



TIDEWATER COMMUNITY COLLEGE
From here, go anywhere.™

- Enroll at TCC
- Take 7 courses in Maritime Welding



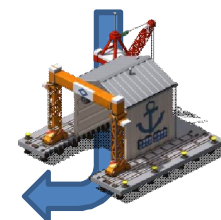
- Earn your Career Studies Certificate (CSC) in Maritime Welding
- Prepared for test to take AWS certification as Entry-Level Welder with qualifications in Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) and Gas Metal Arc Welding (GMAW)
- Get hired earning on avg. \$25-50/hr. and full employer benefits!



- Continue working
- Take 6 additional courses at TCC



- Earn second Career Studies Certificate - CSC in Maritime Technologies
- Prepared for test to get AWS certification as Experienced Welder
- Eligible for promotion and possible raise to \$45-55K/yr!



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- Earn your A.A.S. in Maritime Technologies
- Eligible for promotion to Craft Supervisor/Manager and possible raise to \$60-92K/yearly!



Did You Know?...

- Marine welders are in high demand – there are not enough workers to meet the current need
- The field provides high wage positions for middle-skill technicians and full employer benefits (i.e. health insurance, paid vacations and holidays, etc.)
- Veterans can use paid training assistance benefits to learn maritime welding under the Veterans Retraining Assistance Program (VRAP)

Pathway to Building Your Career as a Marine Welder

