INTERNATIONAL CFI
CERTIFIED FLOORING INSTALLERS

RESIDENTIAL HARDWOOD & LAMINATE COURSE

Designed for installers starting a career in installation or looking to add a new flooring to their repertoire.

Location:

Certified Flooring Institute
10676 West US Hwy 80
Forney, TX 75126

Date:

March 18-22, 2019
The course can be held off-site by request. Materials and modules are the responsibility of the hosting site. Instructions will be provided upon request.

Pricing:

1-Week: $1,250

Full one-week curriculum outlined in this document. Includes CFI Certificate of Training upon completion.

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The one-week CFI Residential Hardwood/Laminate course is a comprehensive overview of basic residential hardwood/laminate installation beginning with how to approach a customer's door and ending with how to leave the jobsite.

Day 1- Jobsite Condition & Testing
- Estimating
  - Understanding a diagram
- Proper Removal
- OSHA
- EPA- Protecting the environment
- Remove flooring from platforms
- Moisture & pH Testing
- Moisture Equilibrium Chart
- Concrete Testing:
  - ASTM 1869 (calcium chloride)
  - ASTM 2170 RH Testing
- Floor Prep

Day 2- Product & Installation
- Product Information
- Show different types of locking mechanisms & explain differences
- Underlayment
- Trammel points- locating center of room, squaring a room, establish a 45°/ 90°
- Dead zone
- Floor Layout
- Demonstrate tool & saw safety

Day 3- Product Inspection
- Demonstrate Expansion Affects
- Discuss How to Deal With Mill Defects
- Discuss Door Trims & Undercutting Jams
- Plank Replacement
- ¼ Round: Inside & Outside Corners

Day 4- Different Installation Methods
- Demonstrate Different Staplers/Nailers
- Staple Down Installation/Adhered Direct Installation
- Floating Floor Installation
- Nail Down Product

Day 5- Bamboo & Steps
- Review Days 1-4
- Bamboo
  - What makes Bamboo different
- Install Bamboo Flooring
- Steps