



CORE PLUS AEROSPACE

You Have a Head Start

Through your participation in Core Plus Aerospace, you have skills and knowledge that are:

- Highly transferable across different types of jobs and industries
- In-demand by employers
- Gateways to higher-level academic programs

Most importantly, these skills provide you with options.

To Do List:

- Get your Core Plus Aerospace certificate from your instructor
- Research and apply to community/technical college programs and employers
- Apply for financial aid and research what resources are available
- Build your network – keep connecting with classmates, instructors, and employers
- Keep your resume up to date
- Pursue personal projects to continue to develop key skills and demonstrate proficiency to potential employers

CONGRATULATIONS CLASS OF 2021!

Through hard work and dedication, you have reached an exciting and important milestone. Take some time to reflect on and enjoy your accomplishments!

Whatever your next step may be, we are excited to see what you achieve next! We also recognize you might feel uncertain about the future. That's okay! We're here to help with a few resources.

Find the Next Step that's Best for You

It's more important than ever to keep building your skills and make your resume stand out. Community and technical colleges across Washington offer courses and training programs that build on the aerospace manufacturing skills you developed in your Core Plus Aerospace coursework, and can help fast track your career and increase your earning potential.

“Taking Core Plus Aerospace is the best decision I've ever made. This has been the best high school experience I could ever have. I've had fun and learned so much. I'm excited to see where I go and what future generations will build. Seeing cool things being built like planes and skyscrapers is really interesting to me. I'd like to do something like that.”

- Anna Northam, 2021 graduate from Southeast Area Technical Skills Center (SEATech) in Walla Walla



WANT TO LEARN MORE?

Check out information on the next page to find college and training programs near you!



READY TO TAKE THE NEXT STEP TOWARD A CAREER IN AEROSPACE MANUFACTURING OR MAINTENANCE?

Washington's community and technical colleges can help!

Check out the programs below and visit wsac.wa.gov to learn about financial aid and scholarships that are available to keep costs down.

Sign up for [Otterbot](#), a free texting service to help navigate financial aid for college and career education. Simply text "Hi Otter" to 360-928-7281 and start getting your questions answered.

BATES TECHNICAL COLLEGE Tacoma, WA batestech.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAMS

- Mechatronics
- Machining/Tooling

BELLINGHAM TECHNICAL COLLEGE Bellingham, WA btc.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAMS

- Electrician
- Instrumentation and Controls
- Collision Repair (Paint)
- Mechatronics

BIG BEND COMMUNITY COLLEGE Moses Lake, WA bigbend.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAMS

- Aviation Maintenance Technician
- Avionics
- Mechatronics

CLARK COLLEGE Vancouver, WA clark.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAM

- Mechatronics

CLOVER PARK TECHNICAL COLLEGE Lakewood and Puyallup, WA cptc.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAMS

- Aviation Maintenance Technician
- Avionics
- Mechatronics
- Machining/Tooling
- Fundamental Skills for Manufacturing and Engineering (FSME)*

*Core Plus Aerospace grads may be able to test out.

EDMONDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE Edmonds, WA edcc.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAM

- Mechatronics

EVERETT COMMUNITY COLLEGE Everett, WA everettcc.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAMS

- Aviation Maintenance Technician
- Avionics
- Composites
- Mechatronics
- Paint

GREEN RIVER COLLEGE Auburn, WA greenriver.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAMS

- Machining
- Mechatronics

NORTH SEATTLE COLLEGE Seattle, WA northseattle.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAMS

- Avionics
- Mechatronics

OLYMPIC COLLEGE Bremerton, WA olympic.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAMS

- Composite
- Electrician

PERRY TECHNICAL INSTITUTE Yakima, WA perrytech.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAMS

- Instrumentation and Controls
- Machining/Tooling

RENTON TECHNICAL COLLEGE Renton, WA rtc.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAMS

- General Mechanic
- Mechatronics
- Machining/Tooling

SHORELINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE Shoreline, WA shoreline.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAM

- Mechatronics

SOUTH SEATTLE COLLEGE Seattle, WA southseattle.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAM

- Aviation Maintenance Technician

SPOKANE COMMUNITY COLLEGE Spokane, WA scc.spokane.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAMS

- Aviation Maintenance Technician
- Avionics
- Electrician
- Mechatronics

WASHINGTON AEROSPACE TRAINING AND RESEARCH CENTER Everett, WA washingtonaerospace.com

ALIGNED PROGRAMS

- Electrical Assembly
- General Mechanic
- Seal

WENATCHEE VALLEY COLLEGE Wenatchee, WA wvc.edu

ALIGNED PROGRAM

- Mechatronics