

Electrical Technology A.A.S.

Career Community: Electrical and Manufacturing

Curriculum Code: 0134

Effective: Fall 2024 - Summer 2029

Description

Students in this program select one of three subspecialties; Construction, Automation and Control, or Power Generation. Construction electricians install electrical wiring and systems in homes, offices, stores or industrial plants. Automation and machine control designers are responsible for designing control systems that operate automated work cells in manufacturing facilities. Industrial electricians work in industry maintaining and troubleshooting power and control circuits on machinery. Power Generation technicians operate and maintain engine or turbine-driven generators in stand-alone or integrated facilities. All subspecialties require mechanical aptitude, logical thinking and problem-solving skills. Employment opportunities vary with each specialty.

Milestone

In addition to the required General Education courses in Math and English, completion of ELTE 110 with a 2.0 or higher is a key component for success in completing this program. Knowledge obtained in these courses is the foundation for learning in other required courses. Students are encouraged to contact their faculty if they need additional assistance with learning the concepts presented in these courses.

Additional Information

- Students in this program choose one subspecialty pathway: 1) Construction, 2) Automation and Control, or 3) Power Generation, to determine the courses to take each semester.
- Upon completion of a subspecialty, any additional subspecialty courses will not count toward the student's enrollment level for determining financial aid eligibility.
- If students have already completed DCTM 102, ELTE 102, HVAC 102, METS 102, or WELD 102 with a grade of 2.0 or higher, that will satisfy the TECH 102 requirement. Any of these courses will fulfill the prerequisite for ELTE 110, ELTE 111 and ELTE 121.

Contact Information

For further information, including career options, course substitutions and waivers, etc., contact the Electrical Technology Program at the West Campus Building, Room M127, telephone number 517-483-1570 or Student Services West Campus, West Campus Building, Room M106, telephone number 517-267-5452.

General Education - Applied Degrees, Recommended Courses

(For the full list of options, see General Education)

- English Composition or Applied English Select one ENGL 121, Composition I, 4 credits / 4 billing hours ENGL 124, Technical Writing, 3 credits / 3 billing hours ENGL 127, Business Writing, 3 credits / 3 billing hours
- English Composition (second course)/Communication or Applied Communication Select one

COMM 110, Communication in the Workplace, 3 credits / 3 billing hours COMM 120, Dynamics of Communication, 3 credits / 3 billing hours COMM 130, Fundamentals Public Speaking, 3 credits / 3 billing hours

- Humanities and Fine Arts or Social Sciences or Applied Social Sciences—Select one GEOG 200, World Regional Geography, 4 credits / 4 billing hours MGMT 234, Diversity in the Workplace, 3 credits / 3 billing hours SOCL 120, Introduction to Sociology, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- Mathematics or Applied Mathematics Select one
 Program of Study Required Courses will fulfill this requirement.
- Natural Sciences Lab or Applied Science and Technology Lab Select one
 BIOL 120, Environmental Science, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
 CHEM 151 and CHEM 161, General Chemistry I and Lab I, total 5 credits / 7 billing hours
 METM 190, Metallurgy and Heat Treatment, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
 PHYS 120, The Art of Physics, 4 credits / 5 billing hours

Construction Subspecialty Pathway

Program of Study Required Courses

| Course Code | Course Title | Credit/Billing Hours |
|-------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| BLDT 120 | Structural Framing | 4/6 |
| CITN 115 | IoT & Automation Fundamentals | 5/6 |
| DCTM 101 | Drafting/Intro to CAD | 3/4 |
| ELTA 105 | Elect. Industry Orientation | .5 / .5 |
| ELTA 160 | PLC Overview for Electricians | 1/2 |
| ELTA 180 | Introduction to Fire Alarms | 1/1 |
| ELTE 110 | Practical Electricity | 4/6 |
| ELTE 111 | Intro to Industrial Automation | 4/6 |
| ELTE 112 | Basic Wiring Installation | 2/3 |
| ELTE 121 | Electrical Mathematics | 5/6 |

| Course Code | Course Title | Credit/Billing Hours |
|-------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| ELTE 123 | Motors and Transformers | 5/7 |
| ELTE 131 | Machine Controls I | 4/5 |
| ELTE 141 | National Electrical Code I | 4/4 |
| ELTE 142 | National Electrical Code II | 4/4 |
| ELTE 145 | Electrical Prints for Building | 4/5 |
| ELTE 150 | Electric Motor Maintenance | 2/3 |
| TECH 102 | General Industry Safety | 2/3 |

Additional Credits

After completing the course and credit requirements as noted on this pathway, students who fall short of the 60-credit minimum required for an Associate Degree may select any course(s) needed to reach 60 credits, except those courses noted in number 7 in the Institutional Requirements for Associate Degrees. Students are encouraged to use Degree Works and meet with an Advisor to ensure all requirements are met and for course recommendations.

