

Apprentice / Journeyman Lineman Position  
Dyersburg Electric System

Dyersburg Electric System has employment opportunities for all skill levels of the lineman trade. DES is looking for individuals whom are seeking a long term career and possess a positive attitude with a sincere desire to serve the community by providing safe, reliable, and cost effective power.

Potential candidates must possess the following qualifications at a minimum:

- High School diploma or equivalent and be 18 years of age.
- Must have or be able to obtain a valid Tennessee Class “A”, Restriction 57 commercial driver’s license within the first 6 months of employment.
- Be able to complete a 6 month probationary period
- Willing to relocate to within a 20 minute commute of the main office after the 6 month probationary period.
- Ability to work in extreme and adverse weather conditions
- Ability to work outside of normal working hours during unforeseen and planned outages
- Willing to complete DES lineman training program.
- Travel for training
- Must be physically fit to perform such duties as learning job safety, digging holes, handling material weighing in excess of 50 pounds, operating heavy machinery, climbing poles and ladders, working at high elevations, working below ground, working with high voltage electricity, etc.
- Skilled in the use of basic hand tools.
- Ability to read and comprehend all DES employment and safety policies

Candidates who possess a certificate of completion from an approved lineman apprenticeship program and/or a certificate of completion from an approved 3-month pre-apprenticeship program are preferred, however such certifications are not required.

Experience in the lineman trade is a plus.

Dyersburg Electric System offers competitive wages and an outstanding benefit package.

Starting pay will be based on experience.