About the Program

The Career Certificate (C.C.) in Automotive Collision Technology Technician prepares students for employment or specialized training as a collision repair or refinish technician.

This program requires **1400 contact/clock hours** that must be completed and documented. Students should also understand and accept the attendance requirements prior to enrolling in this career certificate program. This program **is eligible** for financial aid.

Program Accreditation

The program is NATEF accredited in areas B2 through B5 for Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) and will prepare you for ASE Certification Exams.

Program Requirements

Students must fulfill all requirements outlined in the college catalog.

Important for You to Know

Adult Basic Skills are a major criterion in students' completion of the program. For more information, please see an advisor.

This academic roadmap does not include career certificate graduation requirements.

The Automotive Collision Technology program has a **fall term start** and includes six-hour days, Monday-Thursday except for internships.

The **internship and capstone courses** require employment at an approved business and access to reliable high-speed internet. Students will document their work in an electronic portfolio as specified by the instructor.

Related Career Pathways include the following: front-line supervisors of Mechanics, Installers and Repairers.

Related Industry Certifications: Upon completion of this program, students will be prepared for the following certifications or licenses:

- ASE Certificates B2-B5
- I-CAR

Upon successful completion of the program, students may receive **articulated college credit** toward the Industrial Management Technology (A.S.) degree.

Additional Information

⇒ **Program Information,** including advisor contact details: https://www.fscj.edu/5806.

⇒ **Career Certificate Information,** including graduation requirements: https://catalog.fscj.edu/academics/degree-certificate-programs/career-certificate-programs.

⇒ **Program Requirements:** https://catalog.fscj.edu/programs/5806.

Sample Roadmap

This sample roadmap shows one possible pathway to program completion and may not be appropriate for all students.

Prior to enrolling in classes, students are strongly encouraged to **meet with an advisor** to develop an individual academic plan.

Term 1

Course	Contact Hours	Weeks Per Course
ARR 0940 - Collision Repair Co-Operative Internship I	90	3
ARR 0005C - Introduction to Collision Repair & Refinishing	90	3
ARR 0006C - Fundamentals of Collision Repair & Refinishing	90	3
ARR 0021 - Damage Analysis, Estimating and Customer Service	90	3
ARR 0210L - Collision Repair Technician Lab I	105	3

Term 2

Course	Contact Hours	Weeks Per Course
ARR 0941 - Collision Repair Co-Operative Internship II	90	3
ARR 0310C - Non-Structural Repairs I	90	3
ARR 0311C - Non-Structural Repairs II	90	3
ARR 0290 - Structural Analysis and Damage Repair	90	3
ARR 0213L - Collision Repair Technician Lab II	105	3

Term 3

Course	Contact Hours	Weeks Per Course
ARR 0949 - Collision Repair and Refinishing Co-Operative Capstone	200	15
ARR 0374 - Mechanical and Electrical Foundations for Collision Repair	90	3
ARR 0411 - Automotive Refinishing I	90	3
ARR 0414C - Automotive Refinishing II	90	3