

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

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Sign up for a course with WECA's Electrician Trainee (ET) program.

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Receive proof of enrollment with WECA (via email) within 1 business day.

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Submit the State Application for New Registration of Electrician Trainee or Reinstatement with proof of enrollment.

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In 2-6 weeks, you'll get a notice and your ET card from the State of California in the mail. Now, you're registered as an Electrician Trainee!

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Once registered, submit an annual renewal application with proof of class hours 30 days prior to the expiration date printed on your ET card.

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You'll also need to complete 150 hours of education with WECA per year to maintain your Electrician Trainee status.

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Once you meet eligibility requirements, apply for and take the State of California Electrician Certification Exam.

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If you've passed the State of California Certification exam, congratulations! You're now a certified electrician!