**MEMBER BULLETIN**

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**Ministry of Education Helping More Students Enter Construction Faster**

The Ministry of Education will be allowing students in grade 11 to transition to a full-time, skilled trades apprenticeship program, including Construction Craft Worker.

Upon receiving their Certificate of Apprenticeship (CofA), student workers can apply for their Ontario Secondary School Diploma as mature students.

At a time when the province continues to face historic labour shortages, this change means that more students will be able to construction faster than ever before to help build Ontario.

For More information: <https://news.ontario.ca/en/release/1002797/ontario-helping-more-students-enter-the-skilled-trades-faster>

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