Minimum Total Credit Hours

67.5 credits / 85.5 billing hours

Recommended Course Sequence

| SemesterI |
|---|
| Gen Ed – English Composition or Applied English |
| CITN 115 |
| ELTE 110 |
| ELTE 111 |
| TECH 102 |

| SemesterII | |
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| DCTM 101 | |
| ELTA 105 | |
| ELTE 112 | |
| ELTE 121 | |
| ELTE 131 | |
| ELTE 141 | |

| SemesterIII |
|-------------|
| BLDT 120 |
| ELTA 160 |
| ELTA 180 |
| ELTE 123 |
| ELTE 145 |

| SemesterIV |
|--|
| Gen Ed – English Composition (second course)/ Communication or Applied Communication |
| Gen Ed - Humanities and Fine Arts or Social Sciences or Applied Social Sciences |
| Gen Ed – Natural Sciences Lab or Applied Science and Technology Lab |
| ELTE 142 |
| ELTE 150 |

Automation and Control Subspecialty Pathway

Program of Study Required Courses

| Course Code | Course Title | Credit / Billing Hours |
|-------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|
| ELTE 110 | Practical Electricity | 4/6 |
| ELTE 111 | Intro to Industrial Automation | 4/6 |
| ELTE 121 | Electrical Mathematics | 5/6 |
| ELTE 122 | Industrial Control Electronics | 5/7 |
| ELTE 123 | Motors and Transformers | 5/7 |
| ELTE 131 | Machine Controls I | 4/5 |
| ELTE 132 | Control Panel Assembly | 2/3 |
| ELTE 232 | Machine Controls II | 4/6 |
| ELTE 260 | Programmable Controllers I | 4/6 |
| ELTE 261 | Programmable Controllers II | 6/8 |
| METS 115 | Intro to Mechanical Systems | 4/6 |
| METS 160 | Introduction to Robotics | 3 / 4.5 |
| TECH 102 | General Industry Safety | 2/3 |

Program of Study Required Courses, Limited Choice – *Select one or two for a minimum of 5 credits*

| Course Code | Course Title | Credit / Billing Hours |
|-------------|------------------------------|------------------------|
| ELTE 141 | National Electrical Code I | 4/4 |
| ELTE 150 | Electric Motor Maintenance | 2/3 |
| ELTE 262 | Programmable Controllers III | 5/8 |

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Minimum Total Credit Hours

70 credits / 95.5 billing hours

Recommended Course Sequence

| SemesterI |
|---|
| Gen Ed – English Composition or Applied English |
| ELTE 110 – Milestone course |
| ELTE 111 |
| METS 160 |
| TECH 102 |

| SemesterII |
|----------------|
| ELTE 121 |
| ELTE 131 |
| ELTE 132 |
| Limited Choice |

| SemesterIII | |
|---|--|
| Gen Ed – Natural Sciences Lab or Applied Science and Technology Lab | |
| ELTE 123 | |
| ELTE 232 | |
| ELTE 260 | |
| METS 115 | |

| SemesterIV |
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| Gen Ed – English Composition (second course)/ Communication or Applied Communication |
| Gen Ed – Humanities and Fine Arts or Social Sciences or Applied Social Sciences |
| ELTE 122 |
| ELTE 261 |
| Limited Choice |

Power Generation Subspecialty Pathway

Program of Study Required Courses

| Course Code | Course Title | Credit/Billing Hours |
|-------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| ELTE 110 | Practical Electricity | 4/6 |
| ELTE 111 | Intro to Industrial Automation | 4/6 |
| ELTE 121 | Electrical Mathematics | 5/6 |
| ELTE 123 | Motors and Transformers | 5/7 |
| ELTE 131 | Machine Controls I | 4/5 |
| ELTE 132 | Control Panel Assembly | 2/3 |
| ELTE 136 | Digital Basics | 2/3 |
| ELTE 150 | Electric Motor Maintenance | 2/3 |

| Course Code | Course Title | Credit/Billing Hours |
|-------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| ELTE 154 | Utility Prints and Diagrams | 3/3 |
| ELTE 173 | Energy Industry Fundamentals I | 2/2 |
| ELTE 174 | Energy Industry Fundamentals II | 2/2 |
| ELTE 251 | Energy Generation & Control I | 4/5 |
| ELTE 252 | Energy Generation & Control II | 4/5 |
| ELTE 255 | PowerInstrumentation | 4/5 |
| ELTE 260 | Programmable Controllers I | 4/6 |
| ELTE 261 | Programmable Controllers II | 6/8 |
| TECH 102 | General Industry Safety | 2/3 |

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Minimum Total Credit Hours

72 credits / 92 billing hours

Recommended Course Sequence

| SemesterI | |
|---|--|
| Gen Ed – English Composition or Applied English | |
| ELTE 110 – Milestone course | |
| ELTE 111 | |
| ELTE 173 (First 8 weeks) | |
| ELTE 174 (Second 8 weeks) | |
| TECH 102 | |

| SemesterII | |
|---|--|
| Gen Ed – English Composition (second course)/Communication or Applied Communication | |
| ELTE 121 | |
| ELTE 131 | |
| ELTE 132 | |
| ELTE 150 | |
| ELTE 154 | |

| SemesterIII |
|---|
| Gen Ed – Humanities and Fine Arts or Social Sciences or Applied Social Sciences |
| ELTE 123 |
| ELTE 136 |

| SemesterIII | |
|-------------|--|
| ELTE 251 | |
| ELTE 260 | |

| SemesterIV | |
|---|--|
| Gen Ed – Natural Sciences Lab or Applied Science and Technology Lab | |
| ELTE 252 | |
| ELTE 255 | |
| ELTE 261 | |

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