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Career and Technical Programs

Advanced Technology Division  
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# Electronic Technology

Two-Year Associate of Applied Science Degree

**Purpose** To provide graduates with the basic principles of electronic theory and the associated lab skills needed for successful work in the electronics industry. A graduate qualifies for entry-level employment as an electronic engineering technician, electronic production technician, electronic instrument technician, industrial electronic technician, or for employment in the military.

**Learning Outcomes** The graduate will:

- learn systematic methods of problem solving
- demonstrate the ability to operate electronic test equipment such as digital oscilloscopes, DMM, power supplies and function generators
- demonstrate the ability to generate and read schematic drawings and apply that knowledge to understand the operation of a physical circuit.
- construct, modify, and test operational multistage digital or analog circuits.
- examine defective circuits, investigate possible causes of the defect, and determine how to troubleshoot and repair the circuit.
- follow the flow of an automated manufacturing process, recognize the transducers used to monitor a process and, using programmable controllers (PLCs), ladder logic, and robotics, create, test and troubleshoot an automated process.
- demonstrate the ability to use a microcontroller and PBASIC software to control electronic circuits
- assemble and troubleshoot a personal computer.
- access library, computing, and communications services and obtain information and data from regional, national, and international networks.

**Employment Trends** Statewide, 82 annual openings for electronic technicians are projected in Oregon and 3 openings are projected annually in Lane County. Workers must have postsecondary training to gain the necessary skills for this occupation. Those with an associate degree have a competitive advantage in this labor market.

**Wages** Statewide average, \$23 hourly, \$47,500 annually (\$50,000+ with experience). Lane County, \$27 hourly, \$56,000 annually.

#### Costs in Addition to Tuition and Registration Fees (estimate)\*

Books .....	\$2,250
Tools.....	\$ 200
Fees .....	\$ 350
Total .....	\$2,800

\* Subject to change without notice.

**Prerequisites** Minimum placement score of 68 in Reading OR completion of RD 080 OR prior college. A high school diploma or equivalent is recommended for all applicants to this program. Recommend MTH 060 Beginning Algebra skills prior to entry into the program.

**Admission Information** Contact Advanced Technology Division or see [lanecc.edu/advtech/ET/index.htm](http://lanecc.edu/advtech/ET/index.htm)

**Cooperative Education (Co-op)** Co-op offers students college credit and a grade for on-the-job work experience related to their educational and career goals. Through Co-op students connect theory and practice, develop skills, expand career knowledge, and make contacts for the future. Work schedules and work sites vary. Contact Marv Clemons, Electronics Co-op Coordinator, Bldg. 8, Rm. 111, 541.463.3158, [clemonsm@lanecc.edu](mailto:clemonsm@lanecc.edu).

First Year	Fall
ET 121 Shop Practices * <sub>D,G</sub> .....	2
ET 129 Electrical Theory 1 * <sub>D,G</sub> .....	4
MTH 065 Elementary Algebra * <sub>D,G</sub> or higher level mathematics .....	4
CS 120 Concepts of Computing: Information Processing or higher computer science course .....	4
PE/Health requirement <sup>D,R</sup> .....	3
Total Credits	17

	Winter
ET 130 Electrical Theory 2 <sup>*,D,G</sup> .....	4
ET 145 Semiconductor Devices 1 <sup>*,D,G</sup> .....	4
ET 151 Digital Electronics 1 <sup>*,D,G</sup> .....	4
MTH 095 Intermediate Algebra <sup>*,D</sup> or higher level mathematics .....	5
Total Credits	17

	Spring
ET 131 Electrical Theory 3 * <sub>D,G</sub> .....	4
ET 146 Semiconductor Devices 2 * <sub>D,G</sub> .....	4
ET 152 Digital Electronics 2 * <sub>D,G</sub> .....	4
WR 121 Introduction to Academic Writing * <sub>D</sub> .....	4
Total Credits	16

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## Second Year

	Fall
ET 229 Motors *,D,G .....	4
ET 234 Programmable Controllers *,D,G .....	4
ET 239 Microprocessor Applications *,D,G .....	4
ET247 Linear Circuits 1.....	4

Total Credits 16

## Winter

ET 232 Process Control Systems *,D,G .....	4
ET 241 Electro-Mechanical Troubleshooting*,D,G .....	4
ENGR 280E Cooperative Education:	
Electronic Technology <sup>D,G</sup> .....	3
Human Relations requirement <sup>R</sup> .....	3

Total Credits 14

## Spring

ET 201 Industrial Instrumentation *,D,G .....	4
ET 281 Radiotelephone *,D,G .....	4
ET 287 Microcomputer Hardware *,D,G .....	4
WR 227 Technical Writing *.....	4

Total Credits 15

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## Standard footnotes:

- \* Prerequisite required
- B Must be passed with grade of "B" or better to use as a prerequisite

- D Degree or certificate requirement; must be passed with grade of "C-" or better
- G Must be taken for a grade, not P/NP; major requirement
- R Required for AAS degree