



Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers

**NEXT
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What Is It?

Install or repair heating, central air conditioning, HVAC, or refrigeration systems, including oil burners, hot-air furnaces, and heating stoves.

What Do They Typically Do?

- Getting Information
- Performing General Physical Activities
- Inspecting Equipment, Structures, or Materials

Annual Income:

- Entry Level: \$34,320
- Typical: \$48,630
- Experienced: \$78,210

Area of Studies:

- Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Engineering Technology/Technician
- Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/Technician

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/jobscope

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: idahodigitalllearning.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.

www.NextSteps.Idaho.gov



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