

EYE EXAMINATION REPORT

Dear Sir / madam:

The undersigned has requested entrance into a welder training program. Welding is a very highly respected career choice with many rewards for those who pursue it. Welders must have excellent eyesight. Not only must a welder be able to precisely set and adjust their equipment, but they must also be able to see finely detailed work pieces up close, often as close as a 10" to 14" average focal distance. It is not uncommon for a skilled welder to have to concentrate on a molten puddle of metal that can be as small as 1/16" in diameter. Good visual acuity, as well as colour definition is required. Good depth perception at short focal distances is also required.

Well paid welders need to be able to focus clearly at distances that are closer than a "reading distance". Preferably 12" to 14"

ALL Eye glasses must meet CSA safety requirements WITH side shields.

Proof of an eye examination in the previous 6 months would be considered suitable if the results can be transferred to this eye examination request.

APPLICANTS INFORMATION

Name: _____ Tel: () _____

Vision requirements:

- a) Distant vision shall equal 20/30 or better in at least one eye, either corrected or uncorrected.
- b) Near vision acuity shall permit reading 0.5 m continuous text (N-4) at a 30 cm to 40 cm test distance, with or without corrective eye wear.
The following may be considered equivalent:
Times Roman N-4 at 30 to 40 cm
Reduced snellen 40/50
Jaeger J2 at 30 to 40 cm
- c) Colour definition and recognition should be near normal. Able to discern light (dull) red, yellows, and orange at close viewing range.
- d) Depth perception should be normal, able to detect a dissimilarity of 1/8" or less as when viewing two pens or pencils held side by side (parallel to each other) with the trainee viewing the ends of the pencils from a distance of approx. 1 meter. Objects would be held approx. parallel to the floor and at a height which would bring the ends (only) of the objects into applicant's line of sight.

Vision Test Results:

Distant vision: RE _____ LE _____

Near vision: RE _____ LE _____

Eyeglasses required for training: YES NO

Comments / recommendations: _____

Signature of optometrist: _____

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____