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Apply for Financial Aid



Meet with a School Counselor and a Financial Aid Advisor

Terms typically start in August, October, January, March, & May.

## **FINANCIAL AID** Application Steps and Resources

Financial aid to help cover the cost of a Pinellas Technical College education is available to those who qualify. This aid includes Federal and State Grants, and Scholarships.

- Complete the FAFSA application at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov)  
Federal School Codes:  
005605 (Clearwater Campus)  
013917 (St. Petersburg Campus)
- Veterans, and other eligible students, may use their Veterans (VA) benefits, including the Montgomery GI Bill and Post 9/11 Bill
- Other Sources include Florida Prepaid and the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship

### **MISSION**

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***“Provide students the opportunity to develop national workplace competencies to fill the needs of business and industry.”***

### **VISION**

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***“To be our communities’ first choice for workforce education.”***

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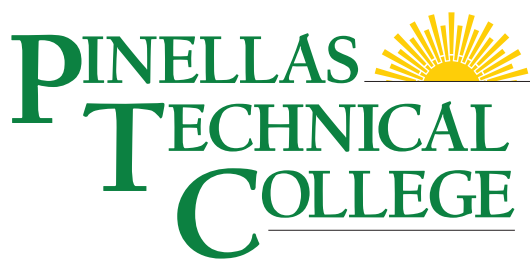
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## Clearwater Campus

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## Since 1962...

Pinellas Technical College's emphasis is on post-secondary education, focusing on over 40 exciting career areas and nearly 60 programs.

Pinellas Technical College also offers continuing education courses, life enrichment courses, and commercial training services through the Office of Workforce Innovation.

The Pinellas Technical College experience is rich with relevant, stimulating, and challenging career and technical education. Our network of more than 250 business and industry partners serve as advisors for our programs, ensuring they are preparing students for the needs of the current and future work force.

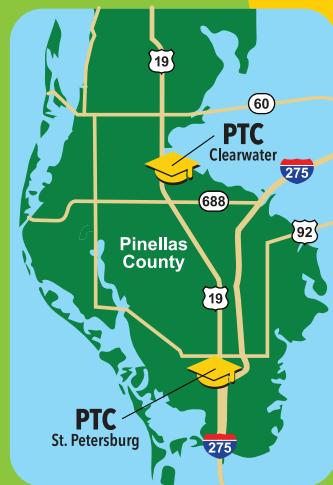
Each campus is individually accredited by the Council on Occupational Education and the Southern Association of Colleges

and Schools. Pinellas Technical

College is an alliance member of the Commission of International and Trans-Regional Accreditation. Most Pinellas Technical College programs are also individually accredited or approved by one or more professional accrediting bodies and licensing and certification agencies.

PTC has been a leader in providing career and technical education via distance learning. Through first-class training and support from our highly skilled faculty and staff, graduates are prepared to compete in a global job market.

We are committed to providing quality educational opportunities to meet our students' needs and the needs of business and industry. Employers throughout the Tampa Bay area recognize our Pinellas Technical College graduates as having the qualities, skills, and knowledge necessary for success on the job now and in the future.



Offering students first-rate career and technical education on both our Clearwater and St. Petersburg campuses.



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### ACCREDITATION:

Council on Occupational Education | [www.council.org](http://www.council.org)  
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Atlanta, GA 30350 | 770.396.3898 | 1.800.917.2081

Cognia Global Commission | [www.cognia.org](http://www.cognia.org)  
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Class B Driving | Commercial Vehicle Driving | Electricity | Emergency Medical  
Information Technology | Cosmetology | Dental Assisting | Jewelry Design and Repair  
Facials Specialty | Heating Ventilation Air-Conditioning/Refrigeration | Professional Culinary Arts &  
Medical Coder/Biller | Nails Specialty | Plumbing | Practical Nursing | Television Production  
Public Works | School Age Professional Certificate | Surgical Technology | Welding Technology |  
Welding Technology | Welding Technology - Advanced | .NET Application Development &  
Accounting Operations | Advanced Composites | Applied Cybersecurity | Master Autom  
Technology 1 & 2 | Baking & Pastry Arts | Barbering | Cabinetmaking | Child Care Center Operations  
Systems and Information Technology | Diesel Maintenance Technician | Diesel Systems Technician  
Electronic Systems Integration & Automation-Limited Voltage Technician | Fundamental Foods  
Heating, Ventilation, Air-Conditioning & Refrigeration - IET | Interior Decorating Services | Machining  
Marine Service Technologies | Medical Administrative Specialist | Network Support Services  
Nursing | Professional Culinary Arts & Hospitality | Stage Production  
Automotive Collision Technology Technician | Master Autom  
Trades and Construction Design Technology | Central Sta  
Commercial Class B Driving | Commercial Vehicle  
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# Programs

For specific admission requirements and course content, refer to [www.myptc.edu](http://www.myptc.edu). Certificate of Completion is awarded when state requirements are met for program.

