Washtenaw Community College Comprehensive Report

UAT 268 Technical Classes for Sprinkler Fitters Effective Term: Spring/Summer 2016

Course Cover

Division: Advanced Technologies and Public Service Careers

Department: United Association Department **Discipline:** United Association Training

Course Number: 268 Org Number: 28200

Full Course Title: Technical Classes for Sprinkler Fitters

Transcript Title: Tech Class for Sprinkler Fittr

Is Consultation with other department(s) required: No Publish in the Following: College Catalog, Web Page

Reason for Submission: Course Change

Change Information:

Consultation with all departments affected by this course is required.

Course description

Credit hours

Total Contact Hours Outcomes/Assessment Objectives/Evaluation

Rationale: Change credit hours, contact hours, assessment date and text.

Proposed Start Semester: Fall 2015

Course Description: In this course, students will learn to teach the mechanics, protocols and proper techniques of sprinkler fitting and the adaptation of various codes and product changes in the fire sprinkler industry. Topics include teaching about fire sprinkler alarms, fire sprinkler spray patterns, sprinkler inspections, lift training, technical changes to NFPA and water mist. Students must have prior experience with sprinkler fitting before enrolling in this course. Limited to United Association program participants.

Course Credit Hours

Variable hours: No

Credits: 1

Lecture Hours: Instructor: 15 Student: 15

The following Lab fields are not divisible by 15: Student Min, Instructor Min

Lab: Instructor: 5 Student: 5 Clinical: Instructor: 0 Student: 0

Total Contact Hours: Instructor: 20 Student: 20

Repeatable for Credit: NO Grading Methods: Letter Grades

Audit

Are lectures, labs, or clinicals offered as separate sections?: NO (same sections)

College-Level Reading and Writing

College-level Reading & Writing

College-Level Math Requisites

General Education

Degree Attributes

Below College Level Pre-Regs

Request Course Transfer

Proposed For:

Student Learning Outcomes

1. Explain the central concepts and skills of new technology in sprinkler fitting to apprentices and journey-people.

Assessment 1

Assessment Tool: Teaching demonstration

Assessment Date: Fall 2015

Assessment Cycle: Every Three Years Course section(s)/other population: All

Number students to be assessed: 75% of all students

How the assessment will be scored: Departmentally-developed rubric Standard of success to be used for this assessment: 75% will score 11 or

higher out of 16.

Who will score and analyze the data: UAT faculty

2. Demonstrate maintenance and repair procedures related to new technology in sprinkler fitting to apprentices and journey-people.

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Assessment Tool: Teaching demonstration

Assessment Date: Fall 2015

Assessment Cycle: Every Three Years Course section(s)/other population: All

Number students to be assessed: 75% of all students

How the assessment will be scored: Departmentally-developed rubric Standard of success to be used for this assessment: 75% will score 11 or

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3. Teach apprentices and journey-people new technology in sprinkler fitting using approved industry and UA course/training materials.

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Course Objectives

- 1. Identify issues affecting the fire sprinkler industry.
- 2. Recognize patterns and trends in the fire sprinkler industry.
- 3. Integrate knowledge and skills to better understand current issues and trends.
- 4. Demonstrate competencies in adapting to new codes and products.
- 5. Demonstrate appropriate use and knowledge of course materials.

New Resources for Course Course Textbooks/Resources

Textbooks

Manuals Periodicals Software

Equipment/Facilities

Reviewer	Action	<u>Date</u>
Faculty Preparer:		
Justin Carter	Faculty Preparer	Jun 25, 2015
Department Chair/Area Director:		
Scott Klapper	Recommend Approval	Jul 02, 2015
Dean:		
Brandon Tucker	Recommend Approval	Jul 07, 2015
Curriculum Committee Chair:		
Kelley Gottschang	Recommend Approval	Sep 29, 2015
Assessment Committee Chair:		
Michelle Garey	Recommend Approval	Sep 29, 2015
Vice President for Instruction:		
Michael Nealon	Approve	Oct 06, 2015