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## **Northeast Wisconsin Technical College**

## 31-413-330 022710 Line Electrician Field Training 1

## **Course Outcome Summary**

## **Course Information**

**Description** 31-413-330 LINE ELECTRICIAN FIELD TRAINING 1 ...This course introduces

students to a career as a line electrician. Students will learn pole climbing

techniques, operate digger derrick trucks and bucket trucks, design and construction of single phase power distribution systems. CPR and First Aid certifications are

received in this course.

Total Credits 5

Total Hours 180

## **Course History**

Last Revision

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## **Employability Skills**

Communicate Effectively

Demonstrate Community and Global Accountability

**Demonstrate Personal Accountability** 

Solve Problems Effectively

Think Critically and Creatively

Value Individual Differences and Abilities

Work Cooperatively and Professionally

## **Program Outcomes**

TSA1 - Apply electrical theory

TSA2 - Construct overhead electrical distribution systems

TSA3 - Disassemble overhead electrical distribution systems

TSA4 - Construct underground electrical distribution systems

TSA5 - Disassemble underground electrical distribution systems

TSA6 - Construct overhead electrical transmission system

## **Course Competencies**

## 1. Layout single-phase line

Assessment Strategies by laying out single-phase line

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 1.a. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
- 1.b. Assist in staking out pole line
- 1.c. Interpret stacking sheet/map

#### Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

you site a straight line when laying out single phase distribution line you use stacking sheets to layout single phase distribution line

## 2. Install poles in single-phase system

**Assessment Strategies** 

by installing poles in single/three-phase system

## **Learning Objectives**

- 2.a. Set the pole
- 2.b. Interpret work order, plat map, stacking sheets
- 2.c. Terminate wires to the overhead system
- 2.d. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

#### Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

you verify that all existing UD facilities have been located you interpret work orders, plat maps, stacking sheets you assist in staking out a pole line you load & unload poles on a pole trailer you set pole to proper depth you plumb the pole you face the pole you backfill & tamp newly set pole

## 3. String single-phase overhead line

## **Assessment Strategies**

by stringing single-phase overhead line

## **Learning Objectives**

- 3.a. Install stringing pulleys/dolleys
- 3.b. Install rope for conductor stringing
- 3.c. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

## Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

you replace rope by pulling wire you install rope for conductor stringing you install stringing pulleys/dolleys you wind wire on capstan

## 4. Sag single-phase overhead line

#### **Assessment Strategies**

by sagging single-phase overhead line

## **Learning Objectives**

4.a. Demonstrate proper sagging techniques

4.b. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

#### Criteria

#### Your performance will be successful when:

you sag the wire depending on length of span, size of the wire and outdoor temperature

you sag conductors using stop watch method

you sag conductors using dynameter

you sag conductors using sagging boards

## 5. Tie in single-phase overhead line

#### **Assessment Strategies**

by tying single-phase overhead

## **Learning Objectives**

5.a. Demonstrate a wire tie

5.b. Install armour rod

5.c. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

#### Criteria

## Your performance will be successful when:

you deadend the conductors

you make wire tie

you install armor rod

you clip in conductors with wire tie

you you clip in conductors with preform tie

## 6. Install a single-phase transformer

## **Assessment Strategies**

by installing a single-phase transformer

#### **Learning Objectives**

6.a. Demonstrates correct procedure for installing a single phase transformer.

6.b. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

#### Criteria

## Your performance will be successful when:

you install transformer using a gin

you install transformer using a digger derrick truck

you make all the proper connections

you frame the pole for a single-phase transformer

## 7. Frame poles for single-phase

#### **Assessment Strategies**

by framing poles for single-phase

#### **Learning Objectives**

7.a. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

7.b. Identify overhead hardware

7.c. Review proper hardware installation according to construction standards

#### Criteria

#### Your performance will be successful when:

you drill bolt holes for installation

you install hardware and equipment

you install cross arms you install ground rods and connect ground wires you install fuse cut-out and lighting arrester

