



AUTO 2990

Division: Career and Technical Education

Department: Automotive Technology

Course: AUTO 2990

Title: Shop Practicum I

Catalog Description:

This course provides supervised work experience at a sponsoring dealership or repair garage which applies directly to previous automotive courses. Proof of employment and approval of faculty supervisor is required. If the students plan to transfer to Weber State University, they must enroll concurrently in Weber State University AUTOSV 2860. This may incur additional costs.

General Education Requirements: N/A

Semesters Offered: TBA

Credit/Time Requirement: Credit: 1; Lecture: 0; Lab: 2

Clock/Hour Requirements: 30

Offered for Non-Credit: No

Credit/Clock Comments: This is a variable credit course (1-6: 2-12).

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

Justification:

This course allows students to complete their training in Automotive Technology by obtaining actual work experience in the field. It is modeled after Weber State University's AUTOSV 2860.

Student Learning Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this course, students will have the experience needed to perform better in their field of work or study.

Content:

This course provides on the job work experience in the student's major.

General Education Outcomes:

3) Speak effectively in a variety of contexts.

Students are required to communicate about repair and maintenance issues to customers. Strategies for customer communications are emphasized, with feedback being provided for improvement.

8) Apply ethical reasoning to a variety of contexts.

Students participate in a shop practicum experience where workplace ethics are a key component of the evaluation process. Students learn the importance of punctuality, honesty, and hard work.

Key Performance Indicators:

In class:

- Students will be evaluated by the management/shop foreman on their efficiency and working skills.

Following class:

- Course evaluation will be demonstrated by the following methods:
 - communication with the employers and on-site visits
 - students transferring to other post secondary institutions
 - student performance in subsequent courses.

Representative Text and/or Supplies:

- Instructional materials as directed by instructor

Optimum Class Size: 10

Maximum Class Size: 18

Signatures:

I hereby submit this course syllabus:

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