Program Costs

Fees listed are based on the number of class days according to the Broward County Public Schools' calendar.

Prices are subject to change without notice.

Accreditation

For information about national and program accreditation, contact the institution.

Campus Information

Obtain information regarding faculty, code of conduct, campus map, school calendar and grievance information, by scanning the QR code below or in the McFatter Technical College and High School catalog available upon request.





McFatter Technical College and Technical High School

Main Campus

6500 Nova Drive | Davie, FL 33317 | 754.321.5700

Broward Fire Academy Campus

2600 S.W. 71 Terrace | Davie, FL 33314 | 754.321.1300

Jeanette L. Johnson, Director Ellen J. Albano, Assistant Director Cara A. Daniel, Assistant Director Larry Rothman, Assistant Director

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In working to achieve this vision, it is our mission to promote excellence in academic, career, and technical studies in order to prepare students to enter and remain competitive in a global workforce.

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Automotive Collision Technology Technician



Where Your Next Chapter Begins...



Program Description

The Automotive Collision Technology Technician program at McFatter Technical College goes beyond a simple body shop repair program. It is considered by many to be a study in physics & chemistry, while others consider the end-result as a "work of art or even a masterpiece!" Students are taught the Technology skills by experts in the field who are fully certified with years of experience. Students are exposed to both theory and hands-on activities in order to prove their competency. The classroom and shop are equipped with the latest equipment & systems, so students will learn on industry standards such as: Car-O-Liner, CTR-1200 -Spot Welder, Water Born & Chroma Max Paint System. In this program, students are expected to maintain serious and professional attitudes in order to train for a career and obtain meaningful employment.

The Automotive Collision Technology Technician program is delivered in the Industrial Building. Students will receive hands-on training in the shop/lab area.

Distance Education/Hybrid Courses:

Students enrolled in distance education and/or hybrid courses should have daily access to a computer with internet and must have a valid email address that they check daily. Additionally, students should have all necessary hardware and software components required by their technology program or adult education course.

Admission Requirements

Schedule the Tests of Adult Basic Education (TABE) (\$15) or provide official documentation for a TABE exemption to your program counselor.

Schedule an appointment with your program counselor for TABE results and/or a program specific orientation.

Register for classes during open enrollment. Please be advised that registration runs on a first come, first served basis.

For additional information, please contact the Office of Admissions at (754) 321-5700.

Program Hours and Schedule

1400 hours | 14 months | Hybrid

Full-time:

Monday - Friday, 7:00am - 1:45pm

Part-Time:

Monday - Friday, 7:00am - 10:00am

Monday - Friday, 10:45am - 1:45pm

This program is offered 5 times per year in August, October, January, March and June.

Courses

| Automotive Collision Repair and Refinishing | |
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| Helper/Assistant | 150 Hours |
| Automotive Collision Refinishing Technician | 450 Hours |
| ■ Non-Structural Damage Repair Technician | 300 Hours |
| ■ Damage Analysis and Estimating | 75 Hours |
| ■ Automotive Collision Welding, | |
| Cutting and Joining | 75 Hours |
| ■ Structural Damage | |
| Repair Technician | 350 Hours |

Industry Certification and Licensure

■ Automotive Service Excellence (ASE)

Employment Opportunities

- OEM Dealerships
- Independent shops
- Auto parts stores
- Insurance companies
- Salvage yards
- Paint supply stores

Articulation

Upon completion of the program and meeting eligibility requirements, students may be awarded credits toward an Associate of Science (A.S.) Degree or Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) Degree at selected Florida state colleges.

Transfer Policy

Students with prior training or experience may be eligible for advanced placement upon approval of the institution.

Financial Services

Financial Aid - Financial assistance is available to those who qualify. Visit fafsa.ed.gov to apply.

Refunds - Refunds are available within 5 days of the start of a term. After 5 days, requests must be made in writing. A student is entitled to a full refund of fees if a course is cancelled by the college. For complete information, please see School Board Policy 6607.

Grading System

The district prescribed guidelines are used to evaluate student performance as follows:

A 90-100% D 60-69% B 80-89% F 0-59% C 70-79% I Incomplete