

LINE MECHANIC

Install, repair and maintain overhead and underground power lines.

What they do?

They erect or replace power poles, string cables between poles, test lines and circuits, locate and repair faults, install electricity transformers and connect equipment to the network.

Skills and knowledge you'll learn

- How electricity works and the systems used
- Technical and practical skills, including the ability to use and care for equipment
- Understanding industry safety regulations
- Reading plans and maps
- First aid skills, including how to perform CPR

Personal requirements

- Reliable
- Able to work well in a team and on your own
- Safety-conscious
- Able to work under pressure
- Able to follow instructions

Qualification

NZ Certificate in Electricity Supply Line Mechanic Level 4

Length of training

2-3 years

Career Path

- Trainee Line Mechanic
- Line Mechanic
- Team Leader Supervisor
- Delivery Manager
- Operations Manager

