Refund Policy

Refunds will be made on a pro-rated basis during the first two weeks (10 days) of school. No refunds are made after the class has been in session over two weeks. Refunds will be completed within ten working days. The $5.$\underline{00}$ application fee is non-refundable. If Locklin Tech cancels the class due to low enrollment, a full refund is made.

Rules and Regulations for Conduct

All students are expected to follow the rules and regulations as set forth by the Santa Rosa County School Board's Student Code of Conduct and Locklin Tech's Curriculum & Student Guide.

Mission Statement

The mission of Locklin Tech is to provide technical and supplemental training and academic education to the students, businesses, industries, manufacturers, and other citizens in Santa Rosa County. Preparing students for the workforce in a technology rich learning environment will enable them to compete in a new global economy, continue their education or training, and pursue the vision and goals of our educational system.

Accreditation

This institution is accredited by:

The Council on Occupational Education
7840 Roswell Road
Building 300, Suite 325
Atlanta, Georgia 30350
770.396.3898
www.council.org

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It is the policy of the School Board of Santa Rosa County to offer the opportunity to students to participate in appropriate programs, services and activities without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, sex, marital status, or disability. If a student feels he or she has been discriminated against, he/she may appeal by using the procedure and form approved by the district school board and available in the principal's office.

This publication can be made available to speakers of other languages in any language for the student or parent to understand (orally or in writing, whichever is more convenient) and to persons with disabilities in a variety of formats, including Braille, large print, or audio tape. Telephone or written requests should include your name, address, and telephone or TDD number. Requests should be made to:

Locklin Tech
5330 Berryhill Road
Milton, Florida 32570

Phone: 850.983.5700
Fax: 850.983.5715

www.locklintech.com

Knowledge that Works

Welding

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The Welding program at Locklin Tech is designed to prepare students for employment as welders and flame cutters, tack welders, welder assemblers, arc cutters, combination welders and production line welders. Course content includes safe and efficient work practices; blueprints and shop drawings; and assembling parts according to diagrams, blueprints, or written specifications. A combination of theory and "hands-on" exercises will enable the student to master jobs in the welding field including stick, mig, tig, pipe, oxyacetylene and basic shop skills. Techniques to improve communication and leadership skills, as well as involvement in SkillsUSA, serve the student with a well rounded training opportunity.

The courses and hours for this program include:

- Welder Helper—250 Hours
- Welder, Shielded Metal Arc—250 Hours
- Welder, Gas Metal Arc—125 Hours
- Welder, Flux Cored Arc—100 Hours
- Welder, Gas Tungsten Arc—175 Hours
- Welder, Pipe—270 Hours

Upon completion of this program the student will be able to:

- Apply oxyfuel gas cutting principles and practices
- Apply shielded metal arc welding skills
- Apply visual examination skills
- Identify metals
- Demonstrate arc cutting principles and practices
- Apply gas metal arc welding skills
- Apply flux cored arc welding skills
- Apply gas tungsten arc welding skills
- Fabricate and weld pipe joints
- Perform fabrication using welding skills

Availability

Locklin Tech's admission policy allows students to enter a program at the beginning of a semester provided space is available during the school year.

Admission

As an initial part of your potential enrollment, you will be given the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE). The TABE is a measurement of reading, language and math skills and will be used to determine your strength and weaknesses. A TABE score of 9.0 is required prior to enrolling in this technical program. Applicants scoring two grade levels below the required TABE score must attend remediation classes to improve basic skills. Achievement of basic skills is required before a certificate of program completion can be awarded. A booklet, *Preparing for the TABE,* is available in Student Services to provide you with an overview for this computer-based test. Call 983-5700, ext. 209, to schedule an appointment and obtain information on testing fees. Please provide photo identification at the time of testing.

Financial Aid

Locklin Tech has a financial aid counselor to assist students who may qualify for a Pell Grant. Locklin's school code is **017198.** The application process may be completed on-line at www.fafsa.gov.

Tuition/Fees/Other Costs

See a current schedule for tuition. The student must wear appropriate safety gear in the welding lab. Welding hood, sleeves, safety glasses and gloves will cost approximately $250. Books ($175), tools ($150) and supplies ($15) will be additional expenses.

Length of Program 1170 Hours

Adult students may be enrolled either fulltime or part-time in the Applied Welding Technologies Program. As a fulltime student you would earn 900 hours in one year (36 weeks) of the 1170 hours required for the program.

Industry Certification

The Contren Learning Series curriculum used in this program prepares students for valuable industry certification from the National Center for Construction Education and Research (NCCER). Training accomplishments are documented through NCCER's national registry.

Program Completion

A student is awarded a certificate upon successful completion of program competencies determined by the Florida Department of Education's curriculum, basic skills (TABE score) and classroom/shop hours.

Employment Opportunities

Two out of three jobs involve the manufacture of durable goods including boilers, bulldozers, trucks, ships and consumer appliances. Most of the remaining jobs are in metal products repair or in construction of ships, bridges, commercial buildings, and pipelines.

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