

# WAGE GRADE CAREER PATH

WG 4605

WOOD CRAFTER

This occupation covers nonsupervisory work which involves making and repairing high-grade wooden items such as fine cabinetry and furniture. The work involves shaping and contouring surfaces; precise, intricate joining and decorating; skilled use of the full range of woodworking tools, machines, and techniques; and application of extensive knowledge of the appearance, durability, strength, and machining characteristics of a wide range of wood and wood substitutes.

## Journeyman

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| 1 | Continue required on-the-job and formal classroom training required in Civilian Training Plan   |
| 2 | Complete task qualifications for current position   |
| 3 | Complete task certifications for current position   |
| 4 | Master common to complex work tasks. At Grade 10, wood crafters make and repair high grade wooden items such as cabinetry, furniture, orthopedic devices, and decorative woodwork for use in homes, offices, planes, boats, ships, and for medical and other uses. These items have intricate, precise and fancy features and details such as curved and contoured surfaces, marquetry, book-matched panels, scrollwork, friezes, inlays, and complex joints. Grade 10 wood crafters plan and lay out their work from specifications, blueprints, sketches, and oral instructions. They select, cut, turn, shape, join, bond, fit, assemble, and decorate wooden materials and parts, using the full range of hand and power woodworking tools, machines, and techniques. |
| 5 | Provide production support services   |
| 6 | Maintain successful to above average performance ratings  |

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