

Career Major:

Automotive Chassis Technician



Pathway:
Automotive Service

Cluster:
Transportation, Distribution & Logistics

Career description:

Automotive Chassis Technicians align and balance wheels and repair steering mechanisms and suspension systems. They frequently use special alignment equipment and wheel-balancing machines. They also adjust brakes, replace brake linings and pads, and make other repairs on brake systems.

Courses:

- Introduction to Automotive Service
- Safety and Pollution Prevention
- Automotive Electrical/Electronics Introduction I
- Automotive Electrical/Electronics Fundamentals II
- Automotive Steering and Suspension Introduction I
- Automotive Steering and Suspension Fundamentals II
- Automotive Brakes Advanced III
- Automotive Steering and Suspension Advanced III
- Workforce Staging

Additional Career Majors In This Pathway:

- Automotive Air Conditioning Technician
- Automotive Service Technician
- Automotive Maintenance Light Repair Technician

AVERAGE SALARY

\$32,200/year

Program Length:

495 hours

Who Can Attend:

High school students or adults

Schedules Available:

Morning class: 8:10-11:00 am

Afternoon class: 12:40-3:30 pm

FULL-TIME STUDENTS:

Attend both sessions.

Entrance Requirements:

If you are a high school student, please contact your high school counselor about enrollment. Prospective adult students should contact a Meridian career counselor for enrollment information.

Tuition:

Tuition is free for students enrolled in one of our district high schools. Students can attend during their junior and senior years or during their senior year and the year following graduation. Scholarships are available to qualified applicants who graduate from one of our district high schools if they enroll within two years of graduation. Adult tuition is based on the number of hours in the chosen career major. A Meridian career counselor will be able to provide more information.

* This major is not eligible for Federal Financial Aid.

College Credit:

College credit is available for this career. Please contact a Meridian career counselor for more information.

Licensure/Certification:

In addition to certification from Meridian, students are eligible to take Automotive Service Excellence exams. For more information, please visit ASE's Web site: www.ase.com