

Diesel Service Technology FAQs

Does my student need any previous experience before taking this class?

No previous experience is needed. This course will start by covering the basics of diesel technology and will build from there.

If my student attends this course, should they go to college or straight to the workforce?

They will have the ability to go straight to the workforce. To obtain a mid-level technician job they need to pass all the ASE tests and use the college credits they earn at SICTC to further their education.

How much homework can a student expect from this course?

There is minimal homework in this class. Homework will be necessary if book work is not complete in the class time but most of the time students will have time to complete assignments in class.

What expenses will I incur? Fees, book rental or purchase, tool costs, etc?

SICTC supplies all tools and equipment. Any text book rental fee is minimal.

Will there be a lot of tests?

There will be quite a few tests, most of which will be hands on to test your mechanical ability as well as your knowledge. These hands on tests will better prepare you for the workforce.

Will there be a lot of reading?

There will be some reading chapters in the textbook but most of the reading will be to look up procedures and specifications.

How much lab time will my student have?

A rough analysis of lab to classroom time is about 60% lab time/40% classroom time.