

Our world is all about personal comfort—cool it off when it's too hot, heat it up when it's too cold. That's why every home, school, and business relies on qualified HVACR technicians.

Cool job, hot prospects.

HVAC and Refrigeration

If a desk job isn't appealing and you like a variety of new challenges every day, explore the opportunities for technicians in HVACR. Skilled HVACR technicians are required for residential construction, industrial equipment service, and building management. Jobs are as varied as sheet metal fabricators/installers and service technicians. One day you might work in an office building, the next day a hospital complex, and the next day a restaurant.

What will my classes be like?

You will learn the mechanical and electronic fundamentals needed to become a qualified HVACR technician along with the electrical skills needed to prepare for a post-secondary training program. You will be introduced to basic safety, tools, and electrical theory. In addition, you will learn to install, maintain, and repair residential forced-air heating systems, hydronic heating systems, electric furnaces, oil furnaces, heat pumps, and air conditioners. Students who return for a second year learn skills in sheet metal working and light commercial HVACR equipment.

Estimated program cost:

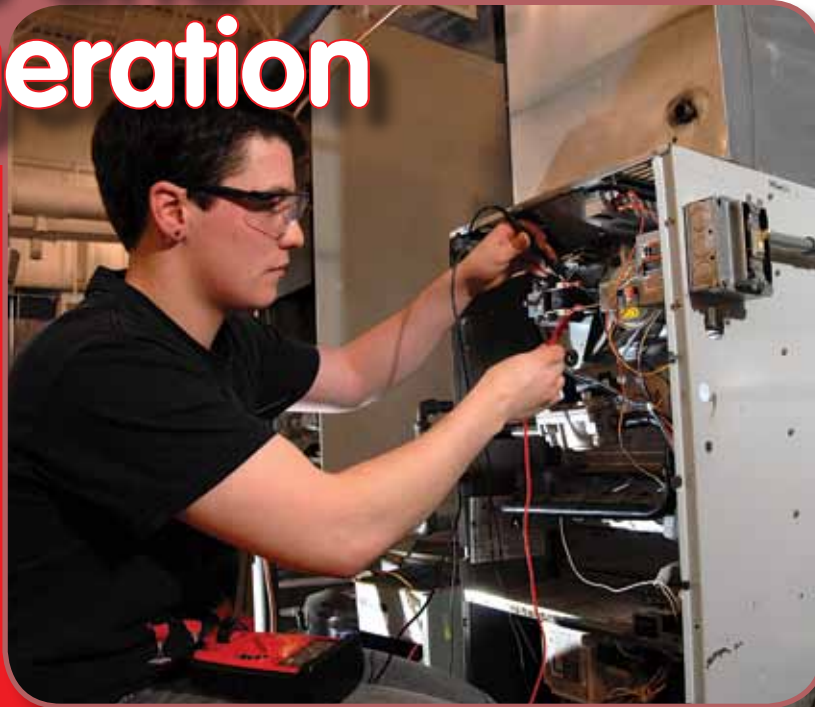
\$215 - \$270 first year

\$110 - \$120 second year

college credit available

Labor Market Information

Occupational statistics from DuPage and collar counties predict **strong job growth** between now and the year 2016.



Employment Opportunities

Sheet Metal Installer
HVACR Equipment Installer
Estimator
Service Technician

Potential Employers

Sears
Merit Mechanical Systems
US Refrigeration