CTE HS Program Descriptions

Program of Study	Career Program Description	Wake Tech Credential	Wake Tech Credentials
		Offered in CTE High School	Beyond High School
Air Conditioning, Heating & Refrigeration	The Air Conditioning, Heating, and Refrigeration Technology certificate provides a critical foundation in HVACR maintenance and installation; this certificate includes basic coursework in heating, cooling, and maintenance. Students who complete a certificate can transfer seamlessly to a diploma or Associate of Applied Science degree program at Wake Tech, which will provide the necessary depth and breadth of the knowledge, skills, and attitudes required to find gainful employment in the discipline.	C35100HS Fundamentals of air Conditioning, Heating, and Refrigeration: Comfort Cooling, Electricity, and Basic Service Technology (18 credit hour certificate) AHR 111 HVACR Electricity -3 cr AHR 112 Heating Technology -4 cr AHR 113 Comfort Cooling – 4 cr AHR 211 Residential System Design - 3 cr AHR 133 HVAC Servicing – 4 cr	 AAS degree Diploma Additional Certificates
Biopharmaceutical Technology	The field of Biopharmaceutical Technology is a fast-growing one in the Research Triangle area and the certificate in this discipline will serve as a cornerstone for further study in the field, which combines natural sciences, occupational safety and health regulations, and best practices in quality assurances and operations. Students who complete a certificate can transfer seamlessly to a diploma or Associate of Applied science program at Wake Tech, which will provide the necessary depth and breadth of the knowledge, skills, and attitudes required to find gainful employment in the discipline.	C20180HS Fundamentals of Biopharmaceutical Technology: Safety, Best Practices, and Controls (15 credit hour certificate) BPM 110 Bioprocess Practices – 5 cr ISC 112 Industrial Safety – 2 cr PTC 110 Industrial Environ – 3 cr PTC 120 Pharm Qual Control – 4 cr PTC 228 Pharm Issues – 1 cr	 AAS degree Additional Certificate

	The Collision Repair & Refinishing technology	C60130HS	Diploma
	certificate provides a critical foundation in the	Collision and Refinishing Technology	Certificate
	discipline of restoring and rebuilding automobiles;	(17 credit hour certificate)	
	this certificate includes basic coursework in		
	transportation technology, structural damage	AUB 111 Painting & Refinish I – 4 cr	
Collision Donoin	repair, painting, and rewiring automobile	AUB 131 Structural Damage I – 4 cr	
Collision Repair	electrical and cooling systems. Students who	TRN 110 Intro to Trans Tech – 2 cr	
	complete a certificate can transfer seamlessly to a	TRN 120 Basic Trans Electricity – 5 cr	
	diploma program at Wake Tech, which will	TRN 140 Trans Climate Control – 2 cr	
	provide the necessary depth and breadth of the		
	knowledge, skills, and attitudes required to find		
	gainful employment in the discipline.		
	The Cosmetology curriculum is designed to		AAS degree
	provide competency-based knowledge,		Diploma
	scientific/artistic principles, and hands-on		
	fundamentals associated with the cosmetology		
	industry. The curriculum provides a simulated	Pathway to diploma or degree.	
	salon environment which enables students to	Potential to earn 24 credit hours towards	
	develop manipulative skills. Course work includes	Wake Tech diploma or degree:	
Cosmetology	instruction in all phases of professional imaging,		
cosmetology	hair design, chemical processes, skin care, nail	COS 111 Cos Concepts I – 6 cr	
	care, multi-cultural practices, business/computer	COS 112 Salon I – 6 cr	
	principles, product knowledge, and other selected	COS 113 Cos Concepts II – 6 cr	
	topics. Graduates should qualify to sit for the	COS 114 Salon II – 6 cr	
	State Board of Cosmetic Arts examination. Upon		
	successfully passing the State Board exam,		
	graduates will be issued a license. Employment is		
	available in beauty salons and related businesses.		

