

HIGH SCHOOL

WELDING WORK-BASED LEARNING ACADEMY



5-Week Welding and Metal Fabrication Training

- This program is for students entering grades 11 or 12 who have attended a previous camp at IAI or are a beginning welder.
- Develop skills in welding safety, oxy-fuel and plasma cutting, gas metal arc welding, and metal fabrication.
- Explore careers available in the Welding and Metal Fabricating Industry.

Students have the chance to apply for earn-while-you-learn pay during this experience.



REGISTRATION OPENS MAY 1, 2024

Register Here: <https://bit.ly/4atKWmx>

June 13 through July 18, 2024
Monday - Thursday / 9:00- 3:00

Occasional Friday business immersion trips

Opportunity to earn a AWS (American Welding Society) credential

Beyond mastering essential welding skills, participants will engage in a variety of enriching activities to enhance their overall readiness for the workforce. These include:

- Safety workshops with the Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Administration (MIOSHA)
- Financial Literacy Seminars
- Employability skill development, including resume building
- Apprenticeship seminar
- Business immersion trips



Are you eager to transform your welding passion into a promising career?

Meet the Requirements & Cover Your Bases
Space is limited to 15 motivated individuals!

HOW IT WORKS



STEP 1: To be considered, applicants must meet the following criteria:

- High school junior or senior status in the Fall 2024
- Residency within the COP District
- Must have reliable transportation
- Clothing requirements for safety: Long sleeve cotton shirt, jeans with no rips or frays, high cotton socks. Leather work boots required; steel-toed boots preferred.



STEP 2: APPLY!

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STEP 3: Attend Mandatory Interview and Informational Session on June 3, 2023 at 6:30 PM at the Industrial Arts Institute, Onaway, MI

- Interview for the Position with the Industrial Arts Institute Director
- Meet with Michigan Works! Talent Specialist

**Organized by the Industrial Arts Institute, NE MiWorks,
COP Education Service Districts, and NE MiSTEM**