

Medium Heavy Diesel Technology Program

Information Sheet - West-MEC 2012-2013

Program Requirements		Detailed Information	
Live in the West-MEC district boundaries		Exhibit a strong interest in the career pathway	
Junior students only		Student should have a history of good attendance habits	
Complete the application process		Proof of immunization	
Transcripts, at the time of application, must reflect one credit of high school English and one credit of high school math (Algebra or higher) with a C or better.			
Participate in internship during the summer between Junior and Senior year		Optional internship depending on availability and grades in good standing.	
Complete the application process (including unofficial transcripts)			
Program Length			
Two years/900 hours			
Program Location			
Freightliner, Sterling, and Western Star of AZ		965 N 99 th Ave. Tolleson, AZ 85353	
Class Schedule			
This course meets 2.5 hours per day, Monday through Friday		Year I	M-F 1:15 PM - 3:45 PM (Juniors, MDHT I)
		Year II	M-F 7:30 AM - 10:00 AM (Seniors, MDHT II)
Grading Scale			
Grade	Percentage	For more information regarding specific grading policies, see the class syllabus.	
A	90% - 100%		
B	80% - 89%		
C	70% - 79%		
D	60% - 69%		
Required Fees/Materials			
\$50 course fee (non-refundable) (Registration Dates: 3/27 to 3/29)		Paid at West-MEC registration by first-year students. Fee covers program materials, uniform shirts and safety glasses.	
Closed-toe safety shoes (steel or reinforced toe)		Purchased by student.	
Industry Certification			
ASE Certification (Automotive Service Excellence)		Brakes, Electrical, Preventative Maintenance, Suspension & Steering and Engines	
Testing Information		ase.com	
Credits Issued by West-MEC			
High School – 6 elective credits		High School – 3 elective credits per year	
MANDATORY Program Orientation (All accepted students and their parents must attend one of these orientations)			
Cactus High School 6330 W. Greenway Road Glendale, Az. 85306 Monday , May 7, 2012 6-7:30pm		Valley Vista High School 15550 N. Parkview Place Surprise, Az. 85335 Thursday, May 17, 2012 6-7:30 pm	
Career Opportunities			
Diesel Technician, Diesel Engine Specialist, Parts Management, Service Manager, Equipment/Engine Sales			
Starting Salary Range			
\$16.00 - \$18.00			