

# AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE EXCELLENCE (ASE)-DIESEL TECHNICIAN: BASIC, SC

## **Program Description**

The Diesel Technician, Basic Skills certificate prepares students for entry-level positions as diesel technicians for medium-heavy duty truck repairs. Students will diagnose, adjust and repair medium-heavy duty systems, components, and circuits on medium-heavy duty vehicles.

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This program is not eligible for financial aid. However, it may be eligible for scholarship funding if the student is awarded scholarships.

#### **Recommended Course Schedule**

1st semest	er	Units
DT 100	Introduction to Diesel Technologies	2
DT 105	Mobile Heating and Air Conditioning	3
DT 130	Heavy Duty Hydraulics	3
DT 201	Diesel Brakes and Pneumatics	3
DT 250	Preventive Maintenance	2
	Semester Total	13
	Total Units	13

## **Program Requirements**

Skills Certificates can consist of a single course or a short set of courses that provide training for entry-level positions or career advancement. These short-term certificates may also prepare students to take state, national and/or industry-recognized certifications or licensing exams.

Skills certificates are awarded upon completion of coursework and marked on a student's transcripts at the end of the semester. Students cannot declare a skills certificate as one's major. Skills Certificates are not eligible for Financial Aid.

To earn a skills certificate, students must:

- 1. Maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0.
- 2. Have no financial or library obligation to the college.

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### **Program Outcomes**

Students completing the certificate will:

PSLO1: Analyze and apply the proper heavy-medium duty system components, diagnosis, rebuild, and repair procedures.

PSLO2: Identify, test, and interpret failed heavy-heavy duty system components, and apply appropriate repair strategies.

PSLO3: Analyze and apply appropriate workplace skills and tools, including the application of personal and mechanical safety measures in the workplace.