COMBINATION WELDER 2017-18

Class Meets: Monday - Friday  
Class Time: 8:00 am to 3:00 pm  
Instructor: Allen Bellamy  
1050 hours - 9 months

This major will teach students to do quality welding for a variety of construction and manufacturing jobs using multiple structural welding techniques. Instruction will cover welding theory and safety, fabrication, layout, print reading, symbols, math, welding codes, metal characteristics/properties and oxyfuel cutting. Students will learn to perform high quality welds in accordance with welding procedure specifications used in a variety of welding occupations. They will also gain an introduction to pipe welding skills, using SMAW, FCAW and GTAW techniques.

**TUITION**  
1st Semester ................................................................. $ 787.50  
2nd Semester ................................................................. $ 787.50  

**TEXTBOOKS**................................................................. $  -
Students are not required to purchase textbooks or supplemental reference materials.

**TOTAL STUDENT NEEDS FEES**.................................................. $ 300.00

- Student Certification Test................................................. $ 250.00  
- Student Certification Card................................................. $ 25.00  
- Safety Certification......................................................... $ 25.00

**MISC. EXPENSES**............................................................. $ 559.00

These are additional costs, and are not charged against Pell, Post 911 and/or some funding agencies. These are considered out of pocket expenses.

*Students are required to attend class before purchasing any of the below items on supply list*

This is a separate cost, and is in addition to your tuition and textbooks. The instructor will advise student where to purchase items but no paperwork will be filled out by the instructor. Supplies must be purchased by the student before any work can be done in the shop.

- Boots (any style, 100% leather, must go above ankle) ................... $ 150.00  
- Overalls (Carhart brownduck only) ......................................... $ 70.00  
- Welding Shirts, must be 100% cotton........................................ $ 35.00  
- Welding shirts must be 100% cotton with flaps on the chest pockets. They need to be large enough that the top button on the welder's neck can be worn buttoned. Any color is fine, however lighter colors are more comfortable out in the sun. No lightweight shirts.  
- *Welding Helmet* .................................................................................... $ 225.00  
- *Helmets can range from $75.00 to $300.00. Must be approved by instructor prior to purchase.*  
- Gloves with gauntlets (Must be approved by instructor) ................. $ 20.00  
- Pliers ....................................................................................................... $ 20.00  
- Safety Glasses .................................................................................... $ 10.00  
- Welding Cap (no bandanas or skull caps) ...................................... $ 7.00  
- Student Organization Fee (Skills / USA) ......................................... $ 20.00  
- Replacement Student ID Badge .................................................... $ 2.00

**TOTAL COST FOR PROGRAM** ................................................... $ 2,434.00

Tuition and fees or documentation from your funding agency is due by the first day of class each semester. 
Students who are enrolled in a career major for more than 10 scheduled school days will be responsible for the full semester’s tuition and fees, regardless of enrollment or funding status.

**TUITION AND FEES WILL NOT CHANGE WHILE A STUDENT IS ENROLLED IN THE PROGRAM**

**FUNDING AGENCIES:**
Please contact GPTC before issuing a payment for student's tuition and fees.

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