



AUTO COLLISION REPAIR TECHNOLOGY

Associate of Applied Science Degree

MILFORD CAMPUS

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This program is certified by the National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation and was the first auto collision repair program certified in Nebraska. Students gain entry-level basics of auto collision repair and master the skills required for today's body components. This is the only Auto Collision Repair Technology program in the state of Nebraska that is an I-CAR (Inter-Industry Conference on Auto Collision Repair) Training Alliance Member offering I-CAR Welding Qualifications and additional certifications.

Program Overview

This program admits students for the Winter and Summer quarters. This program is an introduction to the collision repair industry, including estimating, metal repair, welding, refinishing, and detailing. Students are required to provide or purchase a basic tool set during the first quarter. A required tool list and more information is available. Students also have the opportunity to work on their own vehicles, giving them real-world, on-the-job experiences. Upon completion of the program, students will qualify for one year of work experience required by ASE for technician certification.

Auto Collision Repair Core Courses:

Course #	Course title	Credit hrs
AUTB1150	Tools & Equipment	2.0
AUTB1155	Collision Repair Theory	7.5
AUTB1160	Welding Theory	2.0
AUTB1165	Collision Repair Lab	3.5
AUTB1170	Welding Lab	1.0
AUTB1175	Paint Finishes Theory	2.0
AUTB1250	Collision Repair Theory II	4.5
AUTB1255	Collision Repair Lab II	7.0
AUTB1260	Electrical Repair I	1.5
AUTB1350	Paint Finishes Theory II	3.0
AUTB1355	Estimating Theory	1.5
AUTB1360	Electrical Repair II	1.5
AUTB1365	Refinishing Lab I	5.5
AUTB1370	Collision Repair Lab III	1.5
AUTB1450	Structural Repair Theory	3.0
AUTB1455	Safety Restraints Systems	1.5
AUTB1460	Collision Repair Lab IV	3.5
AUTB1465	Refinishing Lab II	4.0
AUTB2550	Suspension & Alignment Theory	2.0
AUTB2555	Automotive Heating & Air Conditioning	1.0
AUTB2560	Brake Systems	1.5
AUTB2565	Collision Repair Lab V	7.5
AUTB2650	Collision Repair Lab VI	10.0
		78.0 hours



General Education Requirements:

Contact your program advisor to select general education courses from each category which will meet your program's graduation requirements. See the General Education pages online for a complete list.

(One class from each area below).	
Oral Communications	4.5
Written Communications	4.5
(Plus three classes from the five areas below; no two classes from the same area). Please see Program Chair for suggested courses.	
Mathematics, Science, Social Science, Humanities, and/or Computer Technology	13.5
22.5-24.0 hours	

Types of jobs available:

- Refinish Technician
- Non-structural Repair Technician
- Structural Repair Technician
- Combination Repair/ Refinish Technician
- Estimator
- Insurance Appraiser
- Aviation Refinish Technician
- Industrial Coatings Technician
- Equipment Sales Representative
- Material Sales Representative
- Refinish Technical Representative
- Auto Glass Installation Technician
- Restoration Technician
- Street Rod Technician

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Basic Tools for Auto Collision Repair Technology Program

Tools Required For First Quarter

- * Ear Plugs
- * Safety Glasses
- * 1 - Grinding & Gas Welding Shield Set
- 1 - Head Gear, 1 - (min. #5) Tinted Welding Shield
- * 1 - Leather Welding Gloves
- * 1 - Measuring Tape (with metric & standard measurements)
- * 1 - Welders Pliers
- 1 - Welding Helmet (Auto-Darkening recommended)

Tools Required For Fourth Week

- 1 - Paint Respirator 3M 7178
- 1 - Filler Mixing Board
- 1 - Surfform Curved File Blade (cheese grater)
- 1 - Adalox Board
- 1 - 5" Sanding Block
- 1 - 8" Sanding Block
- 1 - Contour Sanding Block
- 1 - Putty Knife
- 1 - Blow Gun
- 1 - Clean & Strip Mandrel

Tools Required For Sixth Week

- 1 - Interior Trim Panel Removal Tool
- 1 - Door Spring Compressor
- 1 - Magnetic Screwdriver
- 1 - 6" DA Sander
- 1 - Torx Screwdriver Set (T10 to T35) (magnetic bit optional)
- 1 - 13-piece Metric Combination Wrench Set (Sizes 7mm thru 21mm)
- 1 - 1/4" Drive Ratchet Set (ratchet, extensions)
- 12 piece - 1/4" drive 6-point shallow metric sockets (sizes 4mm thru 14mm including 5.5mm)
- 10 piece - 1/4" drive 6-point deep metric sockets (sizes 5mm -15mm)
- 8 piece - 1/4" drive 6-point deep standard sockets (sizes 1/4"-9/16")
- 1 - 15 piece Metric 3/8" Drive Shallow 6-point Socket Set (sizes 7mm thru 19mm)
- 1 - 13 piece Metric 3/8" Drive Deep 6-point Socket Set (sizes 7mm - 19mm) (includes ratchet)
- 1 - Torx Socket Set (T40, T45, T50, T55) (includes ratchet)

