# **A Dynamic Employer Pool for Automotive Service and Design**

Jobs in the automotive and transportation field are **numerous**.

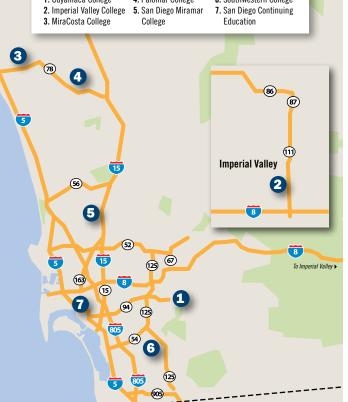
As an automotive student, you can get access to the latest equipment, technology, and automotive designs by taking courses relevant to automotive employment.

Community colleges offer courses that are continuously updated on the newest technology to help update your skills.

Employment in the industry ranges from work in dealerships among Southern California's numerous brands to an array of independent automotive repair companies to being a key part of the state's growing alternative technology movement.

### **San Diego/Imperial Valley Community Colleges with Automotive Programs**

- 1. Cuyamaca College
- 4. Palomar College
- 6. Southwestern College





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# Automotive areer

**Become a Trained Technician at** Any One of 7 San Diego/Imperial Valley **Community Colleges** 

Special Programs and Job Placement Available

# It's the Place to Launch Your Automotive\* Career!

# **Did You**

**Automotive Department at** a Community College can be **Exciting and Rewarding.** 

Benefits of working in the automotive industry include access to the latest equipment, technology and automotive design. Community colleges offer courses that are continuously updated on the newest technology to help keep your skills up-to-date and valuable.

#### Jobs in the Automotive and Transportation Field are Numerous.

Employment in the industry ranges from work in dealerships among San Diego and Imperial Valley's numerous big-name brands to being a key part of the state's growing alternative and green technology movement.

#### **Employment Doesn't Stop at** the Auto Shop, Either.

With the right skills, automotive work can include employment in private and public fleets, work doing customization and restoration of classic cars, placement as shop foremen and service advisers, quality auditing and safety management, and work as automotive engineers and researchers

## Cuyamaca College\*\*



900 Rancho San Diego Parkway El Cajon, California 92019

#### AUTOMOTIVE PROGRAMS:

- Ford—ASSET
- General Motors—ASEP Certificate of Achievement:

Advanced Engine Performance and **Emissions** 

Brakes and Front End. Engine Performance and Drive Train. Manufacturer-dedicated programs

 A.S. Degree in Automotive Technology — **ASCCA Sponsored** 

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380 E. Aten Rd. Imperial, CA 92251

#### AUTOMOTIVE PROGRAMS:

#### • Certificate of Achievement:

Brakes and Suspension Electrical and Air Conditioning. Engine performance, Engine Repair, and Transmission and Power Train

- A.S. Degree in Automotive Technology
- Programs being redesigned in sync with ASE certifications

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## **3** MiraCosta College



Oceanside Campus 1 Barnard Drive Oceanside CA 92056

#### AUTOMOTIVE PROGRAMS:

#### Certificates of Achievement:

Automotive Electronics. Computers and Emissions and/or HVAC. Automotive Technology. California SMOG Technician. Master Technician

- Certificate of Performance: Advanced Emission Specialist
- A.A. Degree in Automotive Technology

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## 4 Palomar College



1140 West Mission Road San Marcos, CA 92069-1487

#### AUTOMOTIVE PROGRAMS:

#### Certificate of Achievement:

Auto Chassis and Drive Lines Auto Collision Repair. **Electronic Tune Up and Computer Control** Systems. Mechanics - General

#### A.S. Degree in Automotive Technology:

Auto Chassis and Drive Lines. Auto Collision Repair. Electronic Tune Up and Computer Control Systems,

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#### \*DIESEL TECHNOLOGY:

- Certificate of Achievement in Diesel Technology
- · A.S. Degree in Diesel Technology

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# San Diego Miramar College\*

10440 Black Mountain Road San Diego, CA 92126

#### AUTOMOTIVE PROGRAMS:

- Honda PACT
- Toyota TTEN
- Certificate of Achievement:

Automotive Chassis Automotive Flectrical Automotive Engine Performance, Automotive Transmissions, Manufacturer-dedicated programs

- Certificate of Performance: Advanced Emission Specialist
- A.S. Degree in Automotive Technology

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#### \*AVIATION MAINTENANCE TECHNOLOGY:

#### · Certificate of Achievement-

Airframe & Powerplant. Airframe. Powerplant. Pilot Studies.

#### **Aviation General Studies** A.S. Degree:

Airframe & Powerplant, Airframe. Powerplant. Pilot Studies. Aviation General Studies, Occupational/Technical Studies

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#### WEBSITE:

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#### \*AVIATION OPERATIONS

#### · Certificate of Achievement-

Aviation Operations Management, Professional Piloting

#### A.S. Degree:

Aviation Business Administration. **Professional Aeronautics** 

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#### \*DIESEL TECHNOLOGY

#### • Certificate of Achievement:

Diesel Equipment Repair Technology. Engine Overhaul - Caterpillar. Engine Overhaul – Cummins, Engine Overhaul - Detroit Diesel. Engine Repair – Caterpillar, Engine Repair – Cummins. Engine Repair - Detroit Diesel, Heavy Duty Transportation Technology. Heavy Equipment Technology. San Diego City Civil Service Equipment Mechanic Apprenticeship. San Diego Transit General Mechanic

#### • A.S. Degree:

Heavy Duty Transportation Technology, Heavy Equipment Technology, Occupational/Technical Studies. San Diego City Civil Service Equipment Mechanic Apprenticeship, San Diego Transit General Mechanic

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## **Wait, there** are some great options!

Aviation 👊 **Heavy Duty Vehicle** Technician?

## 6 Southwestern College



900 Otay Lakes Road Chula Vista, CA 91910

#### AUTOMOTIVE PROGRAMS:

#### Certificate of Achievement:

Advanced Emission Specialist, Automotive Performance Systems, Automotive Technology

• A.S. Degree in Automotive Technology

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#### San Diego **7** Continuing Education

SANDIEGO ECC Campus CONTINUING 4343 Ocean View Blvd. EDUCATION San Diego, CA 92113

#### AUTOMOTIVE PROGRAMS:

 Certificate of Achievement: Brakes, Suspension & Driveline: Engine/Electrical/Maintenance; Advanced Driveability & Performance; Inspection & Vehicle Preparation,

#### Service Advisory Program • Articulates to San Diego Miramar College A.S. Degree in Automotive Technology

- Certificate of Achievement: Auto Body/Collision Repair.
- Auto Body Refinishing • Certificate of Achievement: Auto Upholstery

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