

# NORTHLAND TRAINING CENTER

Northland Training Center ([NTC](#)) is a renowned, highly structured, sector-specific training program which offers for-credit technical skills programs taught on site by SUNY Alfred State College and SUNY Erie Community College.

## **HOW TO APPLY:**

### **Participate in a pre-enrollment session.**

Applicants should apply using the [application page on the NTC website](#). An outreach specialist will have them to go to a pre-enrollment session (occurring every Tuesday at 6:00pm, every Wednesday at 10:00am, or Thursday at 4:00pm).

## **PROGRAM APPROACH:**

All applicants will participate in an industry awareness activity to expose them to careers in advanced manufacturing and energy as well as complete an academic assessment (TABE) to measure academic readiness and career assessments to ensure candidate suitability.

Students requiring academic remediation will be supported at no cost to increase their literacy and numeracy to ensure they can successfully complete Northland Workforce Training Center for-credit educational programs.

Applicants who demonstrate a 10th grade literacy and numeracy score as well as industry suitability will be assigned a Career Coach, complete financial aid counseling and create an Individualized Employment Plan utilizing the [Student Success Model](#). Once enrolled, Career Coaches and Placement Specialists will work with students to complete training and obtain employment, and support alumni for three years after being hired full-time.

***Career coaches can help mitigate any barriers and provide supports related to mental health, transportation, and emergency funds.***

## **PROGRAM OVERVIEW:**

Through its SUNY educational partners, Northland offers for-credit, certificate and Associate Degrees programs as core offerings. Northland's educational partners provide two-year Associate Degree programs as well as shorter one-semester and two-semester certificate programs.

Example program outcomes:

**One year (two-semester) technical program certificate** from SUNY Erie in Mechatronics.

**Two-year Associates Degree**

*(includes occupational studies, which embeds general education in technical training e.g., Math for welders or writing technical job descriptions.)*

20% takes place in a classroom while 80% is application.

Graduation rate is ~60%; job placement is 88% (of grads) with avg salary of \$35-40,000.

NTC also manages a [summer immersion program](#).