

Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) Installation

Professional/Technical Pathway

This pathway is designed for students pursuing entry-level work as installers of HVAC systems. The target wage for entry-level HVAC positions in Oregon is \$10–\$12 per hour. Students complete the training in one term and earn 14 credits.

Skills gained in this training can open the door to various jobs in the HVAC service industry and serve as solid preparation for the PCC Facilities Maintenance Technology Program or Apprenticeship and Trades programs.

Format

Classes are held Monday thru Friday.

Cost

Estimated:

Tuition and Fees for 14 credits*	\$2,022.80
Books, Certifications and Tools	\$1,209.74
Total (Includes parking).....	\$3,232.54

* Includes fee for career guidance, Career Planning course and job placement assistance.

Features

- Students earn 14 college credits that may be applicable to other PCC degree programs while learning a new career.
- Students are work-ready upon completion of the pathway.
- Training is on the State of Oregon Eligible Training Providers list (WIA).
- Students are prepared to sit for their brazing and CFC certifications at the conclusion of the pathway.
- Students participate in three hours a week of Career Planning.
- A cohort learning community is developed and an Employment Specialist supports students as they pursue employment in the HVAC field.
- Pathway is held in a new lab facility located at PCC's Cascade Campus.
- This pathway is offered in partnership with PCC Cascade Trades and Industry Department.

Prerequisites

- Students must possess a High School Diploma or GED.
- Complete a COMPASS placement exam (results of the exam should place students into Writing 90, Reading 90, and Math 20) at a PCC Testing Center.
- For information on a COMPASS Test Taking Workshop please call 503-788-6218.
- If test scores are below those listed above, please speak with the contact person listed for enrollment options.

Courses

FMT 111 Refrigeration Electrical I	2 credits
FMT 112 Refrigeration Electrical II	2 credits
FMT 113 Refrigeration Electrical III	2 credits
FMT 101 Refrigeration I	2 credits
FMT 102 Refrigeration II	2 credits
FMT 103 Refrigeration III	2 credits
FMT 210 Basic HVAC/R Installation.....	2 credits
WFTT23 Career Planning	Non-credit

Steps to Admission

1. Apply for Admission to PCC
2. Take the College placement exam. You can call one of the PCC testing centers listed below to schedule an exam:
 - Cascade Campus 503-978-5234
 - Rock Creek Campus..... 503-614-7300
 - SE Center 503-788-6277
 - Sylvania Campus 503-977-4533
3. Complete the PCC online student orientation.
4. Speak with the pathway contact listed below.

Contact

Andrew Roessler, 503-788-6271, aroessle@pcc.edu

For more detailed information visit our web page at:
www.pcc.edu/cp

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