

# MISSION STATEMENT

The Tennessee Colleges of Applied Technology serve as premier suppliers of workforce development throughout Tennessee. The colleges fulfill their mission by:

- Providing competency-based training through superior quality, traditional and distance learning instruction methods that qualify completers for employment and job advancement;
- Contributing to the economic and community development of the communities served by training and retraining employed workers;
- Ensuring that programs and services are economical and accessible to all residents of Tennessee; and
- Building relationships of trust with community, business, and industry leaders to supply highly skilled workers in areas of need.





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#### **CLASS SCHEDULES**

Full-time classes are offered Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:45 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Part-time class schedules may vary according to local needs.

This program is offered at Tennessee College of Applied Technology Livingston-Jackson County Instructional Service Center, 255 Blue Devil Lane, Gainesboro, TN 38562.

#### STUDENT COST

Cost can be found on our website: www.tcatlivingston.edu/programs.

## **FINANCIAL AID**

Financial aid is available to those students who are eligible. Students can be assessed for eligibility for Federal Pell Grants, Federal SEOG, TN Student Assistance Award, Wilder Naifeh Technical Skills Grant, TN Promise, TN Reconnect, and Federal Work Study. The school also coordinates efforts with the Department of Veteran's Affairs, Voc. Rehabilitation, WIOA, TRA and TOPS.

#### LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL ARTICULATION

The Tennessee College of Applied Technology Livingston has articulation agreements with local high schools in the school's service area. These agreements establish guidelines by which high school students may receive advanced placement in programs for skills acquired in high school. For more information on how to receive advanced placement, contact your high school guidance counselor or the Student Services Office at TCAT Livingston.

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#### PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration program is an individual program that prepares individuals to work in a variety of jobs in the field of residential and light commercial air conditioning and refrigeration.

#### **OUTCOMES**

Upon completion of the program, graduates are prepared to troubleshoot, repair, and maintain residential and commercial refrigeration; air conditioning; heat pumps; humidifiers; and electrical and gas heating. Graduates also understand the fundamentals of electricity, electric motors, and controls.

Graduates of the program will be able to install and braze refrigeration tubing, diagnose electrical problems; install duct systems; repair light commercial equipment; recover air conditioning and refrigeration refrigerants; locate and repair leaks.

## **CERTIFICATES & DIPLOMAS**

#### Certificates

HVAC Mechanic Assistant 432 hours
Domestic Unit Repair 864 hours

#### Diplomas

Heating Ventilation & 1296 hours Air Conditioning Technician

HVAC & Refrigeration Technician 1728 hours



#### **ADMISSION POLICY**

#### A. Applicants Not Enrolled in High School

Applicants not enrolled in high school are eligible for admission provided that:

- 1. They are at least 18 years of age or have a high school diploma or equivalent.
- They declare an occupational objective or demonstrate through testing or counseling reasonable potential for achieving that objective.

#### **B. Applicants Enrolled in High School**

Applicants enrolled in high school are eligible for admission provided that:

- An agreement authorizing such admission concluding between the local Board of Education and the Tennessee College of Applied Technology. Such agreements are subject to the approval of the chancellor or his designee.
- Admission of Foreign Non-Immigrants. Foreign nonimmigrant applicants are eligible for admission if they meet the same conditions required for other applicants.

#### **ADMISSION PROCEDURES**

#### STEPS FOR ENROLLMENT







FILL OUT ONLINE APPLICATION

SUBMIT PROGRAM SPECIFIC APPLICATION MATERIALS (IF REQUIRED)



REQUEST/SUBMIT TRANSCRIPTS



COMPLETE FAFSA



SET UP YOUR TCAT STUDENT EMAIL

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## COURSES

## **First Trimester**

Worker Characteristic Technology Foundations OSHA

Shop Safety

Refrigeration Fundamentals

**Tools Equipment & Shop Practices** 

**Electricity and Controls I** 

Installation

**Green Awareness** 

**Employment Readiness Exam** 

## **Second Trimester**

Worker Characteristic
Introduction to System Service
Basic Automatic Controls
Motors

Domestic Appliances

EPA
Employment Readiness Exam

# **Third Trimester**

Worker Characteristic

Gas Electric and Heat

Air Conditioning (Cooling)

**Heat Pumps** 

Carbon Monoxide

All Weather Systems Exam

# **Fourth Trimester**

Worker Characteristic
Electricity and Controls II
Commercial Refrigeration
Employment Readiness Exam