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about
career and technical
education



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Collision Repair

Develop technical competencies and gain experience and active learning in all aspects of automobile and light truck body repair service. From welding to painting, the end result leads to certification in a rewarding career.

Core Skills

- Proper use of hand/power tools
- Industry safety procedures
- Repair and refinishing procedures
- Painting preparation and application
- MIG welding
- Teamwork/employability
- Communication skills

Future Career Options

- Auto repair technician
- Auto refinishing technician
- Shop manager
- Parts specialist
- Insurance adjuster

Certifications/Academic Credit

- English and/or math credit
- VPAA elective credit
- MI Unitized Body Structural Repair certificate
- PASSES EDGE workplace safety certificate
- Postsecondary articulated credit
- ASE student certifications

Setting Students up for Success

Making connections with guest speakers, field trips, and taking advantage of job shadows, co-op and work experiences give students a head start in the career field of auto body repair.

Leadership & Scholarship Opportunities

Club participation, competition and leadership can occur with Skills USA, National Technical Honor Society and Student Council.

21 Career & Technical Programs

Agriscience	Health Sciences
Auto Repair	Information Technology
Business Careers	Power Equipment
Collision Repair	Precision Machining
Construction Trades	Public Safety
Culinary Arts	Robotics & Automation
Early Education	Teacher Academy
Electrical Occupations	Web & App Development
Engineering Academy	Welding
Film & New Media	Writers Studio
Graphic Arts	

Student Support & Guidance

- Career Tech staff teach and reinforce positive work ethic in all students.
- Attendance and academic progress is monitored to guide students toward individual growth and career planning that will establish a pathway to a meaningful life.
- Seminars are provided on college planning, financial aid and scholarship opportunities.

Job Training & Experience

Career Tech programs offer all students a chance to:

- Gain hands-on training
- Use state-of-the-art technology
- Demonstrate leadership, workplace readiness and ethics
- Participate in internships, job shadows, work experience, or paid co-op experience