



HEAVY EQUIPMENT MECHANIC (HEM)

Salary: \$5,121.00 - \$6,477.00

Under direction, HEM construct, repair, and maintain automotive and construction equipment. In addition, HEM may instruct and lead or direct the work of apprentices, helpers, Service Assistants, or other employees.

Typical tasks include inspect equipment and maintain automobiles, trucks, tractors, power shovels, graders, snowplows, pumps, air compressors, and engines. Construct, modify, and install equipment while maintain tools and machinery used in repair and maintenance. Beside keeping simple records and creating reports, a HEM may instruct and lead the work of helpers, apprentices, Service Assistants, and other employees.

Got What It Takes?

Either



Possession of a valid California Class 3 driver license and either the completion of a recognized apprenticeship as a gas and diesel-powered truck mechanic, or a heavy construction equipment mechanic.



Four years of varied mechanical experience on gas and diesel powered trucks or heavy construction equipment. An Associate of Arts Degree in Heavy Equipment Maintenance, Diesel Mechanics, or Heavy Equipment Mechanics.



Three years performing the duties of a Heavy Equipment Mechanic Apprentice in the California state service, at least two years of which shall have included experience on gasoline and diesel-powered heavy construction or highway maintenance equipment.



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