonry



Need More Program Information?

Call or write

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