



Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Technology

ASSOCIATE DEGREE

Program Code: 10-601-1

Oak Creek Campus

Ensure comfortable environments in homes and businesses. Students attain a background in mathematics, drafting, electricity and thermodynamics. Co-op credit may be available for appropriate employment opportunities.

Career Outlook

There is a steady demand for trained air conditioning and refrigeration technicians.

The Refrigeration, Air Conditioning and Heating Service Technician technical diploma ladders into this associate degree program. Contact an MATC advisor for information.

Program Learning Outcomes

- Install HVAC/R components
- Service HVAC/R systems
- Troubleshoot HVAC/R systems
- Evaluate HVAC/R system designs

Admission Requirements

- A high school diploma or GED
- One year of high school-level algebra



Manufacturing, Construction & Transportation
MILWAUKEE AREA Technical College

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Start dates: August and January

For complete information, go to
matc.edu/course-catalog/manufacturing-construction-transportation

To apply for financial aid, visit fafsa.gov School Code: 003866

COURSES

Credits

ENG-195	Written Communication ‡	3
	(or) ENG-201 English 1 ‡	
GEOSCI-112	Principles of Sustainability	3
	(or) Any 200-level BIOSCI, CHEM, GEOSCI, PHYS course	
HVAC2-109	Introduction to the HVAC Industry	1
HVAC2-110	Air Conditioning Fundamentals	3
HVAC2-113	Electrical Fundamentals	3
HVAC2-132	Architectural and Mechanical Fundamentals	4
ENG-197	Technical Reporting ‡	3
	(or) Any 200-level ENG course	
HVAC2-114	Electrical Controls and Systems ‡	4
HVAC2-115	Refrigeration 1 ‡	4
HVAC2-120	Heating Systems 1 ‡	4
HVAC2-116	Refrigeration 2 ‡	4
HVAC2-121	Heating Systems 2 ‡	4
HVAC2-146	Digital Energy Management Systems ‡	2
HVAC2-148	Heat Pumps ‡	3
MATH-107	College Mathematics ‡	3
	(or) Any 200-level MATH course	
HVAC2-125	Control Application and Circuits ‡	4
HVAC2-126	Air Conditioning Systems ‡	3
HVAC2-144	Servicing and Troubleshooting Refrigeration and Air Conditioning ‡	3
PSYCH-199	Psychology of Human Relations	3
	(or) Any 200-level PSYCH course	
SOCSCI-197	Contemporary American Society	3
	(or) Any 200-level SOCSCI course	

TOTAL CREDITS: 64

‡ Prerequisite required.

Program curriculum requirements are subject to change.

This Associate in Applied Science program will transfer to one or more four-year institutions.

Official Wisconsin Technical College System program title: Air Conditioning, Heating and Refrigeration Technology.

This program is accredited by HVAC Excellence,
P.O. Box 521, Mt. Prospect, IL 60056; 800-394-5268;
<https://www.escogroup.org/accreditation/default.aspx>.

Current MATC students should consult their Academic Program Plan for specific curriculum requirements.

Possible Careers

- Air Conditioning Technician
- Refrigeration Technician
- Sales Representative
- System Design Technician
- System Designer
- System Supervisor

Related Programs

- Appliance Technician
- Refrigeration, Air Conditioning and Heating Service Technician
- Preparatory Plumbing



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Downtown Milwaukee Campus

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