## ARTS & AUDIO/VISUAL

### Stage Production

CLW

Dive into the dynamic behind-the-scenes world of Music and Stage Production with our hands-on program led by our experienced instructor. With small class sizes, our program is designed to transform you into a skilled Audio, Video, & Lighting Equipment Technician, empowering you with innovative technical and creative skills for the evolving industry.

Length: 300 hrs (approx 6 mos) Tuition: \$876 Other: \$337\* (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Television Production Technology

SP

Prepare for employment in the digital video production industry as an audio/ video equipment technician, video/television camera operator, video editor, multimedia artist or broadcast technician.

Length: 1200 hrs (approx 12 mos) Tuition: \$3,504 Other: \$1,110 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

## AUTOMOTIVE & TRANSPORTATION

### Automotive Collision Technology Technician

SP

Courses cover estimating and evaluating body damage, inspection, measuring, repairing of outer vehicle body parts, application of paints, and preparation of vehicles and related components for repair and refinishing.

Length: 1400 hrs (approx 14 mos) Tuition: \$4,088 Other: \$3,943 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Master Automotive Service Technology 1

CLW, SP

Obtain the skills of an entry-level technician in the automotive industry through hands-on practical experience in maintaining, troubleshooting, replacing and repairing brake systems, steering & suspension, electrical systems and engine repair.

Length: 1050 hrs (approx 11 mos) Tuition: \$3,066 Other: \$7,299 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Master Automotive Service Technology 2

CLW, SP

Obtain the skills of an entry-level technician in the automotive industry through hands-on practical experience in engine performance, automatic and manual transmissions and automotive HVAC. Students must complete Automotive Service Technology 1 or demonstrate mastery of the program outcomes prior to enrollment in Automotive Service Technology 2.

Length: 750 hrs (approx 8 mos) Tuition: \$2,190 Other: \$1,941 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Commercial Class B Driving

SP

The mission of this program is to prepare students for employment as Florida Class B Licensed truck drivers.

Length: 150 hrs (approx 1.5 mos) Tuition: \$438 Other: \$629\* (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Commercial Vehicle Driving

SP

Learn the skills to become a Class A licensed tractor trailer truck driver with emphasis on D.O.T. regulations, cargo handling, trip planning, and vehicle inspection and operations regulations.

Length: 320 hrs (approx 3 mos) Tuition: \$935 Other: \$2,397\* (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Diesel Maintenance Technician

CLW

Are you interested in learning how to service and maintain commercial heavy-duty vehicles? Our training program covers basic skills and proper shop safety, air braking systems, and preventative maintenance inspections. With this program, you will gain high-quality abilities that can help you secure employment in the heavy-duty repair industry.

Length: 600 hrs (approx 6 mos) Tuition: \$1,752 Other: \$6,932 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Diesel Systems Technician 1

CLW

Kickstart a successful career in the diesel industry with our Diesel Systems Technician 1 Program, delivering 1050 hours of comprehensive training, including job safety and soft skills, to ensure you meet the critical demand for skilled technicians. By providing ASE certification and partnering with leading organizations for employment, our program paves the way for graduates to secure entry-level positions like Truck/Trailer Mechanics Helper and Marine Mechanics Helper, among others

Length: 1050 hrs (approx 11 mos) Tuition: \$3,066 Other: \$7,524 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Diesel Systems Technician 2

CLW

Elevate your diesel industry career with our Diesel Systems Technician 2 Program, offering advanced instruction in diesel engine preventative maintenance, hydraulics, and heating/air conditioning techniques through a blend of classroom, lab, and real-world readiness training based on FLDOE curriculum frameworks. This program meticulously prepares students for industry entry, emphasizing essential skills and concepts while tracking progress through competencies and task sheets to ensure comprehensive skill development.

Length: 750 hrs (approx 8 mos) Tuition: \$2,190 Other: \$903 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Marine Service Technologies

CLW

Begin a career in the field of marine mechanics as a service writer or outboard engine, stern drive, inboard gas or diesel technician.

