

# HVAC APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM

We are excited to announce the launch of our new One-Year HVAC Apprentice Program at Manatee Technical College. The goal of the program is to help HVAC businesses meet the demand for skilled labor by offering accelerated training. We will also be offering our three year program if the one year program does not fit your needs or location.



## 1 YEAR PROGRAM

- Manatee Technical College (State Rd. 70 E., Bradenton)
- Classes are twice a week (Tuesday & Thursday), from 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. for 43 weeks beginning August 8, 2023
- A minimum of 2,000 hours on-the-job employment will need to be submitted and approved by the manager
- Competency based program allowing apprentices to learn at their own pace
- Classes are a combination of four learning elements: classroom time, shop/lab time, web-based learning and on-the-job training
- Multiple certifications are administered: OSHA 10, EPA-608 (Type I, Type II, Type III and Universal), and NATE (Core & Air-To-Air Heat Pump)
- Certificate of Recognition from the State of Florida acknowledging completion of a state registered apprenticeship program
- Apprentice enrollment fees:  
Member \$1,950 / Non-Member \$2,650 per apprentice

## 3 YEAR PROGRAM

- Suncoast Technical College
  - Sarasota Campus / 1st, 2nd, and 3rd year
  - North Port Campus / 1st & 2nd year only
- Classes are once a week for 36 weeks; 5:00 - 9:00 p.m. beginning August 8, 2023
- A minimum of 6,000 hours on-the-job employment will need to be submitted and approved by the manager
- Classes are a combination of four learning elements: classroom time, shop/lab time, web-based learning and on-the-job training
- Multiple certifications are administered: EPA-608 (Type I, Type II, Type III and Universal), and NATE (Core & Air-To-Air Heat Pump)
- Certificate of Recognition from the State of Florida acknowledging completion of a state registered apprenticeship program
- Apprentice enrollment fees:  
Member \$650 per year / Non-Member \$750 per year



### WHAT IS REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE?

Apprentices must be employed by a HVAC company, 18 years or older, be physically capable of performing the essential functions of the occupation and have a valid Florida Drivers License



### WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS TO MY COMPANY?

Participation in the program builds highly-skilled employees, reduces turnover costs, increases productivity and creates company loyalty



### WHAT ARE MY COMPANY'S RESPONSIBILITIES?

Employers are required to ensure their work hours allow for class attendance, provide the on-the-job training as specified by the program and select employees that have a desire to learn and become HVAC professionals

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For more information and for registration paperwork visit <https://macca.us/Apprenticeship> or Scan the QR code  
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