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A new 12-month program at Perry Technical Institute will train workers for the region's construction industry.

The Construction Program will prepare students for entry-level positions on both residential and commercial construction projects. The curriculum gives students an understanding of construction basics in areas such as estimating, blueprint reading, tool use, material selection, concrete, framing, and interior and exterior finishes.

The program is being added in response to the needs of local contractors. The Occupational Outlook Handbook, published by the U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics, projects an above average demand for construction workers over the next decade.

The new program has been approved by the Washington State Workforce Training and Education Coordinating Board and accredited by the Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges.

Applications for admission are now being accepted for the first class which begins in October. For more information, call Perry's Admissions Office at 509.453.0374 or toll-free 888.528.8586.

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