Course:	WEL 204
Title:	Flux Cored Arc Welding II
Long Title:	Flux Cored Arc Welding II
Course Description:	Covers safety inspections, minor repairs, operating parameters, operating FCAW equipment utilizing gas shielded wire, and applying fundamentals of welding applications and cost estimating to welding, fabrication, and inspection.
Min Credit:	4

## STANDARD COMPETENCIES:

- I. Follow shop safety practices.
- II. Maintain a clean, safe work area.
- III. Prepare assigned records.
- IV. Follow assigned instructions to complete work assignments.
- V. Participate in assigned fabrication projects.
- VI. Perform safety inspections on FCAW equipment
- VII. Make minor external repairs as necessary to FCAW equipment.
- VIII. Set up for FCAW on plain carbon steel.
- IX. Operate FCAW equipment.
- X. Make fillet welds, all positions on plain carbon steel using gas shielded wire.
- XI. Make groove welds, all positions on plain carbon steel using gas shielded wire.
- XII. Examine tack and completed welds.
- XIII. Execute corrective actions to repair surface flaws on welds and base metals.
- XIV. Recognize fundamental principles of the FCAW process.
- XV. Explain fundamental principles of the FCAW process.
- XVI. Apply principles of welding applications to welding, fabrication, and inspection.
- XVII. Apply principles of material selection to welding, fabrication, and inspection.
- XVIII. Estimate welding costs and materials.

## **TOPICAL OUTLINE:**

- I. Safety and Record Keeping
  - A. Follow shop safety practices.
  - B. Maintain a clean, safe work area.
  - C. Prepare assigned records.
  - D. Follow assigned instructions to complete work assignments.
  - E. Participate in assigned fabrication projects.
  - F. Perform safety inspections on FCAW equipment
  - G. Make minor external repairs as necessary to FCAW equipment.
- II. Equipment Setup and Operation

- A. Set up for FCAW on plain carbon steel.
- B. Operate FCAW equipment.
- C. Make fillet welds, all positions on plain carbon steel using gas shielded wire.
- D. Make groove welds, all positions on plain carbon steel using gas shielded wire.
- E. Examine tack and completed welds.
- F. Execute corrective actions to repair surface flaws on welds and base metals.
- G. Recognize fundamental principles of the FCAW process.
- H. Explain fundamental principles of the FCAW process.
- III. Weld Estimating and Process/Material Selection
  - A. Apply principles of welding applications to welding, fabrication, and inspection.
  - B. Apply principles of material selection to welding, fabrication, and inspection.
  - C. Estimate welding costs and materials.