

Painters, Construction and Maintenance



What Is It?

Paint walls, equipment, buildings, bridges, and other structural surfaces, using brushes, rollers, and spray guns. May remove old paint to prepare surface prior to painting. May mix colors or oils to obtain desired color or consistency.

What Do They Typically Do?

- Getting Information
- Inspecting Equipment, Structures, or Materials
- Coordinating the Work and Activities of Others

Annual Income:

Entry Level: \$33,720

Typical: \$45,100

Experienced: \$46,300

Major Employers:

Construction

What do I do next?

Learn about the job culture:

- Schedule at least one informational interview
- · Conduct a job shadow, if possible
- Research available volunteer or intern opportunities

Prepare for training:

- Visit and call trade schools or colleges that offer a related program
- Research regional job openings at: idahoworks.gov

Explore all pathways to certification:

labor.idaho.gov/jobscape

Talk to your school counselor or advisor for more information

Get started today!

Ask about the career & technical programs at your school or nearby technical college.

Check out Idaho Digital Learning Academy for online opportunities: idahodigitallearning.org

For tips, tools, and resources to learn how your skills and interests can translate to a rewarding career, visit the Next Steps Idaho website.

