



# Atlantic Technical College

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2017 - 2018

Enroll in This Fast Track Program for a Career in a Year



## CARPENTRY (VA)

### Program Length/Schedule:

1200 hours/approx. 12 months (full-time)

This program is offered twice a year: January & August

Delivery Method: Traditional (100% classroom-based)

M – F 7:05 a.m – 1:50 p.m

### Admission Requirements:

- 16 Years of Age or older
- Complete a Program Orientation
- Basic Skills Testing or Exemption
- Interview with Program Counselor/Advisor

### Job Outlook in the Ft. Lauderdale area:

- Demand for carpenters is expected to grow by about 6% between 2014 and 2024 (Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics).
- Entry level wages for carpenters are about \$13/hour (Source: The Florida Department of Economic Opportunity). Actual wages vary according to education, experience and certifications.

### Course Content:

The Carpentry program prepares students for employment in the Construction and Manufacturing industries by teaching the skills of cutting, shaping, and installing building materials during the construction of buildings, ships, timber bridges, concrete formwork, and so much more. Specialties within the Carpentry field, such as Rough, Finish, Trim, Framing and Formwork, will be explored.

Carpentry students will experience all facets of the carpentry trade, including planning, management, finance, technical and production skills, underlying principles of technology, labor issues, community issues, and health, safety, and environmental issues.

### Additional Skills Covered:

- Architectural & Engineering Measurement & Scale Drawing Techniques
- Blueprint Reading & Code Interpretations
- Building Construction Codes
- Carpentry (Rough & Finish) Skills
- Concrete Form, Place and Finish Techniques
- Estimating Job Costs, Including Labor & Materials & Bidding Skills
- Floor, Wall, Stair & Roof Calculations, Layout & Framing Skills
- Painting applications & finish techniques
- OSHA Safety Standards
- Residential & Commercial Construction Techniques
- Roofing Systems
- Safety procedures for the use of power tools, hand tools & other equipment
- Site Layout & Surveying Skills

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 754-321-5200**



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gainful-employment/Carpentry

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**See Back of Page for Estimated Program Costs  
(based on 1 full year of documented Florida residency)**

## CARPENTRY

### I460202/Carpentry (1200 hours)

	Fees
Tuition (approximate cost based upon program length)	<b>\$3,360</b>
Lab (approximate cost based upon program length)	<b>\$480</b>
Assessment: TABE® Initial Basic Skills Test	\$15
Registration (non-refundable fee)	\$40 per semester + \$20 per quarter \$100
Annual Student Activity Fee	\$10 per academic year \$10

**TUITION, LAB, ASSESSMENT, REGISTRATION, ACTIVITY FEE, INSURANCE (approximate costs) \$3,965**

**There may be additional costs associated with books, uniforms, special tools, equipment and other related items.**

**Industry Certification & State Credential Exams:** Students will be prepared to take an approved state and/or nationally recognized industry certification or licensure exam in their field of study. Students who successfully earn the NCCER Carpentry 1 & 2 certifications may be eligible to enter the Carpentry Apprenticeship program at an accelerated level.

**College Credit Transfer Opportunity and/or Advanced Credit:** Upon completion of the program and meeting eligibility requirements, including the attainment of an aligned industry credential, students may be awarded credits toward an AS/AAS Degree by Broward College or the Florida College System. Students must enroll in Broward College within 2 years of completing the program at Atlantic Technical College. Additional college credit may be awarded with the attainment of additional industry credentials.

### INDUSTRY CERTIFICATION:

Industry certification and state credential exam costs are additional. However, you may qualify for reimbursement of your exam cost(s) upon passing the exam. See your program counselor for more information.

### BOOKS/SUPPLIES:

For a list of books and prices go to [www.atlanticechnicalcollege.edu/bookstore-price-list/](http://www.atlanticechnicalcollege.edu/bookstore-price-list/) or visit the bookstore on campus. Additional supply information can be found in the syllabus located on the Web page for this program.

## Your Action Plan Checklist - Get Started Today!

- Step 1 | Attend a Program Orientation**
- Step 2 | Take the Tests of Adult Basic Education (TABE) or meet exemption criteria**
  - See your counselor/advisor for details on test exemptions/receive test results.
  - Accommodations for testing are available to qualified individuals.
  - Visit the Office of Disability Services for details **before testing**.
- Step 3 | Meet with your counselor/advisor**
  - Receive test results.
  - Discuss technical or academic program placement.
  - Discuss special needs (unique situations)
  - Review Financial Aid
- Step 4 | Registration and Enrollment**



*The mission of Atlantic Technical College & Technical High School is to promote excellence in academic, career & technical studies in order to prepare students to enter & remain competitive in a global workforce.*