Length: 1350 hrs (approx 14 mos) Tuition: \$3,942 Other: \$6,974 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

## BEAUTY

### Barbering

CLW, SP

Prepares the student for the Master Barber License. Instruction includes theory and practical experience.

Length: 900 hrs (approx 10.5 mos) Tuition: \$2,628 Other: \$3,114 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Cosmetology

SP

Become a licensed cosmetologist. Learn about shampoos, rinses, scalp treatments, hair styling, hair cutting, facials, manicures and salon management.

Length: 1200 hrs (approx 15 mos) Tuition: \$3,504 Other: \$2,534 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Facials Specialty

SP

Program content includes communication, leadership, professional ethics, legal responsibilities, employability skills, safe and efficient work practices, Florida cosmetology law and rules, and the development of skills in performing the techniques required in the practice of a facials specialist.

Length: 220 hrs (approx 3 mos) Tuition: \$642 Other: \$1,300\* (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Nails Specialty

SP

The content includes communication, leadership, human relations and employability skills; safe and efficient work practices; Florida cosmetology law and rules; acquisition of knowledge of the nails specialist and the related chemistry; bacteriology, anatomy and physiology; and development of skills in performing the techniques required in the practice of nails specialist occupations.

Length: 180 hrs (approx 2 mos) Tuition: \$526 Other: \$1,184\* (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

## BUSINESS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

### .NET Application Development & Programming

CLW

Prepare for employment as a software developer. Learn about creating dynamic websites, iOS and Android phone apps and computer software.

Length: 1050 hrs (approx 11 mos) Tuition: \$3,066 Other: \$1,051 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Accounting Operations

CLW

Prepare for a career in a financial business environment. Training in QuickBooks and related software will be used to enhance workplace productivity.

Length: 900 hrs (approx 9 mos) Tuition: \$2,628 Other: \$1,081 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Applied Cybersecurity

CLW

Prepares students for employment with analytical and technical coursework in ethical hacking, information security management, network defense, computer forensics, risk management, cloud computing, and cyber ethics to foster critical thinking. These measures are used to protect organizations from the growing threats of infiltrations and cyberattacks.

Length: 750 hrs (approx 8 mos) Tuition: \$2,190 Other: \$1,875 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Computer Systems & Information

#### Technology (CSIT)

CLW, SP, PHI, CLV

In this course, students learn about computer hardware, software, networking protocols, basic routing concepts, and cybersecurity. Additionally, they prepare for the A+, Network+, and Security+ certification exams.

Length: 900 hrs (approx 9 mos) Tuition: \$2,628 Other: \$2,157 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Medical Administrative Specialist

CLW

Prepare for a career as a medical administrative specialist with the necessary knowledge and skills. Content includes keyboarding, computer applications and the use of technology for medical office procedures and tasks.

Length: 1050 hrs (approx 12 mos) Tuition: \$3,066 Other: \$2,257 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Network Support Services

CLW

Learn to troubleshoot complex computer network issues. Prepare to earn certifications CompTIA Network+, Cisco Certified Systems Technician (CCST), Cloud Essentials+, and CompTIA Security+.

Length: 1050 hrs (approx 11 mos) Tuition: \$3,066 Other: \$1,240 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Web Development

CLW

Craft sophisticated web solutions with a focus on modern web technologies. Our program delivers in-depth training in front-end and back-end development, including HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and PHP. Students are equipped with the skills to build responsive and accessible websites, preparing them for industry-standard certifications and dynamic careers.

Length: 1050 hrs (approx 11 mos) Tuition: \$3,066 Other: \$1,303 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

## CHILD CARE

### Child Care Center Operations

CLW, SP

Learn how to operate a day care center by developing competencies required for the Florida Child Care and Education Program Director Credential.

Length: 45 hrs (approx 3 mos) Tuition: \$132 Other: \$129\* (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Early Childhood Education

SP

Students will learn following elements of the early childhood education industry: planning, management, finance, technical and production skills; underlying principles of technology; labor, community, health, safety, and environmental issues; and developmentally appropriate practices for children birth through age eight.

Length: 600 hrs. (approx. 6 mos) Tuition: \$1,752 Other: \$435 (bks, equip & fees estimate)

### School Age Professional Certificate

SP

Students will understand and demonstrate the following elements of the child care industry: physical and intellectual competence, family involvement, developmentally appropriate practices for school age children and program management.

