FREE WELDING CAREER TRAINING & GUARANTEED JOB PLACEMENT

EXCLUSIVELY FOR TRANSITIONING ACTIVE-DUTY SERVICE MEMBERS

PROGRAM INFORMATION & CLASS SCHEDULES

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT THE CAREER SKILLS PROGRAM OFFICE AT (719) 526-1195/1197/8549

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What is Veterans in Piping (VIP)?
• A career skills training program that provides accelerated welding training, which promises a career in the pipe trades industry with living wages and full benefits for those who successfully complete the program.
• VIP is 18 weeks in duration, running Monday through Thursday from 06:00 – 16:30.
• The Welding VIP program is located at Ft. Carson UA VIP, 5050 Tevis St., Colorado Springs, CO 80913
• Upon successful completion of the training program, graduates are provided direct entry into a five-year UA apprenticeship program at an agreed upon local union nationwide and guaranteed job placement with a UA signatory contractor.

What are the requirements for application?
• Applicant must be on active-duty with an ETS/EAS within 60 days of course completion or have sufficient terminal leave to meet that obligation.
• Correctable vision to 20/20 (No contacts during welding training).
• Be able to stand for long periods of time.
• Be able to lift 50 pounds.
• Secure Command authorization to participate.
• Applicant must possess a valid driver’s license.
• Command-approved applicants will be scheduled for interviews with UA Representatives to determine final selection.
• Must be willing to provide three different geographical locations in which job placement would be acceptable.

How do I apply?
Career Skills Program Office
Building 6236 (Connected to SFL-TAP), 0730 - 1600
Phone: 719-526-2096, 719-526-1197 or 719-526-8549
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For additional information, including the application process and upcoming program schedules, please visit UAVIP.org.