

MECHANICAL TECHNOLOGY AAS

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Mechanical Technology at Cayuga

The Mechanical Technology program at Cayuga provides students with hands-on learning and an in-depth course of study in the technological aspects of mechanical design. Students learn about mechanical design and the equipment, materials, and processes commonly used in mechanical technology.

Our Graduates Are Employed

Cayuga graduates play an important part in local manufacturing and industry at such firms as Welch Allyn, ITT Goulds, Huhtamaki Packaging, Beardsley Design Associates, Anaren Microwave, Young and Franklin, Carrier Plastics, and Tessy Plastics. They serve as mechanical designers, CAD designers, process engineers, quality engineers, R&D engineers, and are involved in almost all aspects of mechanical and manufacturing design and engineering.

State-Of-The-Art

- Computer-Aided Design Laboratory using the industry standard software, *Solid Works*
- (3D) solid modeling & AutoCAD (2D) Industrial CAD & REVIT software
- CNC programming & industrial machining standards with CNC machine lathe and mill, HAAS Controllers, & HAAS VM-2 Vertical Milling Machine

Career Possibilities

- CAD Designer
- Machine Designer
- Tool Designer
- Architectural/Mechanical Drafter
- CNC Machining Programmer
- Quality Assurance Technician
- Process Setup Technician
- Engineering Technician
- Mold Technician

Mechanical Engineering Technicians

2021 Median Salary

\$60,460/yr

*United States Department of Labor

<https://www.bls.gov/ooh/architecture>

Affiliations

- Syracuse Society of Manufacturing Engineering (SME, Chapter 19)
- New York State Engineering and Technology Association (NYSETA)



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CONCENTRATIONS

Students must choose a particular concentration area and choose four courses from the courses listed in concentration areas to fulfill degree requirements.

Computer Aided Design (CAD)

Courses		Credit Hours
ENGR 230	Fluid Systems Design	3
MMT 220	Machine Design*	4
ENGR 125	Building Information Modeling	4
MMT 208	Advanced CAD/CAM	4
MATH 106	Precalculus	
	or	
MATH 108	Calculus I	3-4

Facilities Design

Courses		Credit Hours
ENGR 230	Fluid Systems Design	3
ENGR 125	Building Information Modeling*	4
ENGR 220	Construction Methods & Materials	4
ENGR 221	Building Mechanical and Electrical Systems	4
ENGR 130	Renewable Energy Systems	3
BUS 260	Project Management	3
MATH 106	Precalculus	
	or	
MATH 108	Calculus I	3-4

Mechatronics

Courses		Credit Hours
ELEC 101	Electrical Circuits	4
ELEC 209	Programmable Logic Controllers	3
ELEC 220	Industrial Power and Equipment	3
MMT 220	Machine Design*	4
MMT 208	Advanced CAD/CAM *	4
ENGR 230	Fluid Systems Design	3
MATH 106	Precalculus	
	or	
MATH 108	Calculus I	3-4

Precision Machining

Courses		Credit Hours
MMT 220	Machine Design*	4
ELEC 101	Electrical Circuits	4
ELEC 209	Programmable Logic Controllers	3
MMT 208	Advanced CAD/CAM *	4
ENGR 230	Fluid Systems Design	3
MATH 106	Precalculus	
	or	
MATH 108	Calculus I	3-4

* This course is required for the concentration area

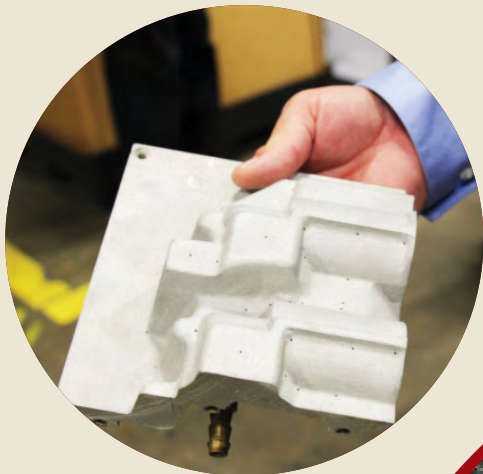
Courses		Credit Hours
First Semester		
ENGL 101	Freshman English I	3
MATH 102	Intermediate Algebra (or higher)**	3
ENGR 103	Manufacturing Materials and Processes	3
MMT 101	Machine Tools I	3
ENGR 126	Computer Aided Design	3
		15
Second Semester		
ENGL 102	Freshman English II	
	or	
ENGL 270	Technical Writing	3
MATH 114	Applied Mathematics for Technologists (or higher)**	3
MMT 102	Machine Tools II	3
ENGR 228	Solid Modelling	4
	Technical Concentration Elective*	3
		16
Third Semester		
PHYS 103	General Physics I	4
MMT 221	Tool Design	4
	Technical Concentration Elective*	3
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	Health or Physical Education	1
		16
Fourth Semester		
ENGR 203	Applied Statics and Strength of Materials	4
ENGR 207	Quality Assurance	3
	Technical Concentration Elective*	4
	Humanities Elective	3
	Behavioral /Social Science elective***	3
		17
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		64

