

INTRODUCTION

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW? (QUIZ)

TIME: 30 min.

LEARNING OUTCOME:

Participants will understand:

- What constitutes a regulated profession
- The role of regulatory bodies
- Which professions are regulated

DESCRIPTION:

- Instruct participants to complete, on their own, the quiz on **page 2** of their workbooks.
- Take up answers as a whole class (use answer key provided).
- Professional Engineers Ontario (PEO) and the Ontario Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities have released a fact sheet on the engineering profession in Ontario. This fact sheet is available online, and gives detailed information on the requirements and process of professional engineering licensure in Ontario.

You may wish to offer copies of the fact sheet -
www.equalopportunity.on.ca/english_g/apt/engineer.html

**REGULATED PROFESSIONS:
HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW? ANSWER KEY**

1. A profession is “regulated” when:

- A) Entry into the profession is controlled by an organization.
- B) There is provincial legislation defining who can practise the profession.
- C) There are standards of practice that members of the profession must meet.
- D) All of the above.**
- E) None of the above.

2. You cannot work as a member of a regulated profession without a license.

True False

(However, in engineering, you can do the work but it must be supervised by a Professional Engineer and you cannot use the title P.Eng. or any title with the word “engineer” in it unless licensed in Ontario)

3. Professional regulatory bodies have responsibility for:

- A) Setting entry and training requirements.
- B) Assessing qualifications and credentials.
- C) Disciplining members of the profession.
- D) All of the above.**
- E) None of the above.

4. Professional regulatory bodies are made-up of members of the profession they control.

True False (They are called “self-regulating” professions.)

5. Which of the following occupations are not regulated professions?

- A. Architect
- B. Lawyer
- C. Computer programmer**
- D. Engineering Technologist
- E. Chartered Accountant
- F. Massage Therapist

6. In most cases, people who have been educated outside of Canada are not permitted to practise their profession in Ontario.

True **False** (They will be expected to meet certain requirements but many foreign-trained professionals practise in Ontario.)

7. Most professional regulatory bodies require new members of the profession to have:

- A) A degree from a Canadian university or equivalent.
- B) Work experience in Canada.
- C) Acceptable English or French language skills.
- D) All of the above.**
- E) None of the above.

(Though not all of these are

required by every profession.)

**REGULATED PROFESSIONS:
HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?**

Circle the correct answer for each question.

1. **A profession is “regulated” when:**

- A) Entry into the profession is controlled by an organization.
- B) There is provincial legislation defining who can practice the profession.
- C) There are standards of practice that members of the profession must meet.
- D) All of the above.
- E) None of the above.

2. **You cannot work as a member of a regulated profession without a license.**

True False

3. **Professional regulatory bodies have responsibility for:**

- A) Setting entry and training requirements.
- B) Assessing qualifications and credentials.
- C) Disciplining members of the profession.
- D) All of the above.
- E) None of the above.

4. **Professional regulatory bodies are made-up of members of the profession they control.**

True False

5. **Which of the following occupations are not regulated professions?**

- A) Architect
- B) Lawyer
- C) Computer programmer
- D) Engineering Technologist
- E) Chartered Accountant
- F) Massage Therapist

6. **In most cases, people who have been educated outside of Canada are not permitted to practice their profession in Ontario.**

True False

7. **Most professional regulatory bodies require new members of the profession to have:**

- A) A degree from a Canadian university or equivalent.
- B) Work experience in Canada.
- C) Acceptable English or French language skills.
- D) All of the above.
- E) None of the above