

# How Can I Earn a Skill Award from Citrus College?

## Programs of Study Leading to a Skill Award

Some departments, based on the satisfactory completion of a course or a sequence of courses, issue a Skill Award. Total units taken for a Skill Award may not exceed 12 units. A Skill Award may verify and provide documentation of proficiency for entry-level employment requirements, job upgrades and application into fields that require documentation of specific coursework.

### Programs of Study Leading to a Skill Award

#### Automotive Technology

Engine Rebuilding & Machining

#### Child Development

Child Development Associate Teacher

Infant & Child Development Associate Teacher

#### Health Sciences

Activity Coordinator

Activity & Social Service Documentation

Emergency Medical Technician

Hospital Unit Clerk

Medical Terminology

Sub-Acute/Pediatrics Activity Leader

#### Medium & Heavy Truck Technology

Diesel Technician

#### Nursing

Drugs and Solutions

Home Health Aide

Nurse Assistant

## AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY

### ENGINE REBUILDING AND MACHINING

This program is designed to prepare students who wish to seek employment in the automotive technology industry or qualify for a more responsible position within the field.

REQUIRED COURSES:	Units
AUTO 295 Engine Design	4
AUTO 261 Cylinder Head Rebuilding	4
AUTO 297 Cylinder Block Development	4

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Entry level engine machinist

**Total Units 12**



## CHILD DEVELOPMENT

### CHILD DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATE TEACHER

REQUIRED COURSES:	Units
CHLD 110 Early Childhood Development	3
<b>or</b>	
PSY 206 Child Growth and Development	3
CHLD 112 Principles of Early Childhood Education	3
CHLD 114 Home-Child-Community Relations	3

Plus three units of electives

CHLD 120 Literacy for Children	3
CHLD 121 Art for Children	2
CHLD 122 Music and Rhythms for Children	2
CHLD 123 Science Experiences for Children	1
CHLD 124 Mathematics for Children	1
CHLD 144 Health, Safety and Nutrition for Young Children	3

Plus Early Childhood Work Experience (Cooperative Education), which counts toward the 50 days of required experience.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: This program prepares you to work as a child development aide or assistant in a public or private preschool, Headstart program or day care center, or as a teacher in a private program. Upon completion of the program, students may apply for the Child Development Permit: Associate Teacher Level.

## **INFANT AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATE TEACHER**

### **REQUIRED COURSES:**

Completion of the Child Development Associate Teacher Skill Award plus	12
CHLD 130 Infant Development and Group Care	3

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: This program prepares you to work as a child development aide or assistant in a public or private preschool, Headstart program or day care center, or as a teacher in a private infant or preschool program.

**Total Units 15**

## **HEALTH OCCUPATIONS**

### **ACTIVITY COORDINATOR**

#### **REQUIRED COURSE:**

HEAL 264 Activity Coordinator	3
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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Skilled Nursing Facility Activity Leader I

**Total Units 3**

### **ACTIVITY & SOCIAL SERVICE DOCUMENTATION**

#### **REQUIRED COURSE:**

	<b>Units</b>
HEAL 266 Activity and Social Service Documentation	2

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Advanced Activity Leader II

**Total Units 2**

### **EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN**

#### **REQUIRED COURSE:**

HEAL 161 Emergency Medical Technician - Basic	7
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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY:

**Total Units 7**

### **HOSPITAL UNIT CLERK**

#### **REQUIRED COURSE:**

HEAL 105 Hospital Unit Coordinator	5
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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Ward Clerk, Unit Secretary

**Total Units 5**

### **MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY**

#### **REQUIRED COURSE:**

HEAL 156 Medical Terminology	3
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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Preparation for Health Career

## **SUB-ACUTE/PEDIATRICS ACTIVITY LEADER**

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#### **REQUIRED COURSE:**

HEA L 264 Activity Coordinator	3
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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Pediatric Nursing Activity Leader I

**Total Units 3**

## **MEDIUM AND HEAVY TRUCK TECHNOLOGY**

### **DIESEL TECHNICIAN**

These course offerings prepare students for entry level occupations in diesel technology, medium and heavy trucks, and provide upgrading within these occupations.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Employment positions are available in both the public and the private sector.

#### **REQUIRED COURSE:**

MTRK 270 Electronic Controls Systems: Detroit Diesel Engine DDEC I, II, III, and IV and three electives	2
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#### **ELECTIVES:**

	<b>Units</b>
MTRK 235 Diesel Rebuilding: Detroit Engine-Series 71 and 92	2
MTRK 240 Diesel Rebuilding: Cummins Engine	2
MTRK 245 Diesel Rebuilding: Caterpillar Engine	2
MTRK 280 Heavy Duty Brake Systems	2

**Total Units 8**

## **NURSING**

### **DRUGS AND SOLUTIONS**

#### **REQUIRED COURSE:**

NRS 260 Drugs and Solutions	3
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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Assist CNA to challenge the LVN licensure exam NCLEX-PN.

**Total Units 3**

### **HOME HEALTH AIDE**

#### **REQUIRED COURSE:**

NRS 102 Home Health Aide	2
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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Home Health Aide

**Total Units 2**

**NURSE ASSISTANT**

**REQUIRED COURSE:**

NRS 101 Nurse Assistant

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Certified Nurse Assistant, Acute Care Nurse Aide

**Total Units 5**



*Nursing Program Graduates*