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# PROGRAM OBJECTIVE

The Welding Technology certificate course prepares students for entry-level work in the welding industry. Students learn about safety, hand tools, oxyacetylene torches, plasma arc, shielded metal arc welding (stick), gas metal arc welding (MIG), gas tungsten arc welding (TIG), flux cored arc welding, metallurgy, print reading, and weld symbols.

# **READY. SET. WORK.**

**Goal 1:** The welding program will prepare the student for entry level employment in welding.

Student Learning Outcomes - Students Will:

- Demonstrate safe welding practices
- Perform basic welding skills in SMAW (stick), GMAW (mig), GTAW (tig) and oxyfuel cutting procedures
- Perform basic maintenance on welding machines
- Interpret basic welding symbols

Applicants are encouraged to arrange a campus visit and a personal information session with a Recruitment Advisor. Appointments may also be made to meet with appropriate faculty and current students.

### **CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Graduates work as welders, welder/fabricators, maintenance welders, fitters, ornamental metal sculptors, and welder helpers.

Typical employers in the welding industry include structural steel fabricators, custom metal shops, industrial contractors, shipyards, pipe and pressure vessel fabricators, and retail welding sales.



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### **PROGRAM COURSES**

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**English Composition I** 

MINIMUM CREDITS TO GRADUATE

Shielded Metal Arc Welding I	2
Shielded Metal Arc Welding I Lab	4
Gas Metal and Flux Cored Arc Welding I	1
Gas Metal and Flux Cored Arc Welding I Lab	2
Blueprint Reading	2
Applied Mathematics for Welders	3
First-Year Experience	1
SEMESTER 2	
SEMESTER 2  Gas Metal and Flux Cored Arc Welding II	1
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This semester layout is based off of a fall start. Students who start in the spring will be required to attend an additional semester to complete their degree.

There may be special admission requirements for this program. Please speak with a Recruitment Advisor by calling **570-702-8856** or visit our website **johnson.edu** to review our requirements.