Tools Required For Second Quarter

- * 1 - Scientific Calculator

Tools Required For Third Quarter

- 1 - Roll-A-Way Tool Box (Top Chest Optional) (Maximum 55" long — 55" includes hang/add on boxes)
- 1 - Bent Door Skin Hammer
- 1 - Long Pick Hammer
- 1 - Roughing Hammer
- 1 - Curved Cross Chisel Hammer
- 1 - 3 lb. Cross Peen Hammer
- 1 - General Purpose (Universal) Dolly
- 1 - Toe Dolly
- 1 - Dinging Spoon
- 1 - Caulking Iron
- 1 - #1 Phillips Screwdriver (magnetic bit option)
- 1 - #2 Phillips Screwdriver (magnetic bit option)
- 1 - Small Straight Tip Screwdriver (magnetic bit option)
- 1 - Large Straight Tip Screwdriver (magnetic bit option)
- 1 - Scratch Awl
- 1 - 10" Locking Pliers (Vise Grip #10WR)
- 1 - C-Clamp Type Locking Pliers (Vise Grip #11R)
- 1 - Welders Grip Locking Pliers (Vise Grip #9R)
- 1 - Slip Lock 6" Pliers
- 1 - 5" Side Cutter Pliers
- 1 - Standard Allen (Hex) Wrench Set (magnetic bit option)
- 1 - Metric Allen (Hex) Wrench Set (magnetic bit option)
- 1 - Standard Combination Wrench Set (Sizes 5/16" to 1")
- 1 - 3/8" Extension Set (may be included in the set)
- 1 - 3/8" Shallow 6pt. Socket Set (3/8" to 3/4")
- 1 - 3/8" Deep 6-point Socket Set (Sizes 3/8" to 3/4")
- 1 - Wire Hand Brush
- 1 - Flash Light
- 1 - Drill Bit Set (to 3/8")
- 1 - Utility Knife
- 1 - Paint Nib File
- 1 - Buffing Spur
- 1 - HVLP (High Volume Low Pressure) Compliant Paint Gun

- 1 - Air Chuck
- 1 - Tire Pressure Gauge
- 1 - Test Light
- 1 - Antenna Socket Set or Wrench Set
- 1 - 1/2" Drive - 15/16" Deep Impact Socket
- 1 - 1/2" Drive - 1 1/8" Deep Impact Socket
- 1 - Seam Buster

Optional Tools

- 1 - Windshield Cold Knife
- 3/8" Drive Standard Impact Socket Sets (Deep & Shallow)
- 3/8" Drive Metric Impact Socket Sets (Deep & Shallow)
- 1/2" Drive Standard Socket Sets (Deep & Shallow)
- 1/2" Drive Metric Socket Sets (Deep & Shallow)
- 1/4" Air Ratchet
- 3/8" Air Ratchet
- 3/8" Butterfly Air Impact
- 3/8" Drive Air Impact
- 1/2" Drive Air Impact
- 3/8" Air Drill
- 1/2" Air Drill
- 5" Air Grinder (Dart)
- Air File
- Air Cut-off Tool (wizzer)
- Long Barrel Air Chisel
- Electric Polisher
- Air Polisher
- 8" DA Sander (Hog)
- Cordless Drill
- Slide Hammer
- Reveal Molding Tool
- Pry Bar Set
- Long C-Clamp Type Locking Plier (Vise Grip #18R)
- Duck-Bill Locking Pliers (Vise Grip #8R)
- Body File Handle with Curved Tooth Body File Blade
- Bulls Eye Pick
- Fresh Air Respirator (Hood or Full Face Mask)
- Digital Multi Meter

* May be purchased at the campus bookstore.

Estimated Expenses

To determine overall costs, students should plan a budget that includes the above expenses as well as room, meals, clothing, laundry, medical care, recreation and entertainment, transportation, insurance, etc.

Nebraska Resident tuition rate is \$61.50 per credit hour. Out-of-state tuition rate is \$75.50 per credit hour.

Student fee is \$1.50 per credit hour. Graduation fee is \$25.

Housing is available at Beatrice and Milford campuses only. Quarterly tuition, books and fees are dependent upon classes taken each quarter.

FIRST QUARTER

Tuition And Fees	\$1,418
Books	445
**Tools	1,850
Supplies	96
Total	\$3,809

SECOND QUARTER

Tuition And Fees	\$1,103
Books	235
Total	\$1,338

THIRD QUARTER

Tuition And Fees	\$1,103
Books	145
**Tools	3,800
Total	\$5,048

FOURTH QUARTER

Tuition And Fees	\$1,040
Books	225
Total	\$1,265

FIFTH QUARTER

Tuition And Fees	\$1,040
Books	195
Total	\$1,235

SIXTH QUARTER

Tuition And Fees	\$914
Books	105
Total	\$1,019

Total Estimate For Program \$13,714

** A tool set is required for successful completion of the program and required as an entry level technician. Tools may be purchased from a vendor of the individual's choosing. Vendors are available and offer students a discount. The discounts are determined by each vendor. The cost of tools will vary depending on which vendor is selected. As each quarter has different requirements for tools, some quarters will exceed the average listed and some quarters will be below the listed estimate.

