PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Motorcycle Mechanics diploma program at Central Carolina Community College is known throughout the state and the region. The program is the only one in North Carolina that is factory supported. Major manufacturers, such as Harley-Davidson Motor Company, Yamaha, Suzuki, Honda, and Kawasaki Motor Companies, support the program through the donation of equipment and other instructional materials. Through hands-on instruction, students learn and develop the basic knowledge and skills needed to inspect, diagnose, repair, and adjust motorcycles and all-terrain vehicles. Furthermore, the students participate in numerous shop assignments, practices, and demonstrations. Visitors to our facility are impressed by the variety of tools, the order and cleanliness of the shop space, and by the amount of equipment we have for utilization in our instructional program. As a result of the program’s excellent reputation, faculty members are able to assist students in locating employment shortly after graduation.

The Motorcycle Mechanics diploma program is a day program that is three semesters in length. The program begins in the fall semester (August), with enrollment being limited to eighteen students.

INDIVIDUALS INTERESTED IN APPLYING TO THE PROGRAM SHOULD EXPECT THE FOLLOWING

• Complete all admission requirements in a timely manner.
• Wait listed applicants are highly encouraged to enroll in the general education course work within the Motorcycle Mechanics diploma program and day certificate programs while waiting for seat availability.
• Eighteen applicants will be selected for admittance into the program each fall. Applicants are eligible to be admitted to the program when all admission requirements have been completed.
• Applicants who have submitted all admission requirements, but did not get admitted into the program will be placed on a wait list. These applicants will be notified if a seat becomes available in the fall semester only.
Length of Program

The Motorcycle Mechanics diploma program is three semesters in length. Students take a total of 47 semester hours. Graduation occurs at the end of the summer semester.

Day courses are instructed:
Monday through Friday
8:00 a.m. – 3:50 p.m.

Graduation occurs at the end of the summer semester.

All classes are held at the Lee County Campus, Sanford, NC.

Financial Aid

Tuition is paid at the time of registration and is based on credit hours for that semester. If needed, students should apply for financial aid early or have a payment plan ready for registration. There are several different types of aid available:
(1) Students can apply for federal grants at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Our school code is 005449; (2) Two scholarships are available for the program: the Richard Scott Grant Memorial Scholarship and the Michael Charles Delamere Scholarship. The scholarship application deadline each year is May 1. The college does not have an educational loan program. Approval for financial aid does not imply acceptance into the program. Motorcycle Mechanics students are admitted into the diploma program based on having all admission requirements complete.

Textbooks/Other Equipment

Textbooks are required for all of the courses in the Motorcycle Mechanics program.

The textbooks can be purchased at the Central Carolina Community College Bookstore located on the Sanford campus. Some materials and equipment, such as tools, are supplied to our college for student use. However, courses may have additional supplies that need to be purchased.

PROGRAM COSTS

Costs are subject to change and are based on in-state tuition.

FALL:
17 Credit Hours 1216.00
Student Fee 40.00
Technology Fee 16.00

1272.00

SPRING:
19 Credit Hours 1216.00
Student Fee 40.00
Technology Fee 16.00

1272.00

SUMMER:
11 Credit Hours 836.00
Student Fee 5.00
Technology Fee 8.00

849.00

Estimated Textbook Costs: 1000.00

Estimated In-State Diploma Total: 4,393.00
Estimated Out-Of-State Diploma Total: 12,649.00

Diploma or Certificate?

Students pursuing the diploma program take a total of 47 semester hours. Courses include topics such as Motorcycle Mechanics, Chassis, Fuel Systems, Engines, Dyno Tuning, Electricity, Machining, Welding, English, Math, and Computers. These courses are taught on a variety of motorcycles and courses are instructed full-time during the day. The placement test is required for the diploma program. Students pursuing the certificate program take a total of 15 semester hours. This program only consists of four courses: Introduction to Transportation Technology, Basic Transportation Electricity, Motorcycle Chassis, and Motorcycle Engines. These courses are taught on Harley-Davidson motorcycles and the program is instructed part-time during the day or evening. The placement test is not required for the certificate program.

For more information, call the Motorcycle Mechanics Admissions Counselor at (919) 718-7526.