

If you're interested in a career in metal fabrication, this training could be a good option.

1. Organization providing the training:

Wor-Wic Community College

2. Physical location where training occurs:

Arcon Training Center 2300 Northwood Drive Salisbury, MD 21801 (Until Spring 2023, then moving to Wor-Wic campus.)

3. Description of the training offered:

This training program is meant to prepare individuals for employment in metal fabrication. Fabrication involves the measuring, layout, forming, cutting and assembly of metal pieces prior to welding them together... with a little welding built-in. Students will progress from basic blueprint reading and industry math to fundamental A.I.S.C. fitting practices for a variety of metal shapes. This course includes safety for fabricators and an introduction to hand and power tools. Students will develop knowledge for working safely within the industry standards, recognize and avoid potential hazards, and receive OSHA trainings with the possibility of earning up to 12 OSHA certificates. There will be an introduction to industry structures and processes, and students will discover requirements to qualify as metal fabricators.

This course provides 238 hours of evening instruction and practice over 17 consecutive weeks. Instruction incorporates 25% classroom and 75% shop time.

4. Trainees have the opportunity to earn the following industry-recognized certifications:

OSHA certifications in various areas

5. Am I eligible?

To be eligible for this training program, applicants must:

- Be at least 17 years old
- Must be a Maryland resident (Lower Shore preferred)
- Have a High School diploma or GED®
- Must be able to pass drug test and background investigation
- Must be able to display hand-arm steadiness and strong near-vision to see details at close range
- Able to work in hot, cold, dusty, and noisy environments
- Must have good depth perception and manual dexterity

- Be able to stand for long periods of time
- Able to adjust controls with precision and lift up to 50 lbs. unassisted
- Be able to adjust controls with precision
- Able to recognize and solve problems
- Work well with others and accept positive, constructive criticism that aids in growth
- Supply and wear safety equipment (e.g. steel-toed boots, 100% cotton long sleeve shirts and 100% cotton pants)
- Be job ready
- Have reliable transportation
- Able to support themselves for the duration of the training

6. What is the application process?

To apply for this training program, please visit: <u>https://easternshorejobs.com/job-training/</u> or visit Quality Staffing Services in Salisbury, Maryland.

7. How much can I expect to earn if I complete this program and obtain employment in the metal fabrication field?

Trainees who complete this program and obtain employment can expect to earn an average of \$18.00 per hour.

8: How much do I have to pay for this program?

While there is no cost for training, each student must supply their own safety equipment (e.g. steel-toed boots, 100% cotton long sleeve shirts and 100% cotton pants) which costs about \$100.

9. Where can I find more information?

For more information, visit: <u>https://easternshorejobs.com/</u> or contact: Wor-Wic Community College: 410-334-2815.