



WELD 1010

Division: Career and Technical Education

Department: Industrial Technology

Course: WELD 1010

Title: Oxy-acetylene Welding and Cutting Processes

Catalog Description:

This is a course designed for various trades and community members. This beginning course covers theory and practice of oxy-acetylene fusion welding of sheet steel, including cutting, welding, soldering, and braze welding of ferrous and non-ferrous metal. Muffler shops, farmers, and ranchers use oxy-acetylene equipment to make repairs and fabricate parts.

General Education Requirements: N/A

Semesters Offered: TBA

Credit/Time Requirement: Credit: 4; Lecture: 2; Lab: 6

Clock/Hour Requirements: 120

Offered for Non-Credit: Yes

Prerequisites: N/A

Corequisites: N/A

Justification:

This course has been approved by the program advisory committee. It meets the American Welding Society standards for Entry Level Welder Profile.

Student Learning Outcomes:

Upon successful completion, students will be able to:

- demonstrate safe shop practices while working with welding equipment
- demonstrate how to assemble and use oxy-acetylene equipment in all positions on several joint configurations
- demonstrate how to braze and solder joints
- make accurate cuts with an oxy-acetylene torch.

Content:

Course objectives will be accomplished by providing students with learning experiences in the following subject areas:

- proper safety techniques
- assembly and use of oxy-acetylene equipment
- brazing processes
- soldering processes
- cutting processes.

General Education Outcomes:

6) Apply computational skills to a variety of contexts.

Students will perform measurement, design, and fabrication functions as they pertain to laboratory experiences and welding projects. Students must be familiar with basic computational functions.

7) Apply scientific reasoning to a variety of contexts.

Students will understand the structural changes that take place in ferrous and non-ferrous materials during the welding process.

9) Respond with informed sensitivity to an artistic work or experience.

Students will visually inspect weld quality for appearance, uniformity, and consistency. Professional welding is judged heavily on the aesthetic aspect.

Applied Education Outcomes:

1) Students will acquire entry-level skills specific to and appropriate for employment in their chosen field of study.

Students correctly learn how to weld, braze, solder, and cut steel using the oxy-acetylene torch.

3) Students will demonstrate safe practices and awareness of potential hazards in their field of expertise.

Students must pass a shop safety test prior to entering the lab. Continued compliance with safe practices is monitored by the instructor.

Key Performance Indicators:

Student Learning Outcomes will be assessed by two or more of the following Key Performance Indicators:

- assignments
- tests and quizzes
- competency in subsequent courses and on projects.

- Larry Jeffus, *Welding Principles and Applications*, current edition, Delmar Publishers.

Optimum Class Size: 10

Maximum Class Size: 20

Signatures:

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