



# Building and Grounds/Maintenance

BUILDING AND GROUNDS/MAINTENANCE develops skills and techniques to perform a variety of custodial duties such as: window cleaning, painting, floor cleaning and polishing, carpet cleaning and repair/and or assist with minor electrical problems in a commercial setting. Proper handling and disposal of cleaning material is emphasized. Additionally, students are taught landscape maintenance skills such as basic lawn and plant care as well as operation of small equipment. They will also develop skills in general building maintenance, carpentry, electrical, plumbing, and masonry.

## Work Environment

Custodians, building maintenance and landscapers work both indoors and outdoors. All jobs require individuals to follow safety requirements.

## Career Opportunities

Custodian  
Industrial Maintenance Cleaner  
Painter Assistant  
Rug and Carpet Cleaner  
Window Washer  
Groundskeeper Assistant  
Building Maintenance Assistant  
Carpenter's Assistant  
Electrical Assistant  
Plumbing Assistant

## Employment Outlook

There continues to be high demand for all types of custodial and maintenance workers in industrial, business, educational settings, both indoors and outdoors.

## Course Outline

- Safety Procedures
- Cleaning and Sanitizing Procedures
- Hand tools
- Power tools
- Measurements
- Custodial Equipment
- Painting Materials and Supplies
- Basic Electric
- Basic Plumbing
- Basic Carpentry
- Care of Lawns and Grounds

## Consider these Courses at Tech

- Building Trades\*
- Carpentry
- Construction Electricity
- Design and Production Technology\*
- Electronic Manufacturing
- HVAC
- Life Skills\*

All placements are based upon individual needs and approval from the district and parent/guardian.

\*Smaller class size.