



# Careers in manufacturing: furnishing

## Glass and glazing

**Glass and glazing workers generally work in a support or assistant capacity or in production roles. They will generally work under supervision.**

Glass and glazing workers cut, shape and install glass used in windows, including shopfronts, doors, walls, mirrors, display cabinets and furniture.

Occupations within the glass and glazing sector include:

- Glazier
- Glass processor
- Leadlight worker.

### Glazier

Glaziers install glass into prepared openings, such as windows, doors, skylights and display units, or fit glass to prepared surfaces, such as interior walls. This can be done in a factory environment if fitting glass into prefabricated products, or on site in the case of new construction or repair.

#### **Specialisations:**

- Glass beveller
- Glass embosser
- Glass etcher
- Glass silverer
- Insulated glass unit manufacturer

#### **Relevant qualification:**

- Certificate II in Glass and Glazing
- Certificate III in Glass and Glazing
- Certificate IV in Glass and Glazing

### Glass processor

Glass processors measure, cut, finish, fit and install glass in windows, doors, walls, mirrors, display cabinets and other furniture.

#### **Relevant qualifications:**

- Certificate II in Glass and Glazing
- Certificate III in Glass and Glazing

### Leadlight worker

Leadlight workers design and construct stained-glass windows, doors, partitions and decorative works of art in a variety of buildings. The glass is fitted together with strips of lead to hold the glass.

#### **Relevant qualifications:**

- Certificate II in Glass and Glazing
- Certificate III in Glass and Glazing
- Certificate IV in Glass and Glazing
- Diploma of Stained Glass and Leadlighting

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