

# Research paper on Construction Industry

You are to write a paper 3-4 pages in length on a topic of your choice in construction. Make sure your topic is narrow enough that all your information will fit in the given length. Potential topics include:

- Construction site safety
- Energy efficient building
- Engineered Lumber
- Managing a construction business
- New construction materials
- Careers in Construction

Your Chosen Topic: \_\_\_\_\_

You can choose other topics as well, just make sure they fit into the construction field. You must include the various economics of your topic. If you are researching careers, you need to include info on salaries. If you are researching safety, you could include how much money various insurances cost, or the amount of money lost each year due to injuries. There is always an economic impact in construction, even in the development of new materials, so make sure you include this portion of your research.

Your paper must include the following:

- 4 citations within the text
- 4 sources
- One source must be a book, not a website (can be on online copy of actual book)
- Title page with name, course title (Construction Core) and class period
- use MLA citation style (you can use easybib.com to fill out your bibliography)
- 3-4 pages in length (bibliography does not count as the part of the paper, it is a separate page)
- Typed, double spaced, use Calibri font, size 11

ALL PAPERS ARE DUE THE WEEK OF MAY 11-15. There will be **NO** late turn ins. For additional points, have your parent sign this paper WITH an email address for conformation. Turn this signed paper in with the report. Happy writing!

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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