

San Diego Community College District

CLASSIFICATION DESCRIPTION

Title: Painter - II

Unit: Maintenance & Operations

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Job Code: E1338
Original Date: 08/1983
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Staff Type: Classified
FLSA status: Non-exempt
Salary Range: 29

DEFINITION

Under the direction of the District Facilities Supervisor/Buildings and Grounds or assigned supervisor, perform a wide variety of semi-skilled and skilled painting work, such as maintaining and painting surface and under coatings of existing buildings, new construction, fixtures, and equipment. Act as lead person over crew of journey-level painters and assistants to perform painting and other related work. Work independently and use own initiative with minimum supervision to solve difficult and complex problems.

DISTINGUISHING CHARACTERISTICS

This is the master level classification of the painter series. Incumbents provide the highest level of expertise in the craft for the District, determining and assuring that standard trade practice is followed. In addition to regular duties, the Painter-II has lead responsibilities under the direction of the District Facilities Supervisor.

EXAMPLE OF DUTIES

1. Plan and direct work of other painting personnel and perform more complex, skilled painting work. Coordinate and schedule with campus facilities for availability of rooms or offices to be painted. Lead and coordinate the work of related crafts; assign work to painters and assistants assigned to the section. Review work of maintenance painters in the performance of maintenance painting and repair work. Instruct in proper methods and procedures. Determine and assure that standard trade practice is followed.
2. Clean and prepare surfaces to be painted by use of sandpaper, steel wool, scrapers, or soap and water; sandblast surfaces. Remove graffiti from different surfaces.
3. Paint exterior and interior surfaces of buildings and structures with brush or spray gun. Apply required number of coats of paints, enamels, varnishes, lacquers, or other protective products or treatments on glass, plaster, brick, stucco, cement, and wall board using brushes and spray guns.
4. Varnish, stain, shellac, or otherwise finish desks, doors, cabinets, moldings, and floors.
5. Mix colors, oils, and other paint ingredients to match, blend, harmonize, and contrast with specified colors and consistencies.
6. Mark, measure, and hang wallpaper and apply special paint finishes and other applications.
7. Perform incidental duties such as erect and remove scaffolds, wash walls, and clean work areas. Clean, organize, and store equipment.
8. Operate a district maintenance vehicle. Operate a variety of painting power equipment and hand tools.
9. Requisition materials; forecast and maintain proper levels of painting supplies, materials, and equipment; log all materials used in completing work. Handle and dispose of hazardous substances.
10. Inspect equipment, buildings, streets, parking lots, and other structures in need of paint.
11. Design and paint traffic lining and control markings for parking lots and streets.

12. Ensure on the job compliance with shop and safety practices, including the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard; APCD Air Pollution regulations, and EPA requirements.
13. Estimate time, materials, and cost involved; maintain records and reports of material, labor, and time costs.
14. Meet with paint contractors to get estimates; meet with paint vendors to review and purchase materials. Meet with faculty and staff to schedule paint projects.
15. Perform related duties as assigned.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS

Knowledge:

- Basic computer and office skills.
- Basic principles of work direction and guidance.
- Blueprint reading and interpretation.
- Brush and spray painting.
- Characteristics and uses of paints, varnishes, enamels, and shellacs, including mixing and blending.
- Occupational hazards and safety precautions.
- Paint application and selection.
- Paint mixing, tinting, and matching colors.
- Proper methods of preparing various surfaces for painting and finishing.
- Reading and writing communication skills.
- Record-keeping techniques.
- Repair and maintenance of HVAC equipment and machinery.
- Safe work practices and operation of equipment, vehicles, and machinery.
- Special chemicals used to remove graffiti off different surfaces throughout the District.
- Standard safety regulations pertaining to safe work conditions as required by State OSHA.
- Surface coverings, coatings, and sealers.
- Shop safety and safety practices, including OSHA, APCD, and EPA requirements.
- Tools, equipment, and materials used in painting.
- Use and purpose of graffiti coating on various surfaces.
- Use and handling of hazardous substances and purpose of requirements for hazardous waste and recycling.

Skills and Abilities:

- Communicate effectively both orally and in writing.
- Erect and work from ladders, rigging and scaffolding.
- Establish and maintain effective working relationships with others.
- Maintain records and prepare reports.
- Make simple arithmetic calculations.
- Mix, tint, and match paints and enamels.
- Operate motor vehicles, power equipment and machinery, and hand tools used in area of specialty.
- Plan and direct work of skilled painters.
- Plan, lay out, and perform difficult painting work.
- Provide work direction and guidance to others.
- Understand and follow oral and written directions.
- Use initiative with minimum supervision to solve difficult and complex problems.
- Work independently in a widely dispersed and diversified district.

License:

- Valid California driver's license.

Training and Experience:

Any combination of training and experience equivalent to: seven years in the trade, including three years of journey level experience, including leadership experience.

WORKING CONDITIONS

Physical Requirements:

Category I, may require considerable physical exertion, stamina and flexibility.

Environment:

May include less desirable extremes.