

DIESEL EQUIPMENT TECHNOLOGY ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE (AAS) - 79 CREDITS

About this program

The diesel equipment technician works in an exciting and rapidly changing industry. This program prepares individuals to diagnose and repair diesel engines, clutches and transmissions, starting and suspension systems, wheel alignment, air-conditioning and refrigeration systems, drive lines, differentials, hydraulic and air brake systems, electrical systems, electronically controlled fuel systems and transmissions, and involves instruction in the use of a wide variety of tools and diagnostic testing equipment. Students are prepared for careers in the maintenance of trucks and trailers, farm equipment, construction equipment, stationary diesel engines in electrical generators and other related equipment. About two-thirds of the instruction time is spent in the diesel lab working on live work and training models. Students learn to diagnose problems and disassemble, recondition and replace faulty parts, and get hands-on training in all program areas. This program is an Association of Diesel Specialists TechSmart program participant.

Program outcomes

- 1. Demonstrate professionalism and related soft skills.
- 2. Apply theory of vehicle operating systems.
- 3. Diagnose vehicle operating systems.
- 4. Repair vehicle operating systems.
- 5. Interpret service information.
- 6. Exhibit safety practices and procedures.

Curriculum overview

Crds Requirement type

Total

Developmental courses note: A student may be required to enroll in developmental courses in reading, writing and math. A student's scores on the Accuplacer assessment will determine enrollment in developmental courses. The purpose of developmental courses is to prepare students for the demands of a college-level curriculum. *Credits may vary*.

Accreditation: Minnesota State Community and Technical College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, a regional accreditation agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education. The Higher Learning Commission 230 South LaSalle Street, Suite 7-500 Chicago, IL 60604-1411 http://www.ncahigherlearningcommission.org Phone: 312.263.0456 / 800.621.7440



Curriculum requirement details

Required courses

Other requirements or restricted electives





Course summaries





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Program Plan — "" Locations:

