



Automotive Collision Repair Technology

The Automotive Collision Repair Technology Program prepares students for entry into one or more of the many service branches of the expanding automotive collision repair and maintenance fields. This program will also meet the needs of those interested in acquiring the knowledge and skills necessary to repair and maintain the appearance and value of their personal vehicles.

Job Opportunities

WHAT JOBS ARE AVAILABLE IN THIS FIELD?	HOW MUCH DO THEY EARN PER YEAR?	HOW MANY PEOPLE CURRENTLY WORK IN THIS POSITION IN THE AREA?	HOW MANY NEW JOBS WILL OPEN BY 2022 IN THE AREA?	GROWTH INDICATOR
Automotive Body*	\$48,963	777	44	▲ Strong
Automotive Collision Repair Technicians repair and refinish automotive vehicle bodies and straighten vehicle frames.				
Painters, Transportation*	\$45,988	323	14	▲ Positive
Painters of transportation equipment operate or tend painting machines to paint surfaces of transportation equipment, such as automobiles, buses, trucks, trains, boats, and airplanes. Includes painters in auto body repair facilities.				
Auto Glass Repairers*	\$35,588	114	5	▲ Positive

Auto Glass Repairers replace or repair broken windshields and window glass in motor vehicles.

To explore these professions in more detail or find out about other growing professions, visit oneline.org. The College of Marin Career and Technical Education department can be contacted at (415) 457-8811 x8200 for more information about this and other Workforce and Career Technical Education programs.

*Labor data and potential median income sourced from Economic Modeling Specialists International (www.economicmodeling.com) and includes the North Bay Region and San Francisco County. For more information about graduation rates, median debt of students who have completed the program, and other important information, visit www1.marin.edu/gainful-employment

Program

CERTIFICATE/DEGREE PROGRAM LENGTH	ESTIMATED TUITION AND FEES*	ESTIMATED BOOKS AND SUPPLIES*
A.S. in Automotive Collision Repair Technology, Master Collision Repair, 5 semesters 43 units	\$2156	\$0

*These expenses may not reflect your actual cost to attend College of Marin. For information about opportunities for financial aid, please contact Enrollment Services at (415) 457-8811 Ext. 8822 or via email admissions@marin.edu

Master Collision Repair Technician Projected course rotation (Fall Start)

CLASS TITLE	COMPLETED	COURSE #	COURSE UNITS	SEMESTER OFFERED	DAYS OFFERED	TIME OF CLASS	REQUIRED FOR CERTIFICATE OR ASSOCIATE DEGREE ¹
SEMESTER 1			(8)				
Basic Sheet Metal Operations for Auto Collision Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 101B	2	Fall	M	Evening	X
Introduction to Automotive Collision Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 102B	2	Fall	R	Afternoon	X
Nonstructural Analysis and Damage Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 103B	2	Fall	W	Afternoon	X
Structural Analysis and Damage Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 104B	2	Fall	W	Evening	X
SEMESTER 2			(11)				
Career Math/Resumes/Customer Service	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 100	4	Spring	T	Evening	X
Advanced Structural Analysis and Damage Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 105A	2	Spring	M	Afternoon	X
Metal Fabrication	<input type="checkbox"/>	MACH 106	2	Spring	S	Morning, Afternoon	X
MIG Welding for ACRT	<input type="checkbox"/>	MACH 107	3	Spring	W	Evening	X
SEMESTER 3			(9)				
Automotive Paint: Waterborne, Clear Coat, and Detailing	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 201	4	Fall	T,S	Afternoon, Morning	X
Specialized Electronic Training	<input type="checkbox"/>	AUTO 113	5	Fall	M,W	Evening	X
SEMESTER 4			(6)				
Automotive Paint: Three-Stage and Custom Painting	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 202	4	Spring	S, SW	Morning, Afternoon	X
Frame Straightening and Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 279	2	Spring	M	Evening	X
SEMESTER 5			(9)				
Automotive Maintenance - Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/>	AUTO 111	3	Summer	W	Evening	X
Automotive Painting and Refinishing Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 160	1.5	Summer	M-W	Morning, Afternoon	X
Automotive Dent and Damage Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 161	1.5	Summer	M-W	Morning, Afternoon	X
Automotive Structural Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 162	1.5	Summer	M-W	Morning, Afternoon	X
Automotive Mechanical and Electrical Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	ACRT 163	1.5	Summer	M-W	Morning, Afternoon	X
UNITS REQUIRED			(43)				

¹Associate Degree requires the completion of additional general education coursework. Please refer to the College of Marin course catalog or consult your counselor for requirements.

For assistance with creating your educational plan and choosing the program that is right for you, see your counselor. To schedule an appointment, call the counseling office at (415) 485-9432.