

AUTO 380A: OSCILLOSCOPE BASICS

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Justification / Rationale

The Automotive Faculty are creating this course to provide Automotive Program learners with the opportunity to be trained on state-of-the-art equipment. This training will improve their ability to be hired in the automotive industry.

Effective Term

Spring 2023

Credit Status

Noncredit

Subject

AUTO - Automotive Technology

Course Number

380A

Full Course Title

Oscilloscope Basics

Short Title

O-SCOPE BASICS

Discipline

Disciplines List

Automotive Technology

Modality

Face-to-Face Hybrid

Catalog Description

This course offers knowledge and skills related to an industry standard, automotive oscilloscopes. The learner will be shown navigation, interpretation, and application of state-of-the-art automotive oscilloscopes. This will enhance one of the required skills for employment and advancement within the automotive service industry.

Schedule Description

This course offers knowledge and skills related to an industry standard, automotive oscilloscopes. Advisory: AUTO 301

Non-credit Hours

6

In-class Hours

6

Total Course Units

n

Total Semester Hours

6



Override Description

Noncredit override.

Prerequisite Course(s)

Advisory: AUTO 301

Required Text and Other Instructional Materials

Resource Type

Web/Other

Open Educational Resource

Yes

Year

2020

Description

Snap-on study material for ShopKey Pro 2 exam. (No cost to the learner)

Class Size Maximum

21

Entrance Skills

Provide brief descriptions of the components.

Requisite Course Objectives

AUTO 301-Provide a brief description pertaining to major components.

Entrance Skills

Identify major automotive components.

Requisite Course Objectives

AUTO 301-Identify major automotive components.

Course Content

- 1. Review of oscilloscope function.
- 2. Proper setup of oscilloscope.
- 3. Measurements with oscilloscope.
- 4. Introduction to diagnosis with oscilloscope.

Course Objectives

	Objectives
Objective 1	List safety procedures and required personal protection equipment (PPE) when using an oscilloscope.
Objective 2	Explain the operation and function of the oscilloscope.
Objective 3	Locate automotive test points and connection of oscilloscope.

Student Learning Outcomes

Upon satisfactory completion of this course, students will be able to:		
Outcome 1	Demonstrate proper setup and use of oscilloscope on a malfunctioning vehicle circuit.	



Methods of Instruction

Method	Please provide a description or examples of how each instructional method will be used in this course.
Collaborative/Team	Learners will work in teams to locate and identify safety procedures and personal protection equipment (PPE) within the service information related to the oscilloscope.
Lecture	Presentation of automotive oscilloscope basics.
Laboratory	Each learner will navigate oscilloscope procedures from the service information.
Discussion	Learners will participate in classroom discussions.

Methods of Evaluation

Method	Please provide a description or examples of how each evaluation method will be used in this course.	Type of Assignment
Written homework	Readings and home work from the instructor- provided materials.	In and Out of Class
Student participation/contribution	The lecture will be a two-way interactive discussion requiring input from each learner.	In and Out of Class
Tests/Quizzes/Examinations	Learners must successfully complete required assessment material.	In and Out of Class

Assignments

Other In-class Assignments

- 1. List 5 safety procedures including required PPE when using an oscilloscope.
- 2. Explanation of oscilloscope operation and features.
- 3. Directions on how to perform oscilloscope measurement.
- 4. How to interpret oscilloscope read-outs.
- 5. Participation in discussion related to lecture.
- 6. Development of a study-plan for the oscilloscope exam.
- 7. Quiz and review of oscilloscope features and functions.

Other Out-of-class Assignments

- 1. Execution of individual study-plans in preparation for the oscilloscope exam.
- 2. Oscilloscope final exam.

Grade Methods

Pass/No Pass Only

Distance Education Checklist

Include the percentage of online and on-campus instruction you anticipate.

Online %

50

On-campus %

5n

Lab Courses

How will the lab component of your course be differentiated from the lecture component of the course? The lab activities will be based on learning activities using the oscilloscope.

From the COR list, what activities are specified as lab, and how will those be monitored by the instructor?

The facilitator will supervise all lab content, guiding the learner in productivity and understanding.

How will you assess the online delivery of lab activities?

Laboratory activities will not be delivered in the online setting, only in person.



Instructional Materials and Resources

If you use any other technologies in addition to the college LMS, what other technologies will you use and how are you ensuring student data security?

None.

Effective Student/Faculty Contact

Which of the following methods of regular, timely, and effective student/faculty contact will be used in this course?

Within Course Management System:

Discussion forums with substantive instructor participation
Online quizzes and examinations
Regular virtual office hours
Timely feedback and return of student work as specified in the syllabus
Weekly announcements

External to Course Management System:

Direct e-mail
Posted audio/video (including YouTube, 3cmediasolutions, etc.)
Synchronous audio/video

Briefly discuss how the selected strategies above will be used to maintain Regular Effective Contact in the course.

Regular effective contact will be practiced through online lecture, discussion board postings, email communications, regular announcements, prompt grading and feedback of assignments, and virtual office hours. This contact between the facilitator and learner on a regular basis will enhance learner confidence and understanding and promote critical thinking and analyzation of subject matter.

If interacting with students outside the LMS, explain how additional interactions with students outside the LMS will enhance student learning.

Group discussions, e-mail correspondence, voicemail.

Other Information

Provide any other relevant information that will help the Curriculum Committee assess the viability of offering this course in an online or hybrid modality.

With the uncertainty of the teaching environment, enabling the lecture portion of this course to be delivered in an online setting, while keeping the hands-on portion face-to-face, will ensure learners can access needed training to ensure knowledge and experience is achieved to gain employment in the automotive field.

MIS Course Data

CIP Code

47.0604 - Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician.

TOP Code

094840 - Alternative Fuels and Advanced Transportation Technology

SAM Code

C - Clearly Occupational

Basic Skills Status

Not Basic Skills

Prior College Level

Not applicable

Cooperative Work Experience

Not a Coop Course

Course Classification Status

Other Non-credit Enhanced Funding



Approved Special Class

Not special class

Noncredit Category

Short-Term Vocational

Funding Agency Category

Not Applicable

Program Status

Program Applicable

Transfer Status

Not transferable

General Education Status

Y = Not applicable

Support Course Status

N = Course is not a support course

Allow Audit

No

Repeatability

Yes

Repeatability Limit

NC

Repeat Type

Noncredit

Justification

Noncredit courses are repeatable until students achieve the outcomes and objectives of the course.

Materials Fee

No

Additional Fees?

No

Approvals

Curriculum Committee Approval Date

03/17/2022

Academic Senate Approval Date

03/24/2022

Board of Trustees Approval Date

04/22/2022

Chancellor's Office Approval Date

05/07/2022

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