**American Manufacturing Apprenticeship Incentive Fund**

**List of Approved Occupations**

**Updated October 14, 2026**

**About this list**

The current approved occupations list reflects occupations with commonly recognized titles that encompass most occupational skills reflected in the relevant O*NET code. Requested occupations must be apprenticeable and match the RAPIDS Occupation Code and O*NET code associated with the current list.

**The Arkansas Department of Commerce, Division of Workforce Services added 16 generally recognized occupation titles to the list of 120 approved occupations.** These added titles were determined to match the RAPIDS (Registered Apprenticeship Partners Information Database) Occupation Code and O*NET Code and are reflected in the table below in bold text.

Apprenticeable occupations recognized by USDOL are preferred. However, there is flexibility to consider a State Apprenticeship Agency occupation if the occupation has nationwide application. Submitted SAA Portal States occupations must match the O*NET code and occupation title of the published list to be considered for approval.

**Questions:**

Linked here is more information about the Fund and how to apply: American Manufacturing Apprenticeship Incentive Fund.

For questions about the American Manufacturing Apprenticeship Incentive Fund or the list of approved occupations, please email the Arkansas Department of Commerce Incentive Fund team at OSD.MFGfund@arkansas.gov. Please also refer to the updated FAQ linked here: Updated AMAIF Frequently Asked Questions 10.14.2026

**Note**: If you do not see your occupation on the list below, your occupation may be eligible through other incentive funds available through the Department of Labor. More information about five new incentive fund models is linked here: Pay-for-Performance Incentive Payments Program. These funds are anticipated to launch before end of October 2026 and focus on the following industries: shipbuilding and the defense industrial base; super intelligence, semiconductor, and nuclear energy infrastructure; telecommunications; information technology; and transportation.

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| **Occupation Titles**<br>***Occupation titles in bold text were added as of 10/2026** | **O*NET SOC Code** |
|---|---|
| 3D Printing Technician | 17-3026.00 |
| Additive Manufacturing Technician | 17-3026.00 |
| Aerospace Engineer | 17-2011.00 |
| Aerospace Engineering and Operations Technologists and Technicians | 17-3021.00 |
| **Aerospace Engineering Build Technician (NOF)** | 17-3021.00 |
| Aircraft Mechanic, Electrical | 49-2091.00 |
| Aircraft Mechanic, Plumb & Hydraulic | 51-2011.00 |
| Aircraft Metals Tech (Machinist/CNC/Welder) | 51-9161.00 |
| Assembler, Aircraft Structures | 51-2011.00 |
| Auto-Maintenance-Equipment Servicer | 49-9041.00 |
| Avionics Technician | 49-2091.00 |
| Basic Production Technician | 17-3026.00 |
| Biomedical Engineering Technician | 17-2031.00 |
| Biopharmaceutical Manufacturing Associate | 17-3026.00 |
| Building Maintenance Repairer (Step-Up) | 49-9071.00 |
| Boilermaker I | 47-2011.00 |
| Building Automation Technician | 17-3023.00 |
| Building Maintenance | 49-9071.00 |
| Building Maintenance Repairer (Ex. Title: Maintenance Repairer, Building) | 49-9071.00 |
| Calibration Laboratory Technician | 17-3023.00 |
| Calibration Technician (NOF) | 17-3028.00 |
| Chemical Engineering Technician | 19-4031.00 |
| Chemical Laboratory Technician | 19-4031.00 |
| Chemical Operator III | 51-9011.00 |
| CNC Machine Operator, Level 1 & 2 | 51-9161.00 |
| CNC Machinist | 51-9162.00 |
| CNC Machinist Level II | 51-9161.00 |
| CNC Operator and Programmer | 51-9162.00 |
| CNC Set-Up Programmer - Milling | 51-9162.00 |
| CNC Set-Up Programmer - Milling and Turning | 51-9162.00 |
| CNC Set-Up Programmer - Turning | 51-9162.00 |
| CNC Set-Up Programmer – Milling and Turning | 51-9162.00 |
| **CNC SET-UP PROG – MILLING** | 51-9162.00 |
| **CNC SET-UP PROG – MILLING AND TURNING** | 51-9162.00 |
| **CNC SET-UP PROG – TURNING** | 51-9162.00 |
| **CNC Set-Up Programmer-Milling and Turning (NOF)** | 51-9162.00 |
| **DIE MANUFACTURER** | 51-4111.00 |
| Computer Hardware Engineers | 17-2061.00 |
| Electronic Tech/Systems Control Specialist | 17-3023.00 |

