

# JOB ROLE

# BUILDER'S LABOURER

## LEVEL OF GROWTH FOR JOB ROLE



- > Projected change of +8.7%
- > From 60,600 in 2021 to 65,800 in 2026

## AVERAGE SALARY FOR OCCUPATION



**Entry level**  
(1-3 years' experience)



**Senior**  
(8+ years' experience)

## WHAT DO EMPLOYERS WANT?



### SPECIALISED SKILLS

- > Construction Labour
- > Traffic Management
- > Power Tools
- > Customer Service
- > Teamwork/Collaboration

### EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS

- > Communication Skills
- > Planning
- > Verbal/Oral Communication
- > Detail-Orientated
- > Mentoring

### DIGITAL SKILLS

- > Microsoft Word
- > Microsoft Office
- > Microsoft Excel

## EMPLOYMENT PROSPECTS



### TOP SOUTH AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIES WHO ADVERTISED FOR THIS JOB ROLE IN THE PREVIOUS 12 MONTHS:

- > Other Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction
- > Hardware and Building Supplies Retailing
- > Oil and Gas Extraction
- > Engineering Design and Engineering Consulting Services
- > Road and Bridge Construction

### TOP SOUTH AUSTRALIAN EMPLOYERS WHO ADVERTISED FOR THIS JOB ROLE IN THE PREVIOUS 12 MONTHS:

- > EIR Labour Hire SA
- > Jeld Wen Incorporated
- > Felix Transport
- > Ventia
- > Trayne Consulting

### LOOK FOR JOBS BEING ADVERTISED USING THESE JOB TITLES:

- > Construction Labourer/Worker
- > Civil Construction Labourer/Worker



## YOU MIGHT CONSIDER UNDERTAKING STUDY TO TRANSITION INTO THESE RELATED JOB ROLES:

- > Fibrous Plasterer
- > Sign Erector
- > Carpenter and Joiner



### QUALIFICATION PATHWAYS

**Looking to progress your career?** TAFE SA can help you further your study with these courses (\*fees may apply)

- > Certificate II in Civil Construction (RII20720)
- > Certificate III in Civil Construction Plant Operations (RII30820)

Or undertake a range of short courses to supplement your existing knowledge or continue upskilling.

Further information available on the TAFESA website.



### NETWORKING WITH INDUSTRY

Networking with industry provides you with opportunities to gain employment, advance your career and stay current with industry changes.

Upcoming conferences and workshops are an excellent way to introduce yourself to key industry contacts.

Consider these opportunities to find employment:

- > Send your resume to relevant businesses in your local area
- > Look for employment opportunities advertised on
  - the TAFE SA Jobs Board
  - online employment websites like Seek
  - the job board on your local Regional Development Australia (RDA) website



### CAREER SUPPORT

**Not sure where to start?** TAFE SA's Student Services can provide you with a range of career planning support including:

- > career planning
- > write a winning resume
- > how to respond to selection criteria
- > cover letters that stand out
- > preparing for job interviews

**To find out more, or to book an appointment, visit TAFE SA's Career Support Page: [Career Support \(tafesa.edu.au\)](https://www.tafesa.edu.au)**

#### Data sources:

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