

Kimberly Sample

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Qualifications:

- Graduate of Oregon Tradeswomen Pre-apprenticeship program with perfect attendance
- 4 yrs. experience as a kitchen assistant/cook; physically demanding position
- Well-versed with safe use of hand and power tools
- Committed to the strong work ethic expected in trades. Timely and reliable.
- Team and goal oriented; accepts feedback as a chance to learn and improve
- Bi-lingual: fluent in Spanish and English

Trades Related Experience:

- **Replaced stair treads:** tore out existing treads with flat bar and sledge; cut and installed laminate risers using a chopsaw, jigsaw and pneumatic nailer. Ensured that each tread was level using a 2' level, shims, construction adhesive and caulk gun.
- **Built a gable roof:** cut common rafters with pointed rafter tails with using a framing square, jigsaw, circular saw and bevel square. Laid out rafters, transferred measurements onto ridge board; attached rafters to ridge board at a 4/12 pitch; Worked with crew to lift finished roof frame from ground onto pre-set 4X4 post. Required ladders and excellent communication.
- **Framed floor for an outdoor shed:** Measured and cut rim joists using a circular saw, per plans. Installed on existing pier blocks. Performed framing layout at 16" on center. Cut joists to length using circular saw and installed using Simpson strongties, framing hammer, 6' level and joist hanger nails.
- **Built residential handrails:** dug 24" hole using post hole digger, measured, cut and positioned 4X4 posts plumb using 4' level and circular saw; braced using stakes and cordless drill; mixed and poured concrete. Determined stair angle using speed square. Transferred angle to 2x lumber and cut using a compound miter saw. Fastened using outdoor screws and cordless drill.
- **Built wooden planter boxes:** Measured and cut 2x6 lumber using circular saw; attached using a cordless impact driver and speed square. Fastened boxes on top of one another by adding measuring, cutting and installing 4x post material in corners.
- **Re-glaze Residential Window:** Remove old glazing from Victorian-era residential home. Remove points and broken glass. Re-surfaced window joints using chisel and sandpaper and oiled. Set new class, installed new glazing points and applied new bead of glazing. Shaped glazing and removed excess to ensure clean, even appearance.
- **Landscape maintenance:** remove small trees using loppers and handsaw; mowed 3 acres of tall grass using tractor fitted with mower. Raked debris and removed to compost area using farm cart. Hand-weeded 50' of walkway. Removed tree stumps by hand-excavating down 2', chaining stump and removing with tractor. Filled and tamped hole and replanted.

Education and Training:

- Oregon Tradeswomen Pre-apprenticeship Program 2013
- OSHA 10 General Construction Safety 2013
- GED; Portland Community College 2010

Work History:

- Spanish Teachers Assistant MHCC 03/11-06/11
- English Teacher Acadmia Europea 11/09-10/10
- Kitchen Assistant/Cook Cherry Blossom Cottage 01/05-02/09

