



GET YOUR FOOT IN THE  
MANUFACTURING DOOR

# Certified Production Technician

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Speed up your success with a career in the high-tech, fast-growing manufacturing industry. Use different technologies to set up, test and adjust advanced manufacturing machinery or equipment. Technology is moving the manufacturing industry quickly, so it is up to the certified production technician to stay on schedule and ahead of trouble.

### LEARNING AT WASHBURN TECH

This online program will prepare you to be a productive member of a manufacturing team. Instruction includes manufacturing processes and production, maintenance, safety and quality control. It also will prepare you to take the Manufacturing Skills Standards Council (MSSC) certification exams. Upon completion, you will earn a 14-credit-hour technical certificate and be eligible to take the MSSC tests. **Please note, this program is offered online as well as at Fort Riley. It is not financial aid eligible but does qualify for the Kansas Promise Scholarship.**

### JOB AND SALARY OUTLOOK

Area manufacturers report being challenged to find enough workers for their operations. More opportunities are available to those with relevant education and training. The average salary for an entry-level helper/production worker is \$12.09 an hour or \$25,140 annually,

according to the Kansas Department of Labor. The average wage is \$14.61 an hour or \$30,400 annually.

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Students are required to take the Accuplacer test and score a minimum of 4 in both reading and math. Other assessments or college coursework can be accepted in place of Accuplacer. Please see an admissions counselor for details. You must complete an application and submit a copy of official transcripts.

### CERTIFICATIONS

- + Certified Production Technician, MSSC
- + OSHA-10

## Build your best self.

TALK TO AN ADMISSIONS COUNSELOR TODAY!

785.670.2200

### CAREERS IN MANUFACTURING »

- + industrial maintenance
- + food production
- + machinist
- + distribution facility
- + educator
- + logistics specialist
- + welder
- + line supervisor



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## COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

### SAFETY IN MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION

Provides an overview of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration General Industry Designated Training Topics and offers entry-level general industry workers a broad awareness of recognizing and preventing hazards in a general industrial setting

### QUALITY PRACTICES & MEASUREMENT

Provides basic quality practices and measurements that will enable the student to produce high quality products

### MANUFACTURING PROCESSES & PRODUCTION

Identification of skills necessary to have a successful career; topics include listening skills, oral communication, human relations, decision making/problem solving, how to work as a team and resource management

### MAINTENANCE TRAINING

Due to the importance of preventive maintenance and production housekeeping, learn how to monitor production equipment for both routine and preventative maintenance

### OSHA-10

Focuses on job/site safety and precautions

### FORKLIFT OPERATION

Gain the knowledge and skills to operate a forklift in a safe and professional manner



## APPLICATION CHECKLIST



**MEET WITH ADMISSIONS**



**TAKE ACCUPLACER\***



**SUBMIT TRANSCRIPT(S)**



**PAY ENROLLMENT FEE (ADULT ONLY)**

### 2023-2024 PROGRAM COSTS (Estimated)

	HIGH SCHOOL	ADULT
Enrollment fee	\$0	\$50
Tuition	*FREE	\$2,128
All other fees	\$797	\$1,175
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$797</b>	<b>\$3,353</b>

\*Tiered courses are paid by Excel in CTE. Non-tiered courses are paid by the student.

### ADDITIONAL CHARGES\*\* (Estimated)

	HIGH SCHOOL	ADULT
Tools/Books	\$0	\$0

### COST NOTE

\*\*A list of required tools/books is on a separate sheet of paper and on our website, WashburnTech.edu. Students also will need to purchase supplies such as (but not limited to) pens/pencils, notebooks/paper, three-ring binder, etc. Students may purchase them at the vendor of their choice.

### MORE INFO »

**For more programs, enrollment and course schedule information, please contact Admissions.**

**CALL 785.670.2200**

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