

Grip Department

Thank you for your interest in the Grip Department of I.A.T.S.E. Local 212. Please take a few moments to read the following information, which outlines department specific requirements necessary when applying to the Grip Department.

The different positions within the Grip Department include:

- Key Grip,
- Key Rigging Grip,
- Best Person,
- Dolly Operator,
- Grip Crew and
- Trainee

Application Requirements

For Permittee Status

In addition to completing the **“Permit Information Package”** you must meet the following requirement(s):

- Complete a one day grip workshop and exam with a passing grade--this course is offered through the I.A.T.S.E. Education Department and you can register by calling 250-2199.

Your training and experience will help the Head of the Department (HOD) determine which position you are best suited for. Be sure to provide detailed information about any previous training/experience on your resume (list supervisor names, responsibilities etc). Additionally, please provide copies of any relevant licenses, tickets and/or certificates etc. and submit all your documentation with your **“Permit Information Package”**.

Once your application is approved and you are dispatched to a call you will be required to bring a “Basic Tool Kit” with you - a list of what this kit should contain can be found under **“Tool Requirements”**.

For Membership

To apply for membership a permit must have a minimum of sixty (60) days worked as an I.A.T.S.E. Local 212 permit, for a period of at least twenty (20) days per project, under at least three different Department Heads, who give you good evaluations!

In addition to completing the **“Membership Application”** you must meet the following requirement(s):

- *Standard First Aid and
- *WHMIS

Please provide copies of any relevant licenses, tickets and/or certificates etc. and submit all your documentation with your **“Membership Application”**.

*Please note: Those courses marked with an asterisk can be taken through I.A.T.S.E. Local 212. You can register by calling the I.A.T.S.E. Education Department @ 250-2199 ext. 26.

For Sister Status

In addition to completing the **“Sister Status Application”** you must meet the following requirement(s):

- Have an original letter of good standing from your home local,
- A copy of your membership card-front and back and
- An updated resume
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Please provide copies of any relevant licenses, tickets and/or certificates etc. and submit all your documentation with your **“Sister Status Application”**.

Applications can take up to six months to process. You will be notified as soon as your application has been reviewed. **Please do not telephone and inquire as to the status of your application.**

Should you have any questions related to applying for Permittee status, Membership or Sister Status with I.A.T.S.E. Local 212, please contact I.A.T.S.E. Membership Services @ 250-2199.