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Start Your New Career with Us – **TERRAZZO, TILE & MARBLE PRE-APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING PROGRAM**

YWCA Toronto has partnered with the Terrazzo, Tile and Marble Training School (TTMTS), and the Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development to bring you a unique, women-only pre-apprenticeship training program to become a commercial Terrazzo, Tile and Marble setter.

BENEFITS & GAINS

- Certified instructors
- Safety equipment
- Basic work tools
- Women-only learning environment
- Transportation supports (*restrictions apply*)
- Refresher math
- Text books

ELIGIBILITY

- Women, 16 years and older
- Minimum grade 10 education
- Resident of and able to work in Ontario
- Willing and able to commit to a 20-week, intensive training program
- Possess or be eligible to obtain a valid driver's license
- Physically able to work in a variety of construction work environments and on their feet and knees for a considerable length of time
- Possess appropriate hand-eye coordination, manual dexterity and ability to identify and follow design patterns

PROGRAM START DATE: MONDAY, MAY 17, 2021

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER, PLEASE CONTACT:
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TRAINING SCHEDULE

■ Trade Academic Upgrading

May 17 – May 27, 2021 // Monday through Thursday– 7:30a.m.–1:30p.m. // 2 weeks

Calculations, metric conversion of area, scale conversion, grammar, trade specific research data/reports, trade terminology, and computer literacy.

■ Health and Safety Training

May 31 – June 4, 2021 // Monday through Friday– 7:30a.m.–4p.m. // 1 week

Safety training for the trade including Infrastructure Health and Safety Association (IHSA) Working at Heights, WHMIS, Worker Health and Safety Awareness in 4 Steps.

■ Level 1 Certificate

June 7 – July 23, 2021 // Monday through Friday– 7:30a.m.–4p.m. // 7 weeks

Primary trade –Basic apprenticeship including hands-on projects at the Terrazzo, Tile and Marble Trade School (TTMTS) site application of skills, and visit to employers.

■ Exposure Training

July 26–30, 2021 // Monday through Friday– 7:30a.m.–4p.m. // 1 week

Secondary trade.

■ Job Readiness • Life Skills

August 2–5, 2021 // Monday through Thursday– 9a.m.–1p.m. // 1 week

Self-management, interpersonal skills, problem solving, and communication skills.

■ Paid Work Placement

August 9 – September 30, 2021 // Hours as required by employer // 8 weeks

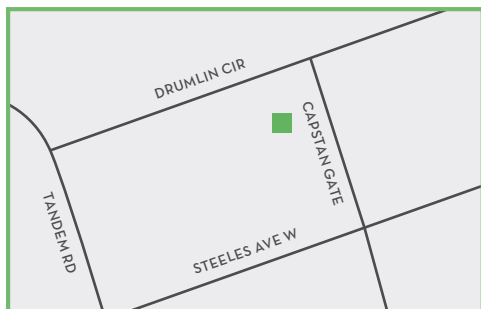
Paid work placement with local employer for this trade.

TRAINING LOCATION

■ Terrazzo, Tile and Marble Trade School Inc.

(Academic Upgrading/Skills Training)

30 Capstan Gate, Units 4 and 5, Concord, ON L4K 3E8



PRE-APPRENTICESHIP BY THE NUMBERS

On average, of the previous women attending pre-apprenticeship training programs through YWCA Toronto:

- 10% entered into formal apprenticeships
- 60% found work within in the industry in related jobs
- 70% of women increased their earnings
- 10% pursued further education in other career paths