CARPENTER TOOL LIST

ALL TOOLS MUST BE
AMERICAN MADE

TOOLS REQUIRED BEFORE GOING TO WORK

Utility Drywall Saw
16 oz. or 20 oz. Hammer
Eight (8) point Hand Saw (26" length)
Level (24" minimum, 30" maximum length)
Aviation Snips
Chalk Line Box
Plumb Box (12 oz. minimum)
25" Measuring Tape

Nail Claw (Cat’s Paw)
18” Nail Bar
12” Combination Square
8” Adjustable Wrench
Stanley Sure form Pocket Plane
Metal Tool Box (30” minimum length)
Utility Knife
Nail Pouches or Tool Belt

REQUIRED TO ADVANCE TO 65%: All of the above tools, with the following additions:

6” Wood Folding Rule
Framing Square Gauges
100 ‘(minimum) Dry Line
Carpenter End Nippers

Drywall Saw (Core board Saw)
Framing Square (with rafter tables)
100 Steel Measuring Tape
2 6” Vise Grip Clamps

REQUIRED TO ADVANCE TO 2ND YEAR (70%): All of the above tools, with the following additions:

Wood Chisels (¼ “, ⅛ “, ⅛ “, 1”, 1 ¼ “, 1 ½ “)
Whet Stone (8” x 2” x 1”)
12” Adjustable Wrench
Drywall Circle Cutter
8” or 9” Torpedo Level
1 set Allen Wrenches (standard)
1 set Allen Wrenches (metric)

3 Phillips Screwdrivers (#1, #2, #3)
3 Straight Screwdrivers (1/4”, 5/16”, 3/8” blade
with, 4” to 6” shank lengths)
Block Plane
6 piece Cold Chisel and Punch Set
8” or 9” Lineman’s Pliers (offset pin recommended)

REQUIRED TO ADVANCE TO 3RD YEAR (80%): All of the above tools, with the following additions:

Coping Saw and Blades
Sliding T Bevel Square
Combination Wood Rasp
10” Locking Pliers *
Flat Bar **

3 Nail Sets (1/32nd, 2/32nd, 3/32nd )
Self Centering Screw Hole Punch
8” Mill Bastard File
Pencil Scribers

REQUIRED TO ADVANCE TO 4RD YEAR (90%): All of the above tools, with the following additions:

Hand Saw (10, 11, or 12 Point, 26” length)
Tap Wrench
Scratch Awl
Wing Dividers (6” minimum)
2 Bar Clamps (12” or 24” length)

6” Combination Square
Set of Combination Wrenches ¼ “to 1”, by 1/16”
Set of Socket Wrenched and Accessories *** (3/8 to
¾ “, minimum of 3/8 “drive”
File Card

REQUIRED TO ADVANCE TO JOURNEYMAN STATUS: All of the above tools.

* Vise Grip of Equivalent
** Wonder Bar or Equivalent

*** Accessories include Ratchet, Pull Handle and Extensions