

Program Number 10-499-5
Associate Degree in Applied Science • Varies

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

In response to requests for academic recognition of registered apprenticeship training in the state of Wisconsin, the Wisconsin Technical College System provides a Technical Studies - Journeyworker Associate Degree in Applied Science. The Technical Studies - Journeyworker degree is designed to support lifelong learning and accelerate the achievement of individual career goals. Transferability of the Technical Studies portion of this 60-credit associate degree to four-year institutions will be based on the accepting institution's policies.

ADVANCEMENT AS A JOURNEYWORKER

As people embark on the path to Journeyworker status in a skilled trade, they often consider the attainment of that card the culmination of their career training. In many cases, this may very well be true. However, in other cases, the holder of a journeyworker card may ask, "What's next?" They may be interested in becoming a business owner or expanding their studies to the bachelor's degree level. There are any number of possible options as one builds a career in the skilled trades. If your career path takes you on a route where a degree beyond the journeyworker card is necessary, then this degree is designed for you.

DEGREE COMPLETION REQUIREMENTS

- Possess a Wisconsin Apprenticeship Completion Certificate issued by the Department of Workforce Development—Bureau of Apprenticeship Standards.
- Complete all WTCS apprentice-related technical instruction with a minimum course grade of C. Possession of the DWD—BAS Wisconsin Apprentice Completion Certificate with at least 400 hours of paid related instruction AND successful completion of all coursework fulfills the 39-credit minimum technical studies requirement of the Technical Studies—Journeyworker Associate Degree in Applied Science.
- Meet the WTCS Associate Degree in Applied Science requirement for a minimum of 15 credits of General Education and 6 additional credits of either general education electives or Associate degree level Technical Studies.

CAREER & EDUCATION ADVANCEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Lakeshore credits transfer to over 30 universities. For more information visit lakeshore.edu/future-students/transfer.

ADMISSIONS AND FIRST SEMESTER ENROLLMENT STEPS

- Submit online application.
- Complete the online Student Success Questionnaire.
- Complete Get Started at Lakeshore appointment:
 - Application Check-in
 - College Orientation Overview
 - 1st Time Program Registration

**Submit high school transcripts, college transcripts, and test scores (optional, highly recommended). Official transcripts will be needed for transferring college credit(s) and for financial aid purposes.*

ACADEMIC PREPAREDNESS/FUTURE SEMESTER ENROLLMENT STEPS

If applicable, complete program-specific academic preparedness requirements and enrollment steps prior to enrolling in occupational or core courses. Students will be notified if there is a program waitlist. View the college's program webpage for details: <https://lakeshore.edu/programs-and-courses/career-areas/manufacturing/technical-studies-journeyworker>.

APPROXIMATE COSTS

\$152.85 per credit tuition (WI resident) plus \$9.17 per credit student activity fee. Material fee varies depending on course. Other fees vary by program. Visit lakeshore.edu/Financial-Aid/tuition-and-fees for details.

FINANCIAL AID

This program is eligible for financial aid. Visit lakeshore.edu/Financial-Aid for more information.

CONTACT

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Catalog No.	Class Title	Credit(s)
Occupational Specific		
10499100	BAS/BAT Apprenticeship Completion	39
General Education (21 Credits)		
	Communication: 6 Credits Required	6
	Social Science: 3 Credits Required	3
	Behavioral Science: 3 Credits Required	3
	Math OR Science: 3 Credits Required	3
	General Education Electives or Associate Degree Level Technical Studies: 6 Credits Required	6

TOTAL 60

Curriculum and program acceptance requirements are subject to change. Program start dates vary; check with your academic counselor for details. The tuition and fees are approximate based on 2025-2026 rates and are subject to change prior to the start of the academic year.

BAS/BAT APPRENTICESHIP COMPLETION...requires the completion of a BAS approved apprenticeship which includes a minimum of 400 hours of paid related instruction.