Automotive Maintenance

Syllabus

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Course Length: 2 Semesters / 1 Period Fees: \$30.00

Course Description: Class lecture and assignments, along with hands on

experience in the lab provides students with basic automotive maintenance and employability skills. The following areas are covered in this course: Auto Detail, Tire Service, Lubrication/Maintenance, Brakes Service, Steering/Suspension Systems, and Basic Engine Theory

and Operation.

Textbook: LJCreate online interactive curriculum

Materials Needed:

- Work Shoes/ Boots (Will get dirty in shop)
- Work Clothes (Work Shirt Provided with Lab Fee)
- Safety Glasses (Provided with Lab Fees)

Grading Policy:

- All Assessments will be awarded points
- Students can earn 200+ points per week
- Daily Participation
- Test/Quizzes
- Classwork/Homework
- Lab Tasks/Projects

Absent Work/Late Work Policy: Stu

Students will be allowed to make up work missed for excused absences. For each day that assignments are late, 10 points may be deducted. Certain lab activities may not be able to be made up, other activities may be required.

Course Calendar:

August Lab Orientation

Safety Testing

September Tool Identification

Proper Tool Usage Lifting Vehicles Safety Fasteners and Torque

October Exterior Vehicle Maintenance

Wash and Wax Vehicle Detail

Professional Vehicle Detail

November Under hood Maintenance/ Inspections

L.O.F. Oil Change Cooling Systems

Fluid Exchange/Maintenance

December Tire Construction/ Wheel Construction

Computerized Wheel Balance Professional Tire Service

January Semester 1 Make up Time

Semester 1 Exams
Brake System Theory

February Brake System Component Identification

Brake System Service Brake Hydraulics

Trac/Esc add on Systems

March Steering and Suspension

S/S Service and Repair Shocks and Struts Alignments

April Engine Theory and Operation

Engine Component Identification Engine Performance Theory Diagnostic Code Reading

May Customer Service/ Employability

Semester 2 Make up Time Review Vehicle Maintenance

Semester 2 Exam Prep

Along with the above coursework, students will perform maintenance to personal vehicles or school supplied vehicles. The class will also perform maintenance and exterior vehicle service on many customer service vehicles. Course Calendar is subject to change....