

New Brunswick Teen Apprenticeship (NBTAP) Summer Employment Opportunity

POWERLINE TECHNICIAN

Employer: SAINT JOHN ENERGY

Location: Saint John, NB

Competition Number: NBTAP: 031-2023

Competition Closing Date: March 31, 2023

Pay Scale: For NBTAP Students - **\$17.41 per hour**

If you have an interest in a career in Powerline Technician, this position is for you. This is a unique opportunity to work with a highly skilled business in beautiful Saint John, New Brunswick. **Please ensure that you have transportation to arrive to and from work.**

To apply for this position, send your resume and cover letter, with references to nbtap@qnb.ca

- Ensure your cover letter contains the Competition Number and Job Title for this opportunity.
- Provide three references with their full contact information (first and last name, email, and phone number)
- Indicate two other skilled trades areas of interest, to ensure that we might be able to accommodate you within another employment area, if unsuccessful.

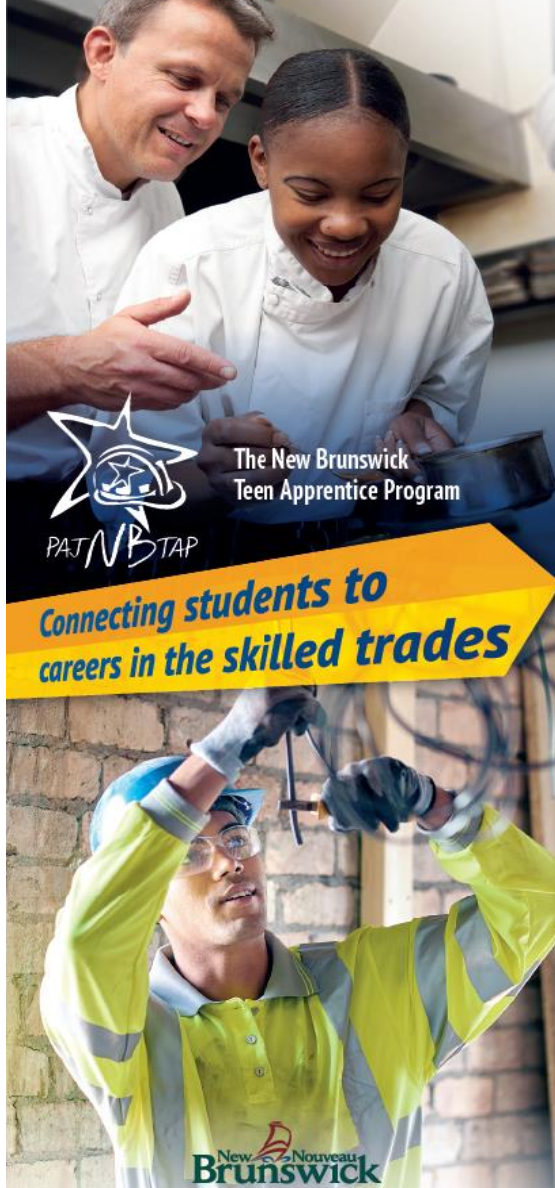
Company Profile:

At home, at work and at play, customers of Saint John Energy can count on them to keep their power on and their rates stable. They have done this successfully, year after year. They are relentless in their goal to provide their customers with innovative, convenient, reliable energy solutions that provide comfort, save money and help protect the environment. They partner with their owner, the [City of Saint John](#), and with [NB Power](#), their wholesale energy provider, and employ over 100 people to bring their customer-focused and innovative energy solutions.

They are committed to helping their customers find the right energy products and services for their home and business. Their suite of products and services will help keep customers safe, energy-efficient, and comfortable year-round. Their hassle-free rental programs allow customers to have high-quality, energy-efficient products in their home without huge upfront costs. Plus, they cover the delivery, installation and ongoing service for the duration of customer's rental. Whether customers looking to learn more about energy rates, make energy-efficient upgrades to their home or conduct work safely around a power line, Saint John Energy is here to help. Saint John Energy is celebrating 100 years of excellence in energy solutions. As we embark on this notable milestone, we'd like to take the opportunity to reflect on how far our electric utility company has come since formed in 1922 and look forward to the next century of determination and new energy innovations for our community. To learn more, visit their website at: <https://www.sjenergy.com>

Qualifications:

- High school student in Grade 10 through to 12
- Interested in skilled trades in the area of Welding
- A team player
- Reliable and committed to working hard
- Effective hand-eye coordination
- Understands the importance of time management
- Possess effective time management skills
- Uses effective communication and listening skills, including active listening skills
- Demonstrates customer service ability (Examples: polite, friendly, approachable)
- Willingness to learn new skills from a qualified mentor



The role of a Powerline Technician Pre-Apprentice may consist of these duties:

- Use and maintenance all required equipment in a safe and effective manner
- Utilize proper personal protective equipment at all times
- Interact with the employer, mentor, co-workers, and general public
- Be a member of an effective workforce team
- Assist with erecting safety barriers and cordoning off work areas to ensure public safety
- Assist in installing temporary safety grounds for personnel, vehicles, structures and equipment
- Assist in conducting potential check on lines
- Understands the policies and governing the prompt reporting of personal injury
- Basic First Aid and knowledge of first aid kit locations and supplies
- Assist in interpreting data and wires
- Assist in checking for output voltages by using voltmeter

Training: NBTAP Students will also be required to complete work ready sessions such as Respectful Workplace, Basic Tools, Safety and Employer Expectations arranged through the NBTAP coordinator prior to commencing employment. Also, employers may have orientation training required to be completed.

Employment Commencement Date: July 2, 2023 **Employment Completion Date:** August 28, 2023

If you require any assistance, please contact your NBTAP School Champion.

If you think this is an area of interest for you, please apply today!