

National Wood Flooring Association

Chattahoochee Technical College and the National Wood Flooring Association (NWFA) have teamed up to provide training programs to train the next generation of wood flooring professionals. NWFA is a not-for-profit trade association representing all segments of the hardwood flooring industry, including manufacturers, distributors, retailers, installers, inspectors, and consultants. NWFA provides training and resources for wood flooring professionals to enhance their businesses and skills.

NWFA: Basic Installation

This three day course provides a comprehensive entry-level overview of installation of wood flooring. This course is ideal for individuals new to the wood flooring trade or new to selling wood in a retail or manufacturer setting. **Course Fee: \$649 for NWFA members, \$749 for non-members**

NWFA: Basic Sand and Finish

This course provides an introduction to the process of sand and finish, including an overview of machines, abrasives, and finishes. Other topics include: sanding equipment, dust containment, rough sanding procedures, final sanding, sealers, stain, application tools and uses, intercoat abrasion, repairs, and evaluating the final product. **Course Fee: \$649 for NWFA members, \$749 for non-members**

NWFA: Intermediate Installation

This five-day intermediate level training is provided through a partnership with the National Wood Flooring Association (NWFA). Through a hands-on learning approach, you will sharpen your installation skills, including jobsite evaluation and preparation, installation techniques, safety, custom entry-level borders, and medallion installations. You will also learn how to incorporate simple design elements, allowing you to offer your client a custom wood floor while increasing your portfolio. . NWFACP Certification testing \$200 (NWFA members only) **Course Fee: \$649 for NWFA members, \$749 for non-members**

NWFA: Intermediate Sand and Finish

This five-day training event provides extensive hands-on training for sanding and finishing wood floors at an intermediate level. Learn how to properly sand various species, correctly use and maintain tools, repair and recoat existing floors, and select finishing techniques that will yield top-quality results. Receive hands-on training for techniques including board replacement, hand-scraping, repairing finish imperfections, and recoat/re-sanding methods for factory finished floors. Learn how to properly flatten a wood floor, minimize scratch patterns and bring the wood to an optimal state for stain and finish application. NWFACP Certification testing \$200 (NWFA members only) **PREREQUISITE: Must have minimum 1 year sand and finish- ing wood floors OR successful completion of the Principles of Wood Flooring school. Receive 4 CCUs**
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