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## **Autry Technology Center Accepting Applications for New Industrial & Mechanical Technology Program**

ENID, Okla. – Autry Technology Center is now accepting applications for a new adult-only program – Industrial and Mechanical Technology. The program, beginning in June 2020, is designed to train technicians to install, repair and maintain commercial or industrial machinery in buildings, a plant or a manufacturing setting. These technicians ensure all machines function properly through troubleshooting and preventative maintenance service.

Classes for the 12-month program are scheduled 8 am. to 12 p.m. Monday through Friday. Tuition for in-district students is \$1,840. Financial aid options are available for qualified students.

The Industrial and Mechanical Technology program is the first to launch at Autry Tech’s new property at 1802 N. Van Buren in Enid. New training opportunities were created from the input and specific training needs of an advisory committee comprised of 10 in-district companies.

“We are excited to see this program come to fruition after several months of planning,” said Autry Tech Superintendent Brady McCullough. “This program is a direct result of collaboration with our business and industry partners and I look forward to the impact it will have on the skills gap affecting our community.”

For more information about the program or to apply, visit [autrytech.edu](http://autrytech.edu) or call (580)242-2750.

Autry Technology Center has been a part of the Enid community since 1967 and is one of 29 CareerTech schools across Oklahoma. The center has more than 25 career programs and offers a wide variety of evening and weekend short-term courses and certifications for many diverse career fields. Autry serves nearly 16,000 individuals each year, including many area employees who receive training through the Business and Industry Services Department that works with over 500 local businesses each year.

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