This training outline represents a minimum standard in terms of work processes and related instruction which are required to achieve skilled worker status. It is recognized that rapid technological and regulatory changes (such as the use of computer-aided drafting and computer-aided manufacturing) will frequently result in the need for mastery of additional on-the-job or theoretical instruction.

**WORK PROCESSES**

A. **Power Hack Saw and Manual/Power Bandsaw**
   Selecting cutting blade, proper speed, clamping, measuring, safety.

B. **Lathe**
   Centering, facing, straight turning, shoulder turning, taper turning, threading, knurling, checkwork (drilling, boring, reaming, finishing, chuck and face plate turning), steady rest and follow rest, offset tailstock and compound, necking, recessing, filing, lapping, polishing, form turning, tapping, tools and centers, speeds and feeds, lubricants, safety.

C. **Milling Machine – Vertical and Horizontal**
   Selection of cutter, methods of holding work (vise, clamps, dividing head, circular table), rough milling, plain milling, surface milling, milling to accurate depth, accurate depth and various width cuts, angle cuts with plain cutter, taper and face milling, T slot milling, milling to irregular laid out line, internal milling, making jigs and fixtures, sawing, boring, flycutter milling, keyway cutting, form milling, spline milling, removing stock, lubricants, safety.

D. **Grinders**
   **Surface Grinders (500 hrs.)**
   Selecting grinding wheel, mounting wheel, surface grinding, angle grinding, squaring, method of holding work, form and dovetail grinding, magnetic chuck (dressing), dressing wheels, safety.
D. **Grinders** - continued

**Cylindrical Grinder** (400 hrs.)
Selecting and mounting grinding wheel, straight and taper cylinder grinding, cutter, face and form grinding.

**Internal Grinder** (300 hrs.)
Selecting and mounting grinding wheel, dressing wheel, mounting work in chuck, mounting work in faceplate, rough and finish cuts.

**Universal Grinder** (300 hrs.)
Selecting and mounting wheels, dressing wheels; straight, taper, angle, face, form, ID grinding, safety.

E. **Drill Press**
300
Tapping, drilling, reaming, counterboring, honing, lapping, grinding drills, speeds and feeds, safety.

F. **Die and Fixture**
1,000
Filing, assembling, layout of holes, lapping, measuring with height gauge, hack-sawing, layout and make simple dies and fixtures.

G. **Bench, Layout and Assembly**
1,000
Filing, assembling, layout of holes, lapping, measuring with height gauge, hack-sawing, indicating use of gauge blocks, deburring, assembly and fitting, safety.

H. **Welding**
250
Clamping, weld preparation, selection of rod, stick welding, arc welding, MIG and TIG welding, brazing, soldering, safety.

I. **Shaper**
500
Using vise and clamps, surface planing, angle planing, shaping to irregular laid out line, internal shaping such as blanking dies, keyway cutting, squaring, speeds and feeds, tools, safety.

J. **Heat Treating** (optional)
200
How to harden steel, how to cure hardened steel, how to draw steel, colors of various heats, different kinds of steel – S.A.E. classification, testing hardness of steel, annealing, safety.
### Tool & Die Maker – continued

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<td>Ram-type Electric Discharge Machining. Selecting electrode materials, setting up and operating. Taper cutting of punches and dies.</td>
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<td>Indicating and set up of work; selecting of holding methods; selecting and using proper boring bars, cutters, etc.; operation of jig bores, using spindle and scope precision boring, compound and hole set up, using sine plate and rotary table, theory and use of tooling balls, inspection, safety.</td>
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<td>Removing and replacing broken and worn parts of machine tools, bearing replacement, inspection, safety.</td>
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Total Hours − 8,000*

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*If one or more optional items is not selected, the additional hours should be devoted to other work processes.

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APPENDIX B

TOOL & DIE MAKER

RELATED INSTRUCTION

Safety (16 hours)
  Fundamentals (4 hours first year)
  Trade Safety (12 hours second year)

Blueprint Reading, Sketching and Drawing
  Elementary Blueprint Reading and Shop Drawing
  Advanced Blueprint Reading and Shop Drawing
  Specialized Drawing
  Fundamentals of CAD (optional)

Mathematics
  Fundamentals (algebra, geometry, trigonometry)
  Application to the Trade
  Precision Measurement
  Estimating

Industrial and Labor Relations (20 hours)
  History and Background (6 hours first year)
  Current Laws and Practices (14 hours second year)

Trade Theory and Science
  Tools and Equipment
  Materials
  Metallurgy
  Terminology
  Machines
  Layout and Production Methods
  Tool & Die Design
  Fundamentals of Mechanics (including stresses and loads)
  Heat Treatment (optional)
  Welding

First Aid (minimum 6.5 hours every 3 years)

Sexual Harassment Prevention Training – minimum 3 hours

A minimum of 144 hours of Related Instruction are required for each apprentice for each year.