Length: 80 hrs (approx 6 mos) Tuition: \$234 Other: \$40\* (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

## CONSTRUCTION & DESIGN

### Building Trades & Construction Design Technology SP

Curriculum includes applying construction techniques; reading plans and specifications; and developing trade skills in carpentry, masonry, electricity, plumbing and air conditioning.

Length: 900 hrs (approx 9 mos) Tuition: \$2,628 Other: \$1,300 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Cabinetmaking

CLW

Gain the quality skills and craftsmanship to obtain a position in the cabinetmaking industry by developing skills in the design, layout, and construction of cabinets, furniture, and millwork.

Length: 1200 hrs (approx 12 mos) Tuition: \$3,504 Other: \$2,112 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Computer-Aided Drawing & Modeling

SP

This program offers rigorous content and relevant technical knowledge and skills needed to prepare for careers in the Architecture and Construction career cluster. Content includes the use of software to convert the engineering or architectural designs into technical drawings. Students can specialize in architectural, civil, or mechanical drafting and use technical drawings to design everything from microchips to skyscrapers.

Length: 1200 hrs (approx 12 mos) Tuition: \$3,504 Other: \$1,665 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Electricity

CLW, SP

Prepare for employment as an electrician. Content includes basic safety and code, circuits, diagramming, all phases of residential wiring circuits and installation, pipe bending, transformers, motor controls, and data and fiber cabling.

Length: 1200 hrs (approx 12 mos) Tuition: \$3,504 Other: \$2,262 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Electronic Systems Integration and Automation – CLW

Prepare students for employment in a variety of occupations in the Electronics Technology Integration Industry (Limited Voltage). Learn basic safety, all phases of cable installations and equipment for communications, CCTV, networking, assess control, alarm, audio, video, automation, low voltage lighting, rack and home theatre systems.

Length: 750 hrs (approx 8 mos) Tuition: \$2,190 Other: \$2,786 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Heating, Ventilation, Air-Conditioning/Refrigeration 1 SP

Obtain the skills that stress the understanding of the heating, air-conditioning, refrigeration and ventilation industry and demonstrate elements of the industry such as planning, management, finance, technical and production skills, the underlying principles of technology, and health, safety and environmental issues.

Length: 750 hrs (approx 8 mos) Tuition: \$2,190 Other: \$1,511 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Heating, Ventilation, Air-Conditioning

#### /Refrigeration (HVAC/R) 1 - IET

CLW

This versatile program caters to GED and ESOL students, immigrants, and English language learners. It aims to enhance proficiency in English, Mathematics, and Employability, thereby empowering students to find gainful employment in the HVAC/R industry. The curriculum encompasses a wide range of technical subjects, such as designing, testing, repairing, heating, ventilation, air conditioning, and cooling (HVAC) systems.

Length: 750 hrs (approx 8 mos) Tuition: \$2,190 Other: \$2,920 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Interior Decorating Services

CLW

Experience a "hands-on" approach using design tools, materials and CAD software used in the industry. Prepare for a career as a kitchen and bath designer, color-consultant, home-staging designer and interior decorator.

Length: 1050 hrs (approx 11 mos) Tuition: \$3,066 Other: \$2,758 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Plumbing

SP

Prepare for employment in the plumbing industry as a plumber's helper, or residential or commercial plumber through hands-on learning and application.

Length: 1080 hrs (approx 11 mos) Tuition: \$3,154 Other: \$1,920 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

## HEALTH SCIENCE

### Central Sterile Processing Technology

SP

Prepare to be a Certified Registered Central Service Technician through International Association of Hospital Central Service Material Management Organization.

Length: 650 hrs (approx 7 mos) Tuition: \$1,898 Other: \$779 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Dental Assisting

SP

Train to be the dentist's "Right-hand Person" through the study of basic dental office procedures, dental terminology, patient information and assessment, oral health, preventive dentistry, dental materials and dental laboratory skills.

Length: 1230 hrs (approx 13 mos) Tuition: \$3,592 Other: \$2,612 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Emergency Medical Technician

SP

Introduction to knowledge, skills, and attitudes required in emergency medical and trauma situations. Prepares student to successfully pass the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (NREMT) Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) certification exam.

Length: 300 hrs (approx 4 mos) Tuition: \$876 Other: \$801 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Medical Coder/Biller

SP

Learn medical terminology, use of ICD and CPT coding systems, and an understanding of medical billing.

