

Gallegos

Building Solutions
for Distinctive Projects

The Gallegos Corporation has developed a culture of family. Many employees have been with the company their entire career.

Learn more about becoming part of the extraordinary team at Gallegos by attending our next corporate orientation. Find out what a career at Gallegos is really like – listen to employees talk about their work, tour a job site and have lunch on us! If you like what you see, join the Gallegos family – you can even fill out an application right there.

Find information about our upcoming orientation at careers.gallegoscorp.com or give us a call at **970.926.3737**.



“IF YOU LIKE TO WORK OUTSIDE, AND WITH YOUR HANDS AND LIKE TO HAVE YOUR MIND STIMULATED AND ENJOY THE MOUNTAIN LIFE, THEN THIS IS THE JOB FOR YOU.”

– SETH COLE, CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER

MISSION STATEMENT

Lead our industry by creating value for our customers, employees and communities through safe, quality construction of the highest professional standard.

VISION

Excellence • Distinction • Community

WORK IN VAIL

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Wolcott, CO 81655
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970.926.3727 (fax)

WORK IN DENVER

3180 South Platte River Drive
Englewood, CO 80110
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WORK IN ASPEN

24505 Highway 82
Basalt, CO 81621
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THE GALLEGOS CORPORATION APPRENTICE PROGRAM



Consider a career
that is a cut above



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“WHAT WE DO IS NOT JUST CONSTRUCTION BUT A WORK OF ART! YOU CAN BRAG ABOUT IT TO YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS.”

– JOE KLEBER, CONCRETE SITE SUPERINTENDENT



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LEARN A SKILL THAT IS IN DEMAND

There are over five million workers in the construction trades in the U.S. and the average age is 55 or older.* That means that there is, and will continue to be, a shortage in skilled labor and those with the skills will be well-paid and in demand. According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics the construction trades of masonry and concrete are predicted to grow 34% through the year 2022. *Source: Adecco USA

WHY SHOULD YOU WORK FOR GALLEGOS?

It's a career, a craft and a culture. The Gallegos Corporation has been supplying the stone and masonry, tile, marble, granite, concrete, plaster and stucco industry with talent and materials to Colorado and the nation since 1970. With more than 450 employees and a continued emphasis on quality, customer experience and education, Gallegos is the first choice for contractors all over the country. Gallegos has many employees who have been with the company for 20 years or more.

You're smart, you enjoy working with your hands and creating something that will stand the test of time. Gallegos wants you to join our team.

Gallegos offers:

- 401K • Health insurance benefits • Paid time off • Competitive wages
- Comfort of working for a stable company while living in the Rocky Mountains
- Great career advancement opportunities

To become a Gallegos apprentice you must be at least 18 years old, have a high school diploma or received your GED. You must also be physically capable of work without posing a threat to your safety or the safety of those around you.

WHAT KIND OF WORK WILL YOU DO?

Gallegos' employees build specialty projects large and small that include stone, concrete, marble, tile, plaster and stucco. You may work on a project as small as a fireplace or as large as a resort or football stadium.

New employees without experience begin as apprentices, helping more experienced workers, called journeymen, out in the field. As your experience grows, so does your responsibility and pay. It usually takes 3-4 years of work, experience and education to advance to the level of journeyman.

Your career path at Gallegos can take you as far as you want to go.

PAY: \$14-16 / HOUR DEPENDENT ON EXPERIENCE, WITH INCREASES AS EACH APPRENTICE PROGRAM SEMESTER IS COMPLETE (EVERY 3-6 MONTHS).

FROM THE CONSTRUCTION SITE TO THE CLASSROOM

That's unique to the industry. Each semester Gallegos provides up to 17 employees an opportunity to enroll in The Gallegos Corporation Apprenticeship Program. What that means is that you are mentored in the field while you take classes to learn the basics and beyond. But unlike traditional classroom environments, you earn your hourly wage while you learn. Each semester you complete you will receive a bump in your hourly rate. *The more classes you take, the more money you make.*

Gallegos' apprentice curriculum has been certified by the Department of Labor as well as the National Center for Construction Education and Research (NCCER). Since its inception, the program has expanded to include more than 60 trades and is recognized by thousands of companies globally. This program gives you industry-recognized credentials that designate you as a trained and highly skilled craftsman. What you learn at Gallegos can translate to any construction site in the country.



WHY DOES EDUCATION MATTER TO GALLEGOS?

Working with materials such as stone, concrete and plaster is an art form as well as a skill. Contractors from all over the country hire Gallegos because they know their projects will be completed with care and precision. Gallegos employees are some of the most talented craftspeople in the country because they are highly trained and have the ability to troubleshoot on site, think critically and use their creativity, experience and knowledge to ensure all aspects of a project are completed with unparalleled quality. Our educated and dedicated workforce is what makes Gallegos stand out from the competition.

WHAT KINDS OF CLASSES WILL I TAKE?

You will begin by taking core classes on such topics as:

- Basic Safety • Hand Tools • How to Use Power Tools • Communication Skills
- Employability Skills • Construction Drawings • Construction Math
- Basic Rigging • Introduction to Materials Handling

Specialized training: Once you have completed the core classes you can take specialized classes in masonry, including Stone and Brick (3 year course) or Concrete, including Form Work, Placing and Finishing Concrete (3-4 year course). Most classes are offered in Spanish.

Apprentice is responsible for an initial fee of \$180 for textbooks, which will be reimbursed to the apprentice upon successful completion of each semester.

Our Instructors: In the classroom and on the job site, our apprentices are taught by instructors who are certified as master trainers, craft instructors or industry experts. These instructors have decades of experience and have kept up with industry trends and provide expert guidance in all areas pertaining to your career. Many of our instructors are also fluent in both English and Spanish.

“MY JOB AT GALLEGOS NEVER GETS BORING. I WAKE UP AND I WANT TO DO WHAT I'M DOING!”

— MANUEL ORTIZ, MASONRY FOREMAN

HOW DO I WORK AND TAKE CLASSES?

New Gallegos apprentices begin working right away in the field alongside their mentors and instructors. Apprentices take classes one evening a week at the Wolcott, Colorado location, in classroom space designed and built specifically for this program. Gallegos makes your work schedule conducive to attend your classes and can make housing recommendations as needed.

