# Mandatory Tool List

This list of tools represent what is required for class participation. Tools will be checked each time you attend class. Advancement will be held up for failure to have required tools. Tools may be bought from any level or discipline for you to do your job as needed.

## By 6 months

□ Hard hat
□ Safety glasses
□ Knee Pads
□ Hand 'fox tail' brush
□ Floor Scraper 4"
□ 6in broad knife (patch)
□ Finish trowel
□ 20oz claw hammer
□ 25ft tape measure
□ Leather pouch
□ 2 Utility knives (utility blade, hook blade)
□ Carpet knife (slotted)
□ 4 in 1 screwdriver (Phillips/standard)
□ 5 in 1 tool
□ Base molding lifter
□ 24in stand up dust broom
□ Blade container
□ Tool box

## 6 months to 1 year

□ Base paddle spreader
□ Large caulk gun
□ Speed square
□ Top-set gouge (base tool)
□ Hand roller (resilient and base)
□ Torch head for propane cylinder
□ Dividers
□ 20oz White rubber mallet
□ Stair tool
□ 2 Chalk lines (blue/white)
□ Awl
□ Pliers (goose neck/slip joint)
□ Aviation Shears
□ Cushion back cutter
□ Carpenters' square
□ Duck-billed napping shears

## 1 year to 18 months

□ Hack Saw (regular and rod blades)
□ files (de-burring metal cap)
□ Knee Kicker
□ Hand Star type (carpet seam) roller
□ Hand roller (smooth)
□ Cold Chisel
□ Loop pile cutter
□ Under scribes (2 sets)
□ Row finder
□ Rubbing brick w/handle
□ 2 wheeled dolly
□ dry line
□ 1in wood chisel
□ Wall trimmer

## 18 months to 2 Years

□ Mitre Box
□ 6ft Straight Edge
□ 50ft tape measure
□ 8m metric tape measure
□ Vinyl seam edger

## 2 years to 30 months

□ Large Carpet Shears
□ 3 section hand roller
□ sharpening stone
□ Hand seam groover

## 30 months to 3 years

□ VCT cutter
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The following lists are recommendations for specific aspects for the flooring trade:

## Ceramic

□ Wall and floor floats
□ Scoring and Cutting tool
□ 2in x 8in margin trowel
□ 8½ in nippers
□ 7½ in hole nippers
□ 7in pointing trowel
□ 6in coping saw
□ Wood Handled Gouge
□ 10in tile contour gauge
□ Red & Black china markers
□ Suction Cup
□ Rubbing Stone
□ Sponge
□ 20in tile breaker

## Residential Carpet

□ Hook blade carpet knife
□ pad knife
□ Magnetic drive bar
□ Under-counter bar
□ Hammer style pad stapler
□ Tack strip cutter
□ thimble
□ hook and straight needles
□ Tack Hammer

## Epoxy

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