



Ferryboat Specialist I

Salary Group: B21
Class Code: 9832

CLASS TITLE	CLASS CODE	SALARY GROUP	SALARY RANGE
FERRYBOAT SPECIALIST I	9832	B21	\$51,278 - \$82,901
FERRYBOAT SPECIALIST II	9834	B22	\$54,614 - \$88,703
FERRYBOAT SPECIALIST III	9836	B23	\$58,184 - \$94,913

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Performs highly complex (senior-level) ferryboat specialist work. Work involves maintaining and repairing a ferryboat. May provide guidance to others. Works under limited supervision, with moderate latitude for the use of initiative and independent judgment.

DISTINGUISHING CHARACTERISTICS

The Ferryboat Specialist job classification series is intended for employees who maintain and repair ferryboats. In contrast, the Ferryboat Captain job classification series does not focus on maintaining and repairing ferryboats; rather, employees in that series are responsible for piloting and navigating a ferryboat and ensuring the safety and welfare of a vessel, crew, passengers, vehicles, and other public property. Also, the Ferryboat Deckhand job classification series focuses on loading and unloading vehicles and passengers onto and off a ferryboat.

EXAMPLES OF WORK PERFORMED

Coordinates and/or performs routine repairs; preventative maintenance; and adjustments on various machinery, equipment, systems, or components.

Coordinates and/or conducts vessel refueling operations and the discharge of wastewater in accordance with safety regulations and in compliance with state and federal laws.

Ensures the proper start, operation, and securing of all main propulsion, steering, auxiliary, standby machinery, equipment, and related systems for the operation of vessels under normal and/or emergency conditions.

Observes, analyzes, and interprets reports, machinery and equipment operation trends as they apply to machinery or equipment conditions; and makes recommendation for repair or corrective action.

Inspects and conducts operational tests of emergency generators; fire-fighting; dewatering pumps; and other associated equipment, piping, and systems; and operates and secures equipment under emergency conditions.

Reads and interprets blueprints, sketches, simple electrical diagrams, and piping and mechanical drawings.

Monitors and trains personnel performing routine repairs, cleaning, and preventative maintenance duties; and coordinates basic systems operation and casualty controls.

Maintains logs on watch activities, operating machinery, and equipment statistics; and maintains machinery history and repair records.

May provide guidance to others.

Performs related work as assigned.

GENERAL QUALIFICATION GUIDELINES

EXPERIENCE AND EDUCATION

Experience in maintaining boats or ships. Graduation from a standard senior high school or equivalent is generally preferred. Experience and education may be substituted for one another.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

Knowledge of applicable industry safety standards, guidelines, and specifications codes; laws, rules, and regulations; and the repair and maintenance of marine vessels.

Skill in maintaining ferryboats, firefighting, using tools and equipment, and maintaining a safe work environment.

Ability to follow instructions; work from drawings, diagrams, and blueprints; communicate effectively; and provide guidance to others.

REGISTRATION, CERTIFICATION, OR LICENSURE

May require specific U.S. Coast Guard certifications and/or document(s) appropriate for the vessel(s) being operated. Must have or be able to obtain transportation worker identification credentials.