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# Auto Body Repair Technology

## The Industry

Automotive manufacturers have made revolutionary changes in automobile designs bringing new concepts to the field of auto body repair, requiring proper training to restore damaged vehicles to their factory specifications in respect to both body repair and paint. The technology of the automobile has changed faster in the past five years than in the previous two decades, ensuring the future for highly trained and skilled workers in the collision repair field. This means all new designs, products and materials, advanced manufacturing processes, high tech systems, and safety features are being incorporated into each new automobile.

## Career Opportunities

- Auto Body Repair Technician
- Custom Painter
- Motor Pool Maintenance
- Automobile Manufacturer
- Shop Supervisor
- Body Shop Owner
- Insurance Appraiser
- Auto Detailer
- Auto Body Supply Representative
- Paint and Equipment Manufacturer

## WWCC's Degree Options

**Associate in Applied Arts and Sciences (AAAS) Degree in Auto Body Repair Technology:** available upon completion of the second year of instruction in the program.

**Auto Body Repair Certificate:** available upon completion of one year of study.



## For More Information

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# Associate in Applied Arts and Sciences Degree in Auto Body Repair Technology

This schedule lists courses required for degree completion but the actual order and specific coursework may vary depending on student placement, start date, and quarter. Please check with your advisor prior to any substitutions.

The required related instruction is noted in bold print. The letter in the parenthesis indicates which category of related instruction is represented by the given course as follows:

(W)- Written Communications  
(M)- Computation/Mathematics

(O)- Oral Communications  
(J)- Job Seeking Skills

(R)- Human Relations  
(L)- Leadership

<b>Year One</b>		<b>Auto Body Repair Certificate</b>	
<b>Quarter One</b>		<b>Credits</b>	
ABT 161, Auto Body Repair .....		21	
<b>OCSUP 101, Job Psychology: Workplace &amp; Educational Success Skills (R) ....</b>		<b>3</b>	
	Total Credits .....	24	
<b>Quarter Two</b>		<b>Credits</b>	
ABT 162, Auto Body Repair II <sup>1</sup> .....		21	
<b>OCSUP 106, Applied Mathematics I (M) .....</b>		<b>5</b>	
	Total Credits .....	26	
<b>Quarter Three</b>		<b>Credits</b>	
ABT 163, Auto Body Refinishing .....		21	
<b>OCSUP 102, Oral Communications in the Workplace (O) .....</b>		<b>3</b>	
	Total Credits .....	24	
	<b>Certificate Total .....</b>	<b>74</b>	

<b>Year Two</b>		<b>AAAS Auto Body Repair Technology</b>	
<b>Quarter One</b>		<b>Credits</b>	
ABT 264, Unibody Rebuilding .....		21	
<b>WRITE 100, Applied Writing (W) .....</b>		<b>3</b>	
	Total Credits .....	24	
<b>Quarter Two</b>		<b>Credits</b>	
ABT 265, Electrical Mechanical .....		21	
<b>OCSUP 103, Job Seeking Skills (J) .....</b>		<b>3</b>	
	Total Credits .....	24	
<b>Quarter Three</b>		<b>Credits</b>	
ABT 266, Damage Estimating and Shop Operation .....		21	
<b>ABT 299, Leadership (L) .....</b>		<b>1</b>	
	Total Credits .....	22	
	<b>Year Two Total .....</b>	<b>70</b>	
	<b>Degree Total .....</b>	<b>144</b>	

<sup>1</sup> Students may complete ABT 162, Auto Body Repair II for 21 credits or ABT 162 for 14 credits and WELD 141, Welding Basics for 7 credits to satisfy this requirement.

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The following courses meet the related instructional requirements of the program (one class per category required):

- (J) AGPR 100, BUS 292, OSCUP 103, PSYC 140
- (L) ABT 299, BUS 192, OCSUP 299, POLS 125
- (M) BUS 112, MATH 049, OCSUP 106
- (O) CMST 102, CMST& 220, OCSUP 102
- (R) BUS 157, OCSUP 101, PSYC& 100, PSYC 111
- (W) BUS 137, ENGL 097, ENGL& 101, WRITE 100, WRITE 110