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	The Electrical Systems certificate provides a	C35130HS	AAS Degree
	critical foundation in commercial and residential	Residential and Commercial Wiring	 Diploma
	wiring installation; this certificate includes basic	(12 credit hour certificate)	
	coursework in electricity, calculations for		
	determining relationships between electrical	ELC113 Residential Wiring – 4 cr	
	units, and core sections of the National Electric	ELC114 Commercial Wiring – 4 cr	
Electrical Systems	code. Students who complete a certificate can	ELC118 National Elecl Code – 2 cr	
-	transfer seamlessly to a diploma or Associate of	ELC119 NEC Calculation – 2 cr	
	Applied Science degree program at Wake Tech,		
	which will provide the necessary depth and		
	breadth of the knowledge, skills, and attitudes		
	required to find gainful employment in the		
	discipline.		
	Geomatics Technology combines the	C40420HS	AAS degree
	fundamentals of surveying technology with	Geomatics: Fundamentals of Surveying	
	geographical information systems (GIS) in order to	Tools & Technologies	
	provide students with a core set of skills and	(12 credit hour certificate)	
	aptitudes needed in engineering technology.		
	Coursework includes computer-aided drafting(CEG 115 Intro to Tech & Sustainability – 3 cr	
	CAD), career exploration, and an introduction to	GIS 111 Intro to GIS – 3 cr	
Geomatics	mapping complicated data for analytical,	GIS 112 Intro to GPS – 3 cr	
Technology	illustrative, and investigative purposes. Students	CEG 151 Cad for Engineering Tech – 3 cr	
	who complete a certificate can transfer seamlessly		
	to an Associate of Applied Science degree		
	program at Wake Tech, which will provide the		
	necessary depth and breadth of the knowledge,		
	skills, and attitudes required to find gainful		
	employment in the discipline.		
	This curriculum introduces students to basic	C45480	
	nursing skills needed in a health care setting and is	Certified Nursing Assistant	
	approved by the NC Division of Health Service	(14 credit hour certificate)	
	Regulation. Topics include communication, safety,		
Nursing Assistant	patient rights, personal care, vital signs,	NAS 101 Nursing Assistant I – 6 cr	
	elimination, nutrition, emergencies, rehabilitation,	NAS 102 Nursing Assistant II – 6 cr	
	and mental health. Upon completion, students	NAS 103 Home Health Care – 2 cr	
	will be able to demonstrate the skills necessary to		
	perform as a nurse aide.		

Plumbing	The Plumbing curriculum provides students with a sound understanding of the science, technology, and applications essential for successful employment in piping, fixture installation, and plumbing service and maintenance industries. Instruction in this certificate includes coursework in current code requirements for residential and commercial structures, practicum in rough-in, trim-out, and repair techniques, contextualized math coursework in pricing out plumbing jobs by fixture units, and an introduction to new and innovative technologies for reclamation of grey water and reducing water usage. Students who complete a certificate can transfer seamlessly to a diploma program at Wake Tech, which will provide the necessary depth and breadth of the knowledge, skills, and attitudes required to find gainful employment in the discipline.	C35300HS Introduction to Plumbing Techniques: Rough-in and Trim-out Procedures (16 credit hour certificate) PLU 110 Modern Plumbing-9 cr PLU 140 Into to Plumbing Codes-2 cr PLU 160 Plumbing Estimates-2 cr SST 140 Green Bldg & Design Conc-3 cr	 Diploma Certificates
Simulation & Game Development	This Simulation and Game Development curriculum introduces students to fundamentals of game development. Topics include: introduction to the video game industry, career exploration, creating 2D art for games, 3D modeling for creating storyboards, creating textures for 2D & 3D models and environments, and game design. Students who complete a certificate can transfer seamlessly to an Associate of Applied Science degree program at Wake Tech, which will provide the necessary depth and breadth of the knowledge, skills, and attitudes required to find employment or start their own game development company.	C25450HS Introduction to Simulation and Game Development: Art Fundamentals and Design (15 credit hour certificate) SGD 111 Introduction to SGD – 3 cr SGD 112 SGD Design – 3 cr SGD 116 Graphic Design Tools – 3 cr SGD 117 Art for Games – 3 cr SGD 212 SGD Design II – 3 cr	 AAS degree Diploma Additional Certificates

Welding	The Welding Technology curriculum provides students with a sound understanding of the science, technology, and applications essential for successful employment in the welding and metal industry. Instruction in this certificate includes consumable and non-consumable electrode welding, cutting processes, and learning to interpret the symbols on welding diagrams. Students who complete a certificate can transfer seamlessly to a diploma program at Wake Tech, which will provide the necessary depth and breadth of the knowledge, skills, and attitudes required to find gainful employment in the discipline.	C50420HS Welding Essentials: Symbology, Cutting Processes, and Metal Arc Welding Basics (14 credit hour certificate) WLD 110 Cutting Processes – 2 cr WLD 115 SMAW (Stick) Plate – 5 cr WLD 121 GMAW (MIG) Plate – 4 cr WLD 141 Symbols & Specs – 3 cr	 Diploma Additional Certificate
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