* The courses listed in concentrations that follow must be used to fulfill degree requirements

** MATH 112, 115, 116 or 121 will not fulfill requirements

*** Recommended elective: GIS 111 or GIS 205

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<i>Courses</i>	<i>Credit Hours</i>
First Semester	
ENGL 101 Freshman English I	3
MATH 102 Intermediate Algebra (or higher*)	3
ENGR 103 Manufacturing Materials and Processes	3
MMT 101 Machine Tools I	3
MMT 141 Fundamentals of Plastics Technology	3
	15
Second Semester	
ENGL 102 Freshman English II	
or	
ENGL 270 Technical Writing	3
MATH 114 Applied Mathematics for Technologists	
or	
MATH 104 College Algebra and Trigonometry	3
(or higher*)	
MMT 241 Plastics Technology: Injection Molding	4
ENGR 228 Solid Modeling	4
ENGR 207 Quality Assurance	3
	17
Third Semester	
CHEM 101 Elements of General Chemistry	
or	
CHEM 103 General Chemistry I	4
MMT 221 Tool Design	4
ENGR 230 Fluid Systems Design	3
MMT 242 Plastics Technology: Blow Molding	4
Health or Physical Education	1
	16
Fourth Semester	
ENGR 203 Applied Statics & Strength of Materials	4
ELEC Electronics Elective	3
MMT 245 Plastics Technology Capstone	3
Humanities Elective	3
Behavioral /Social Science Elective	3
	16
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	64

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One-Year Certificate Programs



ADVANCED MANUFACTURING

This program prepares students for a career in the evolving advanced manufacturing field. Students develop expertise using manufacturing materials and processes and production tools and equipment. The program can be completed in one year, and students can apply the Advanced Manufacturing certificate credits toward the Mechanical Technology AAS degree.

<i>Courses</i>	<i>Credit Hours</i>
First Semester	
ENGR 103 Manufacturing Materials and Processes	3
MMT 101 Machine Tools I	3
ENGR 126 Computer Aided Design	3
MATH 102 Intermediate Algebra	3
ENGR 207 Quality Assurance	3
	15
Second Semester	
MATH 114 Applied Mathematics for Technologists	3
ENGR 228 Solid Modeling	4
MMT 102 Machine Tools II	3
MMT 208 Advanced CAD/CAM	4
Technical Elective*	3
	17
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	32

*Can be satisfied by an MMT, ENGR, or ELEC course

INDUSTRIAL MAINTENANCE TECHNOLOGY

This program is designed to prepare students for a career in the manufacturing workplace with hands-on skills in mechanical and electrical installation and repair and industrial process instrumentation and control.

Local employers have made it clear that these skill are in great demand. Employment opportunities include electrical technician, service technician, and maintenance technician.

<i>Courses</i>	<i>Credit Hours</i>
First Semester	
ELEC 101 Electrical Circuits	4
ENGR 103 Manufacturing Materials and Processes	3
ELEC 105 Digital Electronics	4
ENGR 230 Fluid Systems Design	3
	14
Second Semester	
MATH 114 Applied Mathematics for Technologists	
or	
MATH 104 College Algebra & Trigonometry	3
ELEC 220 Industrial Power & Equipment	3
ENGR 250 Thermal Technology	3
ELEC 204 Industrial Electronics	4
ELEC 221 Industrial Maintenance Practices	4
	17
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	31

PLASTICS MANUFACTURING

Plastics and polymer manufacturing constitute the 5th largest manufacturing sector in the United States. Students learn about the plastics industry, and the equipment, materials, and processes commonly used in manufacturing.

<i>Courses</i>	<i>Credit Hours</i>
First Semester	
MATH 102 Intermediate Algebra (or higher**)	3
ENGR 103 Manufacturing Materials and Processes	3
MMT 101 Machine Tools I	3
MMT 141 Fundamentals of Plastics Technology	3
ENGR 230 Fluid Systems Design	3
	15
Second Semester	
ENGL 101 Freshman English I	3
MMT 241 Plastics Technology: Injection Molding	
or	
MMT 242 Plastics Technology: Blow Molding	4
MMT 245 Plastics Technology Capstone	3
ENGR 207 Quality Assurance	3
Technical Elective*	3
	16
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	31

* Can be satisfied by an MMT, ENGR, or ELEC course

**MATH 112, 115, 116 or 121 will not fulfill requirements