

Western Dakota Technical Institute 2009 – 2010 Placement Report



Career Clusters

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Programs

		Graduates	Number Responding	Continuing Education /Military	Total Employable	Total Employed	Employed in Field	Employed in Field in SD	% Employed	% Employed in Field	Average Hourly Salary
Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources	Agriculture Resources Tech (Discontinued)	8	7	1	6	5	3	2	83	50	\$14.72
Architecture & Construction	Carpentry (Discontinued)	6	6	0	4	4	4	4	100	100	\$15.14
Architecture & Construction	Computer-Aided Drafting	16	16	1	15	13	9	8	87	60	\$14.87
Business, Management & Administration	Accounting	11	11	4	7	7	6	4	100	86	\$11.15
Business, Management & Administration	Business Management & Marketing	35	35	4	31	30	27	27	97	87	\$11.71
Health Science	Health Unit Coordinator/Patient Care Tech	17	16	5	11	11	9	8	100	82	\$10.28
Health Science	Medical Admin. / Administrative Services	11	11	0	11	9	7	7	82	64	\$10.64
Health Science	Medical Transcription	6	6	1	5	5	3	3	100	60	\$12.25
Health Science	Pharmacy Technician	37	36	3	33	32	19	18	97	58	\$11.04
Health Science	Phlebotomy / Lab Assistant	20	20	4	16	14	13	13	88	81	\$10.39
Health Science	Practical Nursing	33	33	2	31	31	29	27	100	94	\$13.97
Health Science	Surgical Technology	7	7	0	7	7	7	5	100	100	\$14.11
Human Services	Human Services Technician (Discontinued)	4	4	0	4	3	3	3	75	75	\$11.25
Information Technology	Programming & Application Development	10	10	4	6	5	4	4	83	67	\$11.55
Information Technology	Programming & Computer Networking	11	11	1	10	8	6	6	80	60	\$12.68
Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security	Fire Science	11	11	1	10	9	9	7	90	90	\$12.65
Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security	Law Enforcement	11	11	3	7	6	3	3	86	43	\$14.82
Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security	Paralegal / Legal Assistant	3	3	1	2	2	2	2	100	100	*
Manufacturing	Welding Manufacturing Technology	24	24	3	21	21	17	9	100	81	\$17.19
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics	Electrical & Electronic Technology	19	19	2	17	17	13	9	100	76	\$15.89
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics	Environmental Engineering Technician	5	5	1	4	3	2	0	75	50	*
Transportation, Distribution & Logistics	Collision Repair Technology	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*
Transportation, Distribution & Logistics	Hot Rod Technology	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	100	100	*
Transportation, Distribution & Logistics	Transportation Technology	13	13	2	11	11	8	7	100	73	\$11.58
2009-10 WDT Graduates	TOTALS	319	316	43	270	254	204	177	94%	76%	

Total number of graduates	319
Total number of graduates located	316 99%
Total graduates remaining in South Dakota	273 86%
Graduates reporting continuing education	35 11%
Graduates employed	254 80%
US Armed Forces	8 2.5%
Employed in training-related career	204 76%
Employed in training-related career in South Dakota	177 66%
Graduates seeking employment	16 5.9%
Graduates not in the labor market	3 1.1%
OVERALL GRADUATE PLACEMENT RATE (employed or continuing education)	94%

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