Iowa Department of Education – Technical Assistance Offer

Automotive Technology Curriculum – Aligned with NATEF National Standards

- Supports Your Perkins Requirements
- Funded by the Department of Education

Automotive Programs

FREE OFFER OF TECHNIAL ASSISTANCE

The Department of Education is offering to underwrite the cost of supplying cutting edge automotive curriculum for your program. This opportunity is made possible through a partnership with Today's Class. The DE will pay $120^{00} for a substitute, .39/mile travel, and provide lunch. Schools and Community Colleges that decide to adopt the program will be required to send an instructor to a one day professional development workshop hosted by DMACC on October 28th, 9:30-3:30 to learn how to use the program.

Schools and Community Colleges that agree to incorporate the curriculum this year are not required to make a commitment to continue past this year. However, we believe that you will find the curriculum an asset to your program instruction, student learning and performance.

TODAY'S CLASS-AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY

Today's Class' Automotive training program is designed for secondary and post-secondary CTE program. The program can be delivered through lecture format by instructors or through self-paced individualized web-based access by students. The program includes third-party end of program assessments that meet Perkins requirements.

The Automotive course work is developed to train entry-level technicians in a variety of automotive basics, as well as keep seasoned technicians current on the industry's constantly evolving technology. The courses employ animation, narration, and interactive "drag and drop" features to create an engaging, self-paced classroom resource. The instructor's ability to tract students progress and provide one-on-one support allows for increased communication. The Learning Management System's unique reporting features provide instant feedback to the student and reduced grading and lecture time for the instructor.

Registration Form

Attach the Registration form and email it to: Andrew.Wermes@iowa.gov to register.

SUPPORTS PERKINS REQUIREMENTS

- Academically Related Content
- Accountability
- Progress Measure
- Improve Program Completion
- Industry Certification
- Interactive Instruction
- Technical Skill Proficiency

SUPPORTS STUDENT REQUIREMENTS

- The student must be motivated to learn the material and apply their knowledge
- The training program should be easily accessible to all students and instructors
- The student should be given the freedom to study at his or her own pace
- The student must have clear objectives and receive timely evaluations on their submissions
- The program should support student-instructor correspondence
- Includes third party end-of-program assessment tests.

SUPPORTS INSTRUCTOR REQUIREMENTS

- The program should support the instructor's curriculum by supplying theory and concepts.
- The instructor should have monitoring access over the students' progress and completed grades.
- Qualifies for instructor update training required by NATEF
- Includes technical support services.

Address your questions to:

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