Length: 1110 hrs (approx 12 mos) Tuition: \$3,242 Other: \$1,931 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Phlebotomy

PHI, CLV

This class is designed to prepare students to perform as a professional phlebotomist, primarily drawing blood. After completion of the program a student may sit for the American Medical Technologist's exam to become a Registered Phlebotomy Technician (RPT).

Length: 165 hrs (approx 4 mos) Tuition: \$481.80 Other: \$564\* (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Practical Nursing

CLW, SP

Train in the administration of treatments and medication in the care of the ill while gaining the skills and knowledge to successfully pass the State Licensing Exam and become a Licensed Practical Nurse.

Length: 1350 hrs (approx 15 mos) Tuition: \$3,942 Other: \$3,825 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Surgical Technology

SP

Combine the knowledge of human anatomy, instrumentation and surgical patient care to facilitate the surgeon's performance of invasive and diagnostic procedures.

Length: 1330 hrs (approx 14 mos) Tuition: \$3,884 Other: \$1,775 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

## HOSPITALITY

### Baking & Pastry Arts

CLW

Learn about making breads, bakery goods, creams/mousses, chocolate and sugar applications. Formal dining desserts and dessert displays. Prepares students for pastry cook/baker and pastry chef/head baker.

Length: 600 hrs (approx 6 mos) Tuition: \$1,752 Other: \$2,190 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Fundamental Foodservice Skills

CLW

Train in essential culinary techniques, ingredient knowledge and kitchen safety. Program focuses on hands-on learning, encouraging creativity and innovation while emphasizing the importance of mastering the fundamentals.

Length: 600 hrs (approx 6 mos) Tuition: \$1,752 Other: \$2,230 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Professional Culinary Arts & Hospitality

CLW, SP

Prepare for a variety of positions in the culinary industry including dining room operations, beverage management, steward, utility cook, breakfast cook, line cook, garde manger and pastry baker.

Length: 1200 hrs (approx 12 mos) Tuition: \$3,504 Other: \$3,250 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

## MANUFACTURING

### Advanced Composites

CLW

This course will provide students with the foundational composite skills needed for prepreg lamination, vacuum infusion, adhesive bonding, and precision assembly. Students will learn composite layup, core fabrication, vacuum bagging, over curing mold preparation, sanding, trimming with power tools, adhesive mixing, adhesive bonding, vacuum infusion, precision measurement, cosmetics, and non-destructive inspection.

Length: 600 hrs (approx 6 mos) Tuition: \$1,752 Other: \$785 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Jewelry Design & Repair 1

SP

Prepares for employment as a Jeweler and Precious Stone and Metal Worker. Laboratory activities include instruction in the use of equipment, tools, and materials and processes found in the jewelry industry.

Length: 900 hrs (approx 9 mos) Tuition: \$2,628 Other: \$1,254 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Jewelry Design & Repair 2

SP

Focuses on broad, transferable skills and stresses understanding and demonstration of the following elements of the Jewelry Repair industry; planning, management, finance, technical and product skills, and health, safety, and environmental issues.

Length: 750 hrs (approx 8 mos) Tuition: \$2,190 Other: \$583 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Machining Technologies

CLW

Prepare for employment as a machinist/toolmaker. Learn Blueprint reading/measurement techniques and set up and operate lathe/grinder, milling machine, electrical discharge machine and computer numerically controlled machine (CNC) operator/programmer.

Length: 1500 hrs (approx 15 mos) Tuition: \$4,380 Other: \$1,825 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Welding Technology

CLW, SP

Prepare students for certification and employment as a welder in the fabrication and repair industry, as well as the construction industry, using Shielded Metal Arc Welding (stick), Gas Tungsten Arc Welding (TIG), Gas Metal Arc Welding (MIG), Flux-Core Arc Welding (FCAW) using varies thickness and materials.

Length: 1050 hrs (approx 11 mos) Tuition: \$3,066 Other: \$2,764 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

### Welding Technology – Advanced

CLW, SP

Prepare for certification and employment as an advanced welder in emerging welding industries, using Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW), pipe fitting fabrication techniques, and advanced Gas Tungsten Arc Welding (GTAW) skills.

Length: 750 hrs (approx 8 mos) Tuition: \$2,190 Other: \$2,523 (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

## PUBLIC WORKS

### Public Works

SP

Prepare for employment in wastewater systems, plant operations and park maintenance. Content includes the opportunity to attain a Class B driver's license.

Length: 450 hrs (approx 5 mos) Tuition: \$1,314 Other: \$622\* (bks, equip & fees; estimate)

\* Ineligible for Federal financial aid.

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