

FREQUENTLY ASKED HEAVY EQUIPMENT TRAINING QUESTIONS



WHAT IS THE ROLE OF AN EQUIPMENT OPERATOR?

Heavy equipment operators are vital parts of construction sites. In addition to operating the machinery, operators maintain them so the jobs continue to run smoothly.



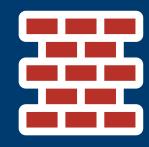
WHAT SKILLS DO HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATORS NEED?

Skills necessary for heavy equipment jobs can vary depending on the type of machine and job site.



HOW CAN I BEST PREPARE FOR A CAREER IN HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATION?

Lay the groundwork for a successful career with heavy equipment training from an accredited school.



WHY IS A HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR IMPORTANT?

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Heavy equipment operators quite literally build our collective future.



ARE HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATORS IN DEMAND?

The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics projects that equipment operators will see five percent growth between 2020 and 2030, with about 51,500 job openings each year.



HOW MUCH DOES A HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR EARN?

The most recent median pay statistics from the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics lists heavy equipment operators earning \$23.61 per hour or \$49,100 per year.

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