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|---|---|
| Electrical & Instrumentation Technician | 17-3023.00 |
| Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technicians (NOF) | 17-3023.00 |
| Electrical Engineers | 17-2071.00 |
| Electrical Instrument Repairer | 17-3023.00 |
| Electrical Technician | 17-3023.00 |
| Electrician, Aircraft | 49-2091.00 |
| **ELECTROMECHANICAL TECHNICIAN** | 17-3024.00 |
| Electromechanical Technician CB | 17-3024.00 |
| Electronics Engineers, Except Computer | 17-2072.00 |
| Electronics Technician | 17-3023.00 |
| Firer, Marine (Alternate Title: Fireman, Oiler & Water tender) (Water Transportation) | 51-8021.00 |
| Fitter I (Any Ind) | 51-2041.00 |
| Form Builder-Manufacturing | 51-9195.00 |
| Fuel System Maintenance Worker | 49-9041.00 |
| **HARDENER-TOOL & DIE** | 51-4111.00 |
| **Hardware Engineer** | 17-2061.00 |
| Hydraulic Repairer | 49-9041.00 |
| Hydroelectric-Machinery Mechanic | 49-9041.00 |
| Industrial Automation Robotics Technician | 17-3024.01 |
| Industrial Engineering Technician | 17-3026.00 |
| Industrial Machinery Mechanic | 49-9041.00 |
| Industrial Machinist System Technician | 49-9041.00 |
| Industrial Maintenance Mechanic | 49-9041.00 |
| Industrial Maintenance Repairer | 49-9071.00 |
| Industrial Manufacturing Mechanical Maintenance Technician | 49-9071.00 |
| Industrial Manufacturing Technician | 17-3026.00 |
| Instrument Mechanic (Any Ind) | 17-3023.00 |
| Instrument Mechanic-HY - FL | 17-3023.00 |
| Instrument Repairer (Any Ind) | 17-3023.00 |
| Instrument Technician (Utilities) | 17-3023.00 |
| Instrumentation & Controls Technician | 17-3023.00 |
| Instrumentation and Controls Maintenance Technician | 17-3023.00 |
| Instrumentation Technician | 17-3023.00 |
| IT Lab Technician | 17-3023.00 |
| Logisticians | 13-1081.00 |
| Machine Maintenance Service & Repair | 49-9041.00 |
| Machine Repairer | 49-9041.00 |
| **MACHINE REPAIRER, MAINTENANCE** | 49-4041.00 |
| **MACHINIST** | 51-4041.00 |
| Machinist (Alternate Title: Precision Machinist) | 51-4041.00 |

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|---|---|
| Machinist, Outside (Ship) | 51-4041.00 |
| Maintenance Mechanic Any Industry | 49-9041.00 |
| Maintenance Mechanic (Alternate Title: Industrial Maintenance Mechanic) (0308 V1) Hybrid 5000-6000 Hours | 49-9041.00 |
| Maintenance Mechanic (Any Ind) (Alternate Title: Industrial Maintenance Mechanic) | 49-9041.00 |
| Maintenance & Repair Worker (Equipment Maintenance System Technician) - FL | 49-9071.00 |
| Maintenance Electrician | 49-9071.00 |
| Maintenance Mechanic | 49-9071.00 |
| Maintenance Mechanic | 49-9041.00 |
| Maintenance Production Technician | 17-3026.00 |
| Maintenance Repair Worker (Multi-Family Facilities) | 49-9071.00 |
| Maintenance Repair Worker Level 1 (Multi-Family Facilities) | 49-9071.00 |
| Maintenance Repair, Industrial | 49-9071.00 |
| Maintenance Repairer, Build | 49-9071.00 |
| Maintenance Repairer, Industrial | 49-9071.00 |
| Maintenance Technician | 49-9041.00 |
| Maintenance Technician | 49-9071.00 |
| Maintenance Technician I | 49-9071.00 |
| Manufactured Building and Mobile Home Installers | 49-9095.00 |
| Manufacturing & Production Technician I | 17-3026.00 |
| Manufacturing Production Technician (CB) | 17-3026.00 |
| Marine Engineer | 17-2121.00 |
| Marine Machinery Mechanic (Existing Title: Machine Repairer, Maintenance) | 49-9041.00 |
| Marine Services Technician | 49-9071.00 |
| Maritime Electronics Technician | 49-2093.00 |
| Maritime Outside Machinist | 51-4041.00 |
| Maritime Steel Shipfitter & Welder | 51-2041.00 |
| Mechanical Engineering Technician (NOF) | 17-3027.00 |
| Mechanical Maintenance | 49-9041.00 |
| Mechanical Maintenance | 49-9071.00 |
| Mechatronics Technician | 49-2094.00 |
| **Mechatronics Technician (Basic, fitter-focus)** | 49-2094.00 |
| **Mechatronics Technician (Intermediate, installer-focus)** | 49-2094.00 |
| **Mechatronics Installer (NOF)** | 49-2094.00 |
| Millwright | 49-9044.00 |
| Nanotechnology Engineering Technician | 17-3026.01 |
| Packaging And Filling Machine Operators and Tenders | 51-9111.00 |
| Powerhouse Mechanic | 49-9041.00 |

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|---|---|
| Powerhouse Mechanic - Talen Energy | 49-9041.00 |
| Production Machinery Mechanic (Existing Title: Machine Repairer) | 49-9041.00 |
| Production Technician, Level 1 | 17-3026.00 |
| Quality Control Technician | 17-3026.00 |
| Quality Technician | 17-3026.00 |
| Repairer, Welding Equipment | 49-9041.00 |
| Rigger | 49-9096.00 |
| Robotics Technician | 17-3024.01 |
| Semiconductor Processing Technician (NOF) | 51-9141.00 |
| Sheet Metal Worker | 47-2211.00 |
| Shipfitter (Ship & Boat) | 51-4192.00 |
| Simulator Technician | 17-3023.00 |
| Surface Mount/Circuit Board Technician | 51-9141.00 |
| System Field Technician | 17-3023.00 |
| Tool And Die Maker | 51-4111.00 |
| **TOOL AND DIE MAKER (DIE MANUFACTURER)** | 51-4111.00 |
| Utility Operations Oper | 49-9071.00 |
| Welder, Combination | 51-4121.00 |
| **Welding (Existing Title: Welder, Combination)** | 51-4121.00 |
| Yacht Service Technician | 49-9071.00 |

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