

Glossary of Terms

The following glossary is a list of terms commonly used in the trade in Alberta and elsewhere in Canada. Individuals preparing for examinations should be familiar with these terms and how they are used in the context of the trade.

Air chisel	Feather edge	Seam sealer
Abrasives	Flanging tool	Slide hammer
Active restraint system	Frame bench	Solvent recycler
Agitator	Friction jack	Spacing block
Apron	Eraser wheel	Spot sand blaster
Basecoat	Gun wash station	Spoon
B pillar	High build	Squeegee
Blow gun	Jack stand	Striker
Camber	Locking strip tool	Structural component
Caster	MacPherson strut	Structural glass
Caulking gun	Microfiche	Subframe
Centering gauge	Overspray clay	Substrate
Chamois	Preparation station	Suction cup
Clockspring	Passive restraint system	Tack cloth
Conventional frame	Plasma cutter	Test card
Crimping tool	Plastic welder	Thermoplastic
Curing light	Pneumatic	Tie rod
Cut out knife	Porta power	Toe
Cut-off tool	Pry bar	Tram gauge
Detailing	Pry pick	Trim clip removal tool
Dent puller	Quench	Unibody
Die grinder	Rail	Unitized
Dogleg	Resistance spot welder	Welding blanket
Dolly	Rough out	
Door jack	Sand blaster	