

Auto Body Repair AAS DEGREE
Auto Body Repair DIPLOMA

Auto body repair workers repair and replace automotive body and frame components. Students in this program will learn many skills including frame repair, welding and cutting, metal straightening, application of up-to-date materials, metal finishing, customized painting and alignment of body components. They will also learn to estimate damage and compute labor and material costs. The U.S. Department of Labor predicts that employment of auto body repair workers will continue to increase.

About the program

What you'll learn

- Repair and replace automotive and body components
- Frame repair, metal straightening, welding and cutting
- Application of up-to-date body materials
- Metal finishing and alignment of body components
- Estimate damage and compute labor and materials costs
- Paint preparation and color matching techniques
- Painting and customized painting
- Paint finish and detailing

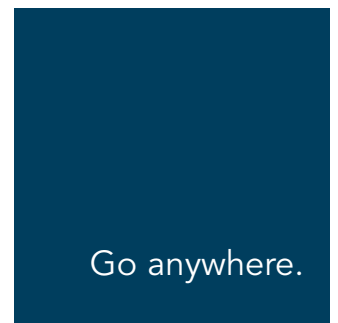
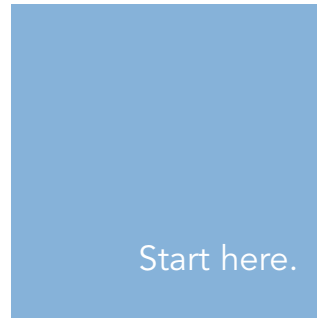
Career settings

- Independent body shops
- Dealership body shops
- Specialty shops
- Own your own shop
- Insurance claim adjuster
- Truck body shop

Potential employers

- Bonfe's Auto Body Repair
- ABRA Auto Body
- State Farm Insurance
- Sears Imports - Minnetonka
- 3M

auto body repair



Additional benefits

- Learn from experienced instructors who teach in a "hands on" environment.
- Advance on the job to estimator, adjuster, or shop manager.
- After graduation, enter an apprenticeship training program and work with an experienced journey person to increase your advancement opportunities.
- Your technical college experience can shorten the length of an apprenticeship.

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Program Requirements

academic year 2009-10

Auto Body Repair AAS Degree

Course		Cr
ABDY 1400	Introduction to Auto Body Repair	3
ABDY 1410	Auto Body Sheet Metal Repair	3
ABDY 1420	Auto Body Repair Techniques	3
ABDY 1430	Introduction to Paint Prep	4
ABDY 1440	Advanced Body & Frame Repair Theory	2
ABDY 1450	Collision Repair, Estimating & Shop Management	2
ADBY 1510	Advanced Body & Frame Repair	3
ABDY 1520	Paint & Color Matching Techniques	4
ABDY 1530	Paint Finish & Detailing	4
ABDY 1540	Auto Body Specialization Finishes	4
ABDY 1550	General Auto Body Detailing	4
ABDY 1560	Alignment & Brakes for Auto Body	2
ABDY 1570	Air Conditioning & Auto Electric	3
ABDY 1581	Welding – Auto Body 1	2
ABDY 1582	Welding – Auto body 2	3
	Subtotal	46
	General Education Requirements	20
	Total Program Credits	66

Auto Body Repair Diploma

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ABDY 1400	Introduction to Auto Body Repair	3
ABDY 1410	Auto Body Sheet Metal Repair	3
ABDY 1420	Auto Body Repair Techniques	3
ABDY 1430	Introduction to Paint Prep.	4
ABDY 1440	Advanced Body & Frame Repair Theory	2
ABDY 1450	Collision Repair, Estimating & Shop Management	2
ADBY 1510	Advanced Body & Frame Repair	3
ABDY 1520	Paint & Color Matching Techniques	4
ABDY 1530	Paint Finish & Detailing	4
ABDY 1540	Auto Body Specialization Finishes	4
ABDY 1550	General Auto Body Detailing	4
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For additional information about recommended Course Sequence, Minimum Program Entry Requirements and Program Outcomes, please see the Program Guide Sheet. Guide Sheets are available online on each Program Web page at www.saintpaul.edu or in Enrollment Services.

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