

GEORGE WARD

PLUMBING APPRENTINCE

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TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Power Tools
- Soldering Copper Pipe & Pipe installation
- Cast Iron
- Cut & Thread Black Steel
- Basic Wall Rough In
- PVC Piping & Installation
- Plumbing Safety Protocol
- Code & Regulation Awareness
- Installation & Repair of Plumbing Fixtures
- Blueprint Reading
- PEX A
- Water Chemistry Testing

SOFT SKILLS

- Strategic Planning
- Problem Solving
- Crisis Management
- Creative Thinking
- Communication
- Customer Service
- Teamwork
- Adaptability to Change
- Eagerness to Learn
- Team Leadership



CERTIFICATIONS & ACCREDITATIONS

- Ground Up Trade & Talent Solutions Plumbing 72-hour Pre-Apprenticeship Program
- State of Virginia DPOR Accredited Training
- PHCC Accreditation for Pre-Apprenticeship Program



WORK EXPERIENCE

- **Plumbing Pre-Apprenticeship Program** **OCTOBER 2025**
Ground Up Trade & Talent Solutions (GUTTS) *Fairfax, VA*
 - Completed a 3 Week, 72-hour PHCC & DPOR accredited training program
 - Learned effective communication and other soft skills.
 - Plumbing Safety and Code Training including PPE, Hazardous Material Handling, & OSHA regulation.
 - Installation, Maintenance, & Repair of Plumbing Systems including Water closets, sinks, faucets.
 - Science of Water including Water Supply, Water Sources, Waste Disposal, Sewage Disposal, & Stormwater Management.
 - Piping Material such as Copper, Steel, Cast Iron, CPVC, & PVC Piping
 - Gas Pipe installation.
 - PEX A installation, repair, and maintenance
- **Lead Sales Associate** **May 2024 - May 2025**
Leslie's Pool Supplies *Woodbridge, VA*
 - Conducted water tests and analyzed pool chemistry to provide accurate treatment solutions.
 - Handled customer transactions and balanced cash drawers daily.
 - Provided excellent customer service and educated clients on best pool maintenance practices.
- **Cashier** **May 2022 - April 2024**
McDonalds *Woodbridge, VA*
 - Processed customer orders and payments efficiently and accurately.
 - Handled customer inquiries in a professional manner and maintained an organized working space.
 - Assisted in inventory restocking and supply organization.



EDUCATION

- **Forest Park High School** **Graduated: 2024**
Graduate IT Program Diploma *Woodbridge, VA*
High School Diploma



LEADERSHIP & VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

- **Eagle Scout** **Aug 2019 - Present**
Boy Scouts of America
 - Recognized for outstanding dedication and service to others.
 - Demonstrated leadership through community service, outdoor skills, and long-term commitment