

**FINISHING TRADES INSTITUTE OF THE OHIO REGION
APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM ● 2026-2027 CLASS SCHEDULE**

FIRST SEMESTER

**CINCINNATI INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICE CENTER
200 KOVACH DR, CINCINNATI, OH 45215**

APPRENTICE SCHEDULE 2026-2027: CINCINNATI

PAINTER-DECORATOR (Commercial)

Time: 7:00 AM - 3:30 PM

| YEAR | WEEK 1 | | WEEK 2 | |
|--------|--------------|------------|---------------|----------------|
| | Date | Instructor | Date | Instructor |
| FIRST | 8/10-14/2026 | Duane | 10/19-23/2026 | Duane & Justin |
| SECOND | 8/25-27/2026 | Duane | 9/15-17/2026 | Duane |
| THIRD | 8/25-27/2026 | Duane | 9/15-17/2026 | Duane |
| FOURTH | 8/25-27/2026 | Duane | 9/15-17/2026 | Duane |

DRYWALL FINISHERS

Time: 7:00 AM - 3:30 PM

| YEAR | WEEK 1 | | WEEK 2 | |
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| | Date | Instructor | Date | Instructor |
| FIRST | 8/10-14/2026 | Duane | 10/19-23/2026 | Duane & Justin |
| SECOND | 8/4-6/2026 | Justin | 9/9-11/2026 | Justin |
| THIRD | 8/4-6/2026 | Justin | 9/9-11/2026 | Justin |

GLAZIER

Time: 7:00 AM - 3:30 PM

| YEAR | WEEK 1 | | WEEK 2 | |
|--------|--------------|------------|---------------|----------------|
| | Date | Instructor | Date | Instructor |
| FIRST | 8/10-14/2026 | Duane | 10/19-23/2026 | Duane & Justin |
| SECOND | 9/22-24/2026 | Matt | 10/27-29/2026 | Matt |
| THIRD | 9/22-24/2026 | Matt | 10/27-29/2026 | Matt |
| FOURTH | 9/22-24/2026 | Matt | 10/27-29/2026 | Matt |

Contact your Instructor if you have ANY questions:

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NOTE: Dates and times of scheduled courses are subject to change if a scheduling conflict arises. Please check the website at www.ftior.edu for the most up-to-date schedule. The Training office will make every effort to notify you in advance. Contact the Union Hall if your phone number or address changes, so you can receive notification.

Full week - five 8 hour days

Three 8 Hour Days -

Day 1 & 5 are Hybrid

Updated: 5/26/2026