

TREASURE VALLEY TECH

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The Poverty to Prosperity (P2P) welding program was the first program initiated by the P2P committee in 2013. The original program began at Treasure Valley Community College and consisted of (10) students from Ontario High School, (5) students from Nyssa High School and (5) students from Vale High School.

The goal of the group was to begin developing an employment ready community and these students were the first step in the process.

The welding program currently consists of (4) Welding courses and some Industrial Safety. The result is a Career Pathway certificate that leads to an Associate of Applied Science degree from TVCC, a National Career Readiness Certificate (NCRC), an Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) or National Center for Construction Education and Research (NCCER) Industrial course and an opportunity to earn a forklift certification card. The result is that the students, if wishing to enter the workforce will have some Basic Welding skills.

JUNIOR YEAR

WELDING 150 & 120

• 8 credits total

This Entry level class covers safety and a basic knowledge of the setup and operation of the followings processes:

- Oxy-Acetylene Welding (OAW)
- Oxy-Acetylene Cutting (OAC)
- Plasma Arc Cutting (PAC)
- Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW)

Classes taught M, T, W, Th at Ontario High School Welding Lab.

SENIOR YEAR

WELDING 103, 104 and AET 212

• 9 credits total

Classes taught M, W, F at TVCC Welding Lab.



Fostering 21st century career skills and expanding access to jobs.



ABOUT P2P CTE

The Career and Technical Education program (CTE), one of Malheur County Poverty to Prosperity's five-points, is designed to prepare youth to find local jobs while attracting new industry and jobs to Malheur County.

The P2P Career Technical Education project is a collaboration between Ontario, Vale and Nyssa school districts, Treasure Valley Community College, Malheur Education Service District, industry partners, county and state agencies, youth-serving organizations, parents and youth themselves and for the past three years has followed a coordinated approach to improve outcomes for local youth.

For more information, speak with a school counselor and/or visit P2P's website: www.MalheurP2P.org