## 8. Perform proper pole climbing

**Assessment Strategies** by properly climbing poles

## **Learning Objectives**

8.a. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

8.b. Climb wood poles

#### Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

you use a safety strap

you belt in and belt off of wood poles

you double belt wood poles

you ascend and descend free hand

you ascend and descend belted in

you coordinate hand and foot movement

you lengthen and shorten safety strap properly to perform work

you move around the pole free hand

you move around the pole belted in

you climb over cross arms and obstruction

you hang a handline while on the pole

you preform work with two hands

## 9. Perform proper truck operation

**Assessment Strategies** 

by performing proper truck operation

#### **Learning Objectives**

9.a. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)9.b. Demonstrate signals for boom operations

9.c. Operate digger derrick truck

9.d. Operate bucket truck

## Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

you perform DOT inspection of vehicle

you start engine

you positions truck for work, check soil, road, and shoulder

you properly guard the work site

you engage PTO

you operate lower controls

you perform inspection of digger derrick/bucket truck prior to use

you raise and cradle the boom

you raise outriggers

you disengage PTO

you attach trailer, detach trailer and park trailer

you back vehicle and trailer

you use hand signals

you locate and operate pedestal override controls

## 10. Demonstrate vehicle maneuvering

**Assessment Strategies** 

by demonstrating vehicle maneuvering

**Learning Objectives** 

10.a. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

- 10.b. Accept responsibility when driving school vehicles
- 10.c. Demonstrate proper back up procedures
- 10.d. Recognize all hand signals

#### Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

you will drive school vehicle in a safe and respectful manor

you inspect vehicle before use

you will backup vehicle using a spotter

you will demonstrate all hand signals before vehicle use

## 11. Use hand and power tools

## **Assessment Strategies**

by using hand and power tools

## **Learning Objectives**

- 11.a. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
- 11.b. Display proper use of hand tools
- 11.c. Display proper use of power tools

#### Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

you select correct tools.

you inspect tools.

you adjust tools before and during each use.

you clean and inspect tools.

you store tools in correct location.

## 12. Tie knots and splice ropes

## **Assessment Strategies**

by tying knots and splicing rope

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 12.a. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
- 12.b. Demonstrate how to tie knots
- 12.c. Demonstrate hoe to splice rope

#### Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

you tie a bowline

you tie a double bowline

you tie a bowline on a bight

you tie a running bowline

you tie a triple (rescue) bowline

you tie a square knot

you tie a figure eight knot

you tie a sheepshank

you tie a overhand knot

you tie two half-hitches

you tie a round turn and two half-hitches

you tie a snubber

you tie a catspaw

you tie a timber hitch

you make a back splice

you make a short splice

you make eye splice

## 13. Demonstrate rigging techniques

#### **Assessment Strategies**

#### by demonstrating proper rigging techniques

## **Learning Objectives**

13.a. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

13.b. Demonstrate proper rigging techniques

#### Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

you demonstrate proper use of slings you make-up blocks you inspect blocks you properly handle blocks and rigging equipment

#### 14. Set anchors

# Assessment Strategies by installing anchors

## **Learning Objectives**

14.a. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

14.b. Demonstrate proper procedures for setting anchors

#### Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

you will prepare an anchor to be installed you will set the truck up to install an anchor you will install anchor in the ground

## 15. Make up down guys

Assessment Strategies by making up a down guy

#### **Learning Objectives**

15.a. Utilize Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

15.b. Demonstrate proper placement of down guys on a pole

15.c. Demonstrate how to fasten down guy to anchor

#### Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

you will make a down guy using correct material you will attach a down guy to a pole you will attach a down guy to an anchor you will install a guy guard to the down guy

## 16. Participate in Heartsaver CPR.

Assessment Strategies

by participating in Heartsaver CPR.

#### **Learning Objectives**

16.a. Administer first aid16.b. Administer CPR16.c. Utilize a AED

## Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

you perfrom first aid you perform CPR you utilize a AED