

# High School to College and Career Pathway: Secondary

Area of Study: Skilled & Technical Sciences Education



## Pathway: Precision Production Trades Welding

Middle School		State Requirements			High School Suggested Education Plan				College & Careers																											
7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Middle School	Language Arts	High School	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Suggested	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Suggested	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade Suggested	12 <sup>th</sup> Grade Suggested	Beyond High School																											
Language Arts 7 1.00	Language Arts 8 1.00	2.00	Language Arts	3.00	Language Arts 9 1.00	Language Arts 10 1.00	Language Arts 11 1.00	(1 additional credit—class of 2011)	<p>There are a number of options for education and training beyond high school, depending on your career goals.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Certificate</li> <li>&gt; Associate degree</li> <li>&gt; Bachelor's degree</li> <li>&gt; Professional degree</li> <li>&gt; On-the-job training</li> <li>&gt; Apprenticeship</li> <li>&gt; Military training</li> </ul> <p><b>Sample Occupations</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Agricultural Education Teacher</li> <li>&gt; Welder/Cutter</li> <li>&gt; Welding Machine Operator</li> <li>&gt; Welding Teacher</li> </ul> <p>For more information on salary projections, labor market demand, and training options, visit <a href="http://www.careers.utah.gov">www.careers.utah.gov</a>.</p>																											
Pre-Algebra 1.00	Elem. Algebra or Applied Math 1.00	2.00	Math	2.00	Geometry or Applied Math II 1.00	Intermediate Algebra 1.00	(1 additional credit—class of 2011)																													
Science .50	Science 1.00	1.50	Science	2.00	Earth Systems 1.00	Physics 1.00 or Physics with Technology 1.00	(1 additional credit—class of 2011)																													
Utah Studies .50	U.S. History I 1.00	1.50	Social Studies	2.50	Geography for Life .50	World Civilizations .50	U.S. History II 1.00	U.S. Government and Citizenship .50																												
P.E. 1.00	Health .50	1.50	P.E./Health	2.00	Participation Skills and Techniques .50	Fitness for Life .50 / Health Education .50 Lifetime Activities or Sport .50																														
The Arts .50	The Arts .50	1.00	Fine Arts	1.50	Fine Arts Courses 1.50																															
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Keyboarding .50			Computer Tech.	.50	Computer Technology .50																															
CTE Intro 1.00		1.00	Career and Technical Education	1.00	<p><b>Career and Technical Education Recommended Pathway Courses</b></p> <p>(Students may select individual courses for exploration, or a complete Pathway for an in-depth focus.)</p> <p><b>CLASS AVAILABILITY MAY VARY AT YOUR HIGH SCHOOL</b></p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Course #</th> <th>Foundation Course: (required)</th> <th>Credit</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>48.0508</td> <td>Welding Technician – Entry Level</td> <td>1.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>48.0510</td> <td>Welding Technician – Advanced Level</td> <td>1.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3"><b>Elective Courses:</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td>15.1301</td> <td>Drafting &amp; Design Technology</td> <td>.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>47.0105</td> <td>Basic Electronics</td> <td>.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>48.0503</td> <td>Machine Tool</td> <td>1.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>48.0506</td> <td>Sheet Metal</td> <td>.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>32.0199</td> <td>Student Internship (Critical Workplace Skills)</td> <td>.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>			Course #		Foundation Course: (required)	Credit	48.0508	Welding Technician – Entry Level	1.00	48.0510	Welding Technician – Advanced Level	1.00	<b>Elective Courses:</b>			15.1301	Drafting & Design Technology	.50	47.0105	Basic Electronics	.50	48.0503	Machine Tool	1.00	48.0506	Sheet Metal	.50	32.0199	Student Internship (Critical Workplace Skills)	.50	
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<p><b>Workforce Trends</b> Job prospects should be excellent for skilled candidates.</p> <p><b>Get the Facts</b> During the Middle Ages, the art of blacksmithing was developed and many items of iron were produced which were welded by hammering. It was not until the 19<sup>th</sup> century that welding as we know it today was invented.</p>		<p>Core Curriculum and elective requirements may vary district to district. Check with your school counselor.</p> <p>Concurrent enrollment course offerings vary by school and district.</p>		<p>2.00 credits</p> <p>1.00 credit</p> <p>3.00 credits for completion</p>																																
<p>Many Utah post-secondary programs accept high school courses toward a two- or four-year degree through concurrent enrollment. Check regional post-secondary Pathways for details.</p>																																				

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