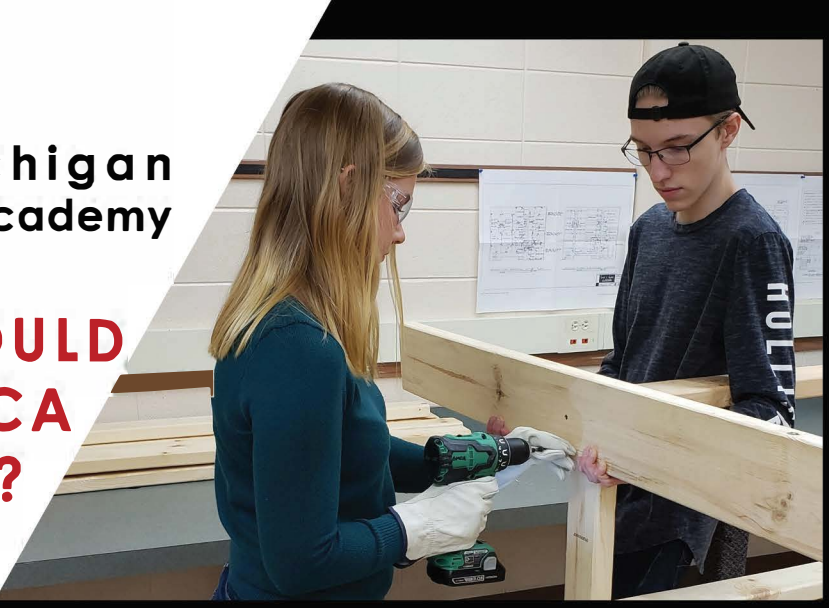
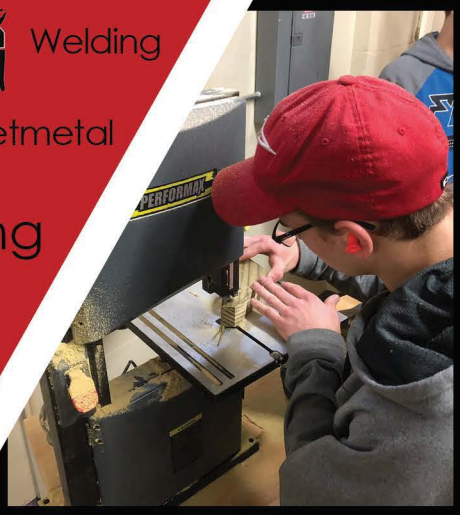
Greater Michigan Construction Academy

DID YOU KNOW YOU COULD START TRAINING AT GMCA WHILE IN HIGH SCHOOL?



- Carpentry
- HVAC
- Industrial Maintenance Mechanic
- Insulating
- Electrical
- Instrumentation
- Welding
- Plumbing
- Sheetmetal
- Ironworking
- Pipefitting



APPLY TODAY!

https://gmcami.org/high-school-programs/

THE TIME TO START IS NOW!

If you are a junior or senior in high school, the time to start your career is NOW! There is no need to wait until you graduate. You can finish your earning your high school diploma, while learning a trade. By the time you graduate high school, you could have 2 years of experience in the trade of your choosing!

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Still in high school?

How to train in skilled trades while in High School?

GMCA has a High School Training Program set up for students who are in grades 11th & 12th to begin their skilled trades career training. Currently GMCA is collaborating with the Saginaw, Lansing, Bay, and Midland County in order to make this program possible. The program runs from September until May, every Monday - Friday morning with holidays and breaks in between. Some high schools train right at their location, while others commute to our Midland or Lansing Campuses.

What is the curriculum of the High School Training Program?

Year 1: In the fall semester (September - December) of the WBL Learning Program, students take Core. Core is the basics of the trades, with introductions to carpentry, electrical, welding and HVAC. In the winter semester (January - May) students will take level one of either electrical, carpentry, welding, plumbing or HVAC (depending on the limitations of the campus). Year 2: In the fall semester (September - December) and winter semester (January - May) students will continue to study in the trade chosen, to continue with the second level of training. **See below for years 3 & 4

What happens after I graduate High School?

With full completion of the program, students have 2 years of trades training. Once their high school diploma is awarded, students have the chance to continue their other 2 years of training at GMCA's Lansing, Midland or Saginaw's campus.

How do I sign up?

Please visit gmcami.org and click on the "High School" tab to see requirements and to apply! Also on the page is a full list of the participating schools.

Skilled Trades Training...Emphasis on the SKILLED!

Graduated or graduating soon?

How much is tuition and how long is the programs?

For every trade, except welding, students attend class one night a week between Monday and Thursday from 5:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. each semester. GMCA's standard training program consists of 4 years of training which costs $1,400 per semester, not including book/lab fees. Welding classes are held three times a week from 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. starting in the fall for a 42 week period and cost $10,500. *There are scholarships and payment plans available for all programs.*

What are my chances that I will get a job after graduation?

GMCA is proud to say that we have a 100% placement rate, which means students that attend our academy are hired before graduation. Students can find work while training by working effectively with GMCA's Placement Director. On average, a skilled trades worker can make anywhere between $50,000 - $71,000 per year. *Source byf.org

What is the curriculum of the GMCA Night Time Program?

Year 1: Fall semester (August - December) start training in core. Winter semester begin training level 1 in your trade of choice. Year 2: Fall & Winter semesters training in level 2 of your trade of choice. Year 3: Fall & Winter semesters training in level 3 of your trade of choice. Year 4: Fall & Winter semesters training in level 4 of your trade of choice. *Graduate in June.

How do I apply? What are the requirements to apply?

Go to gmcami.org/registration/enroll-online to complete the free online application. Acceptance is based upon successful submission of either your diploma, GED or transcripts and passing of drug screening.

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