

Sheet Metal Technology (2023)

The following competencies are to be taught within ALL application level courses offered in your school's approved pathway. 0

- 1 Demonstrate an understanding of industry standards for personal safety including the safe use of tools, equipment and hazardous materials 0.1
- 2 Demonstrate Time Management Skills 0.2
- 3 Create and utilize employment documents including a resume and portfolio. 0.3
- 4 Demonstrate job seeking and interview skills. 0.4
- 5 Understand and respond to performance reviews. 0.5

Shop and Machine-Specific Safety 1

- 1 Safely utilize and maintain tools common to the sheet metal trade. 1.1
- 2 Describe types and thicknesses of sheet metal. 1.2
- 3 Explain and identify accident causes in the sheet metal industry. 1.
- 4 Describe safe working attire in the sheet metal industry. 1.4
- 5 Demonstrate safe use of tools and equipment. 1.5

Sheet Metal Tools and Materials 2

- 1 Describe terms and definitions related to sheet metal fabrication and layout. 2.1
- 2 Discuss the sheet metal forming equipment and their applications. 2.2

Print Reading, Measuring, and Math Skills 3

- 1 Demonstrate print reading skills including the interpretation of plans, elevations, schedules, and details. 3.1
- 2 Identify the three basic types of layout: parallel line, radial line, and triangulation. 3.2
- 3 Utilize a tape measure to obtain correct measurements for a ductwork detail. 3.3
- 4 Calculate circumference and area of a circle. 3.4
- 5 Demonstrate architect's scale use in sheet metal. 3.5
- 6 Describe measuring tools. 3.6

Sheet Metal Layout and Fabrication 4

- 1 Discuss terms and definitions. 4.1

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- 2 Use various sheet metal equipment to build projects.** 4.2

 - 3 Use various sheet metal hand tools.** 4.3

 - 4 Layout and use the squaring metal shear to cut sheet metal.** 4.4

 - 5 Fasten sheet metal using different bonding methods (e.g. adhesives, fasteners or spot welding).** 4.5

 - 6 Layout and fabricate a basic joint of ductwork (e.g. Rivets and Fasteners)** 4.6

 - 7 Layout and fabricate basic sheet metal fittings.** 4.7

 - 8 Describe the different seams commonly used for ductwork and explain the advantages of each.** 4.8

 - 9 Produce sheet metal/duct work project utilizing concepts and skills.** 4.9
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Sheet Metal Notching and Use of Forming Machines 5

- 1 Fasten sheet metal together using the Snap-lock machine and the Pittsburgh machine.** 5.1

 - 2 Fasten sheet metal together using appropriate methods consisting of the finger break, rolls, easy edger, drive turner and notching the sheet metal for the various joints.** 5.2

 - 3 Cut various lengths of “S” clips and build drives to connect the fittings together.** 5.3
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Codes 6

- 1 Examine the Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association (SMACNA) guidelines for sheet metal construction.** 6.1

- 2 Examine the International Mechanical Code (IMC) for the standards used in the construction of sheet metal ductwork.** 6.2

- 3 Examine the Air Conditioning Contractors of America (ACCA) Manual D to identify the concepts of airflow, static pressure, total pressure, total equivalent length (TEL) associated with each fitting used in the construction trade.** 6.3