# Heating, Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Technician (T207)

Location: Program Length: Start Date:

South Campus, Windsor Two years - Diploma September & January

This field offers above average wages, steady employment and a very challenging future. It is not unusual for heating, refrigeration and air conditioning technicians to work in various temperature environments, and in confined spaces or on rooftops. Because this is a service industry, the hours of work may vary from the usual 9 to 5 routine.

#### **KEY PROGRAM FEATURES**

- Blend of hands on experience and theoretical training
- Apprenticeship possible following graduation in sheet metal, electrical, or refrigeration and air conditioning
- Eligibility to write Gas Technician 3 exam and Ozone Depletion Prevention Card

## PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS

- ability to deal with the public
- dependable
- ability to make decisions
- work independently
- be orderly and perform tasks within a reasonable time period.

#### **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

Apprenticeship possibilities and job prospects are excellent, with above average wages and steady employment, with consulting firms, contracting firms (heating and cooling, sheet metal, and electrical) and refrigeration, wholesale and retail supply companies.



#### ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS Applicants who started High School in Ontario prior to September 1999 (OSIS):

OSSD with the majority of the credits at the general or advanced level or mature student status or equivalent.

#### Applicants who started High School in Ontario in September 1999 or later (OSS):

OSSD with courses at the College (C), University (U), University/College (M), or Open (O) level.

- grade 12 English (C) or (U)
- grade 12 Math (C) or (U)
- **RECOMMEND:**

Senior level Physics (C) or (U)

## ADDITIONAL EXPENSES

- Books and expendable supplies cost approximately \$700.00 per year.
- Uniforms and equipment will cost approximately \$105.00.
- Safety shoes and glasses

### **GRADUATE STATISTICS - 2002**

Graduates	% Working	Median Salary
13	89	\$24,351

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DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS					
Code	Credi	t Course Name			
Semester	Semester 1				
PSE700	2	Building Systems: Practice Overview			
HRA100	2	Heating Systems I			
HRA102	2	Heating, Ventilation - Air Conditioning Blueprints			
HRA103	2	Heating Systems Practical I			
HRA110	2	Refrigeration Theory I			
HRA113	2	Refrigeration Practical I			
HRA150	2	Electricity Theory I			
HRA151	2	Electricity Practical I			
HRA182	2	Sheet Metal Theory I			
HRA190	3	Workplace Issues			
Semester 2					
HRA200	2	Heating Systems Theory II			
HRA202	2	Heating, Ventilation & Air Conditioning Design			
HRA205	2	Heating Systems Practical II			
HRA210	2	Refrigeration Theory II			
HRA213	2	Refrigeration Practical II			
HRA250	2 2	Electricity Theory II			
HRA251	2	Electricity Practical II			
HRA282	1	Sheet Metal Theory II			
HRA283	1	Sheet Metal Practical I			
MTH315	2	Applied Mathematics III			
PE740	2	Power Plants: Practice Overview			
GSS167G	3	Strategies for Success			
Semester 3					
HO201G	3	Customer Service in the Modern Workplace			
HRA300	2	Heating Systems Theory III			
HRA303	2	Heating Systems Practical III			

1RA300	2	Heating Systems Theory III
-IRA303	2	Heating Systems Practical III
HRA310	2	Refrigeration Theory III
HRA314	3	Refrigeration Practical III
-IRA315	3	Sheet Metal Theory III
-IRA350	2	Electricity Theory III
-IRA351	2	Electricity Practical III
-IRA381	2	Sheet Metal Practical II

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Semester 4				
HRA121	1	GAS Code I		
HRA402	1	Heating Systems Theory IV		
HRA404	3	Heating Systems Practical IV		
HRA414	3	Refrigeration Practical IV		
HRA415	1	Refrigeration Theory IV		
HRA417	1	Electricity Theory IV		
HRA423	3	Sheet Metal Theory IV		
HRA453	3	Electricity Practical IV		
HRA481	2	Sheet Metal Practical III		
SBM100G	3	Small Business Exploration		