

Accelerated Training Programs

WNC offers several accelerated programs to provide job skills that are in-demand in Northern Nevada. These programs allow students to complete programs and/or certifications in LESS TIME than traditional classes, and credits may be applied toward a WNC certificate and/or degree.

ADVANCED MANUFACTURING		
MACHINE TOOLING Earn 20 credits in 16 weeks! From basic introduction through advanced training, this program provides training in the field of machine tooling and CNC operation. Students will learn shop safety, measuring skills and lathe, mill and CNC operation. This program includes test preparation and testing to obtain certifications through the National Institute of Metalworking Skills, Inc. (NIMS). Offered in Spring and Fall semesters	WELDING Earn 18-21 credits in 16 weeks! Get the skills needed to work in the field of welding. Students will learn safety procedures, develop manual welding skills, learn and become proficient in different welding processes, understand welding codes and the code requirements for Certified Welders, and prepare to pass the American Welding Society (AWS) certification test. Offered in Spring and Fall semesters	INDUSTRIAL SYSTEMS TECHNOLOGY This program is available in an Open Entry/Open Exit delivery format. This program focuses on the installation, maintenance and management of advanced manufacturing equipment and systems. Students learn a broad base of skills in electronics, fluid power, mechanical systems, and industrial systems control. Assessments for industrial certifications will be available. Offered in Spring and Fall semesters
TRANSPORTATION		INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
AUTOMOTIVE MECHANICS Earn 21 credits in 16 weeks! This course is designed to offer participants an opportunity to acquire skills and technical theory for a successful career as an auto mechanic. Participants will learn: General Mechanics, Engine Reconditioning, Brakes, Steering and Suspension, Electronics, Transmissions and test for the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) certifications. Offered in Spring and Fall semesters		CISCO TECHNOLOGY Earn CCENT certification in only 1 semester or a CCNA certification in 2 semesters! The Cisco Networking Academy Program prepares students for a career working with Cisco networking hardware and equipment. Delivered in 8-week course format, this program prepares students to test for the Cisco Certified Entry Network Technician (CCENT) and Cisco Certified Network Associate (CCNA) certifications. Program starts in Fall semester only
Funding for the Accelerated Machine Tooling and Welding programs may be available for those who qualify through the Dislocated Worker grant awarded to WNC by Nevadaworks. Funding is limited and allocated in the order requests are received. Contact WNC for information.		

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Western Nevada College

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