

Skilled Labor Forum

“U.S. employers are finding it increasingly difficult to find skilled workers.”

The National Association for Business

Over 60% of the Skilled Labor force is over 45 years old. The average age of a skilled worker in America today is 55.

Skilled Labor Careers:

- ❖ Precision Machining
- ❖ Optics
- ❖ Electrician
- ❖ Plumbing & Pipefitting
- ❖ HVAC
- ❖ And many, many more

Skilled workers not only work with their hands to build, fix, or install something, there is also a significant amount of brainpower required to do most jobs. Skilled workers must be computer literate as many machines use computer programs to operate. You must have good math and reading skills in order to calculate, measure and read blueprints accurately.

Innovative advances in technology have enabled skilled workers to empower the use of robotics and lasers

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**America's Skilled Trades Dilemma:
Shortages Loom As The Most-In-Demand Group Of Workers Ages.
Companies struggle to fill positions.**

Career Day

**Eastridge
High School
in the
Cafeteria and
Auxiliary Gym**

Saturday November 18, 2017

10:00 am-12:00 pm

Participants:

7th - 12th grade students who are interested in learning about the fields of technology, manufacturing, and engineering

Learn about career pathways and speak with local companies.