

Steps to Become a Union: Bricklayer Apprentice

Where do I go?

- Bricklayers' Local #5
- 6200 Rockside Woods Blvd, N, Suite 210, Independence, OH 44131
- (216) 447-9965

When can I go?

- Monday - Friday between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.

What do I need?

- Must be at least 18 years of age or older
- State issued photo ID
- Proof of education (High school diploma or GED)

What do I do?

- Complete application
- Receive list of signatory contractors who may hire apprentices
- Receive a sample "Intent to Hire" letter
 - *Contractor signs "Intent to Hire" letter
- Take signed letter to Bricklayers' Local #5 office
 - *Complete paperwork and complete a drug test

To be accepted into the Apprenticeship Program
You **must** pass a **DRUG TEST**

For additional information go to: <https://oh-kyadc.com/training/>



Bricklayers' Local 5

What they do

Bricklayers work with brick, block, stone, mortar, concrete, marble, tile, grout, plaster and terrazzo. They set, place and finish masonry components. This includes walls for commercial buildings, hospitals, schools and stadiums.

Bricklayers install decorative terrazzo flooring which can be found at Cleveland Hopkins Airport and in other locations throughout Greater Cleveland.

Bricklayers also restore and help preserve historic structures.

What they earn

1st year apprentice starts at \$17.43/hour taxable, \$25.27/hour total wage package (this includes health insurance, pension and annuity).

Apprentices receive a wage rate percentage increase twice each year.

Journeyman earns \$34.85/hour taxable, \$52.51/hour total wage package (this includes health insurance, pension and annuity).

Length of Apprenticeship

The Bricklayers have a 4-year Apprenticeship Program

