

Course discipline/number/title: WELD 1003: Oxy-Fuel Welding, Cutting and Braze Welding

A. CATALOG DESCRIPTION

- 1. Credits: 1
- 2. Hours/Week: 2
- 3. Prerequisites (Course discipline/number): None
- 4. Other requirements: WELD 1001
- 5. MnTC Goals (if any): NA
- B. COURSE DESCRIPTION: This course is designed to teach students the safe operation of oxyfuel cutting and welding equipment. Students will gain hands-on experience in the proper maintenance of high-pressure gas cylinders, hoses, and regulators. They will also demonstrate the safe use of the torch to weld and cut metals of varying thicknesses in the flat position.
- C. DATE LAST REVISED (Month, year): February, 2025
- D. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS:
 - 1. OFC, OFW
 - 2. Welding/cutting Joints
 - 3. Quality Assurance
- E. LEARNING OUTCOMES (GENERAL): The student will be able to:
 - 1. Demonstrate the proper procedures for safely setting up, shutting down, and maintaining all oxyfuel cutting and welding equipment.
 - 2. Understand proper torch techniques for cutting and welding.
 - 3. Identify common equipment issues and develop appropriate solutions.
 - 4. Understand basic OFW/OFC terminology and make informed equipment selections.
 - 5. Demonstrate proper inspection of finished welds to determine their compliance with industry standards.
- F. LEARNING OUTCOMES (MNTC): NA
- G. METHODS FOR EVALUATION OF STUDENT LEARNING. Methods may include but are not limited to:
 - 1. Daily Lab Assignments
 - 2. Final Exam
- RCTC CORE OUTCOME(S). This course contributes to the following RCTC Core Outcome(s): Critical Thinking. Students will think systematically and explore information thoroughly before accepting or formulating a position or conclusion.

Personal and Professional Accountability. Students will take responsibility as active learners for achieving their educational and personal goals.

I. SPECIAL INFORMATION (if any): None