



**AFFILIATION FOR MARINE TECHNICAL EDUCATION  
MARINE MECHANICS INSTITUTE**

**Introduction**

A Technical Education Affiliation formally recognizes that Marine Mechanics Institute (MMI) and the high school, secondary school, CTE or vocational center agree to work together to provide educational opportunities for currently enrolled and potential students of their institutions. Agreement to this alliance requires a commitment by both institutions to provide students with an opportunity for post-secondary education as well as increasing awareness of the importance of vocational education at the high school level.

**Purpose**

The intent of this Marine Program Technical Education Agreement is to provide the high school, secondary school, CTE or vocational center and the student with an opportunity to increase the recognition of their Marine education while at the secondary level, and to motivate the student to continue their education at the post-secondary level. The purpose of this agreement is to formalize this affiliation.

**This agreement will be in effect for five years from the date of execution. Termination of this agreement will occur if the MARINE/small engines training program at the high school, CTE or vocational center is no longer being offered. The school must notify MMI within 30 days of the cessation of the MARINE training program.**

**Secondary, CTE or Vocational High School**

School Fayette CTI  
Address 175 Georges Fairchance Rd  
City Uniontown State PA Zip 15401  
Phone 724-437-2721 FAX \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructor**

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**School Administrator**

Print Name Cynthia Shaw Title Director  
Signature Cynthia L Shaw Date 9-28-23

**UTI Admissions Representative**

Print Name Scott Earley Title Admissions Representative  
Signature [Signature] Date 9-30-2023

**UTI Admissions Designee**

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**MMI Education Department Approver**

Print Name John Gerhard Title National Education Director  
Signature John Gerhard Date 1/4/2024



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### **TECHNICAL EDUCATION AFFILIATION Benefits and Features**

- Add status for high schools or vocational centers by offering “advanced placement” Marine courses.
- Provide top Marine students an opportunity to continue their Technical Education with less cost and the possibility of reduced post-secondary training time.

### **Process for Advanced Placement**

- Each high school or vocational program must provide a copy of the detailed program curriculum to the MMI Admissions Representative who will in turn submit to MMI’s education team for review and approval.
- Technical Education students must attest to having completed the related Technical Education eligible course(s) at their high school of graduation, or have proof of completion of the related Technical Education eligible course(s) at a CTE or Vocational Center, with an active Marine Technical Education Agreement on file with Universal Technical Institute during the time of attendance at the qualifying school.
- Technical Education eligible students must begin their MMI training program within the calendar year of, or one calendar year following, their date of high school graduation.
- Technical Education eligible students will be granted advanced placement and a corresponding tuition credit for each Advanced Placement Opportunity test they pass, up to a maximum of six (6) eligible courses. The student will be required to select the six (6) courses for which will take the Advanced Placement Opportunity test to earn advanced placement and tuition credit (if passed with a score of 70% or better) prior to the start of their program of study.
- Course Eligibility Stipulations for Advanced Placement Opportunity Testing

All core Marine courses are available for Advanced Placement Opportunity Testing, with a maximum of six allowed. Unless otherwise noted, students take the End of Course Survey (EOC) as the exam.

Note – Advanced Placement Opportunities are only available for core courses. No MSAT (elective) courses are eligible for Advanced Placement Opportunity Testing.

- Student must pass the APO exam with a score of 70% to be eligible to bypass the corresponding course(s).
- MMI will not schedule Technical Education eligible students for any courses for which they have earned Advanced Placement by passing the test(s) with a score of 70% or better unless the student wishes to take the course(s). Should the students wish to take the course(s) for which they have earned Advanced Placement, the students will be charged the full tuition for the course(s) based on the tuition rate in effect at the time of their original enrollment and, if they opt not to apply any of their earned APO credits, they will qualify for a 10% Technical Educational Institutional Grant.
- To ensure that Technical Education eligible students possess the appropriate level of technical knowledge essential for their educational and professional success, Technical Education eligible students unable to pass the written test will be required to take the course or courses, at the original tuition cost. In the event no APO tests are passed, the Technical Education eligible students will qualify for a 10% Technical Educational Institutional Grant.
- Technical Education eligible students can choose NOT to take any APO tests, and instead receive a 10% Technical Educational Institutional Grant.

- **Technical Education eligible Students must begin their MMI program of study within the calendar year of, or one calendar year following, their date of high school graduation and take the Advanced Placement Opportunity Tests before the start date of the program to be eligible to receive this benefit.**