



CAREER ENHANCEMENT CERTIFICATE

2024-25 Catalog
Effective Summer 2024

CAT LIFT TRUCK

The catalog in force is assigned to students based on the academic year they first applied to the college, and changes only when students change their major or request the change in writing. Refer to Policy No. 3357:15-13-28.

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Business, Engineering, and Information Technologies Division

Automotive and Transportation Department

The CAT Lift Truck (CLT) Career Enhancement Certification is designed exclusively for the student who is seeking a career as a service technician at a Caterpillar Lift Truck dealership. The Caterpillar-specific curriculum is produced by MCFA. It prepares the student for a career as a Caterpillar Lift Truck Technician by providing Caterpillar Lift Truck’s core certification courses that are needed for advancement at a CAT Lift Truck dealership.

The CLT curriculum is a blend of classroom theory and hands-on lab assignments. The curriculum follows OSHA and Industrial Truck Association (ITA) guidelines. CLT-specific classes are scheduled to run on selected Fridays throughout each semester, including the summer, and are a full day in length.

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre- and Co-Requisites	Completed Sem./Year
AUT121	Automotive Technical Skills	2		
AUT123	Engine Diagnosis and Major Service	4	AUT121	
AUT125	Automotive Electrical and Accessory Systems	4	AUT121	
AUT181	Introduction to CAT Lift Trucks	1	AUT121	
AUT182	CAT Operator Safety Training	1	AUT181	
AUT183	CAT Service Information System	1	AUT181	
AUT184	CAT Hydraulic Systems	1	AUT121	
AUT185	CAT Internal Combustion Engine	2	AUT123	
AUT186	CAT Masts and Lift Mechanisms	1	AUT121	
AUT187	CAT Electrical Systems	3	AUT125	
AUT188	CAT Steering Systems	1	AUT121	
AUT189	CAT Braking Systems	1	AUT121	
AUT281	CAT Differentials and Front Axles	1	AUT121	
AUT282	CAT Transmissions	2	AUT121	
AUT283	CAT Fuel Systems (LP, Gasoline)	2	AUT123	
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		27		

STUDENT ADVISING NOTES

Academic Advising

Students should make an appointment to see their advisor before registering for classes each semester. They should have prepared a completed registration form, including courses they wish to take, prior to this meeting.

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Credit Hours</u>	<u>Pre- and Co-requisites</u>
AUT121	Automotive Technical Skills	2	
AUT123	Engine Diagnosis and Major Service	4	AUT121
AUT125	Automotive Electrical and Accessory Systems	4	AUT121
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 <u>Second Semester</u>			
AUT181	Introduction to CAT Lift Trucks	1	AUT121
AUT182	CAT Operator Safety Training	1	AUT181
AUT183	CAT Service Information System	1	AUT181
AUT184	CAT Hydraulic Systems	1	AUT121
AUT185	CAT Internal Combustion Engine	2	AUT123
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 <u>Third Semester</u>			
AUT186	CAT Masts and Lift Mechanisms	1	AUT121
AUT187	CAT Electrical Systems	3	AUT125
AUT188	CAT Steering Systems	1	AUT121
AUT189	CAT Braking Systems	1	AUT121
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 <u>Fourth Semester</u>			
AUT281	CAT Differentials and Front Axles	1	AUT121
AUT282	CAT Transmissions	2	AUT121
AUT283	CAT Fuel Systems (LP, Gasoline)	2	AUT123
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	TOTAL CREDITS	27	