# Railroad Operations- Welding Option, AAS

Maintenance of way welding involves maintenance and repair of rail and track components. The final phase of this program consists of course work provided in cooperation with the National Academy of Railroad Sciences. Selective admission to the program is based on various criteria. Interested students should meet with a JCCC counselor as early as possible.

For information visit the National Academy of Railroad Sciences (http://www.railroadtraining.com). Hover your cursor over the "New Careers" tab and choose from the list.

(Major Code 2850; State CIP Code 49.0208)

### **First Semester**

Total Hours	15	
Health and/or Physical Education Elective ^		1
RRT 121	Railroad Technical Careers	3
PHYS 133	Applied Physics*	5
INDT 125	Industrial Safety/OSHA 30	3
ENGL 123	Technical Writing I*	3
Second Semes	ter	
Total Hours		13
RRT 120	History of Railroading	3
PHIL 124	Logic and Critical Thinking	3
MATH 130	Technical Mathematics I*	3
ENGL 121	Composition I*	3
CPCA 105	Introduction to Personal Computers: Windows	1

# inira Semester

Total Hours		18
SPD 125	Personal Communication	3
RRT 165	Railroad Safety, Quality and Environment	3
RRT 150	Railroad Operations	3
or ECON 230	Economics I	
ECON 132	Survey of Economics	3
Technical/Related Elective (see below)		6

### **Fourth Semester**

Total Hours		18
RRIT 145	Frog Welding*	3
RRIT 136	Rail and Switch Point Repair Welding*	3
RRIT 132	Thermite Welding*	3
RRIT 123	Basic Welding*	3
RRIT 122	Elements of Welding*	3
Technical/Related Elective (see below)		3

# **Technical/Related Electives**

AUTO 125	Introduction to Automotive Shop Practices	3
AUTO 165	Automotive Engine Repair*	4
CET 105	Construction Methods	3
CET 129	Construction Management	3
DRAF 123	Interpreting Machine Drawings*	2

DRAF 129	Interpreting Architectural Drawings	2
MFAB 124	Introduction to Welding	3
MFAB 128	Basic Machine Tool Technology	3
MFAB 140	Maintenance Repair Welding*	3
MFAB 180	Blueprint and Symbols Reading for Welders	2
MFAB 240	Metallurgy	2
RRIT 137	Structural Welding SMAW*	3
RRIT 138	Structural Welding FCAW*	3
RRIT 142	Structural Pile Welding*	3
RRIT 160	Mechanical Basic Welding*	3
RRIT 162	Mechanical Welding Structural Stick*	3
RRIT 164	Mechanical Welding Structural Wire*	3
RRIT 166	Mechanical Welding Air Brake Pipe* (Prerequisite:Approval of Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) Training Director)	3
RRIT 168	Mechanical Welding Sheet Metal* (Prerequisite:Approval of Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) Training Director)	3

**Total Program Hours: 64**