How to get (and stay) registered with the State of California as an Electrician Trainee

1. Sign up for a course with WECA's Electrician Trainee (ET) program.
2. Receive proof of enrollment with WECA via email as soon as you enroll.
3. Submit the ***State Application for New Registration of Electrician Trainee or Reinstatement*** with proof of enrollment.
4. Within 4 weeks, you'll receive a letter from the state of California with your ET card. This notice typically comes by email. Now you are registered as an Electrician Trainee!
5. Once registered, submit an annual renewal application with proof of class hours 30 days prior to the expiration date printed on your ET card.
6. You'll also need to complete 150 hours of education with WECA per year to maintain your Electrician Trainee status.
7. Once you meet eligibility requirements, apply for and take the State of California Electrician Certification Exam.
8. If you've passed the State of California Certification exam, congratulations! You're now a certified electrician. Inform WECA once you have passed the exam.