



ColLEDGE UP **PISTONS To PATHWAYS**

**AUTOMOTIVE TECHNICIAN
DEALERSHIP ACADEMIES**

AUG. 31-MAY 17

Do you love problem solving and diverse work? Are you detail-oriented and ambitious?

Take the first step towards this rewarding career by enrolling in Pistons to Pathways as a high school junior or senior!

If you possess these attributes and you love cars and trucks, you may have what it takes to pursue a career as an auto technician.



**WEDNESDAY EVENING FACE-TO-FACE AUTOMOTIVE CLASSES
ARE HELD AT THE FOLLOWING DEALERSHIPS:**

**Fillback
Family of Dealerships**
Boscobel, Prairie du Chien,
and Richland Center

Hallada Motors
Dodgeville

Pioneer Ford
Platteville

COURSES

YEAR 1: JUNIOR OR SENIOR YEAR

Automotive Maintenance (32-404-314 / 3 credits)

Students perform routine maintenance of the automobile including new and used car preparation, fluid checks and service, interior and exterior considerations, replacing filters and small parts, repairing tires, replacing belts, replacing wiper blades, and other repairs to maintain acceptable automobile performance.

YEAR 2: SENIOR YEAR

Applied Automotive Maintenance (32-404-339 / 1 credit)

Students apply automotive maintenance skills, provide lab support, and mentor fellow students taking the Automotive Maintenance course. Expanding on the fundamental concepts of automotive maintenance, students develop advanced knowledge, skills, and abilities to prepare for the ASE Automotive Maintenance G1 certification exam. Particular emphasis is placed on learning outcomes associated with engine repair, automatic and manual transmissions, brakes, steering and suspension, electrical diagnosis, and HVAC systems. Pre-requisite: Automotive Maintenance (32-404-314)

Workplace Communication (31-801-310 / 2 credits)

Students apply oral, written, listening, and non-verbal skills to workplace situations. Students discover how to use communication as the key to solving workplace problems, resolving conflicts, working as members of a team, and effectively giving and receiving criticism. Students develop an understanding of diversity in the workplace, harassment issues, and the impact of substance abuse on the job.

You will earn both high school and college credit! You may also enroll in the CESA #3 Youth Apprenticeship Program for a work-based learning experience to enhance the skills learned in the classroom. Contact:

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After high school, you may continue into the Automotive Technician program at Southwest Tech with up to 6 program credits already completed! For more information about this opportunity, contact:

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