

**Program*****AUTOMOTIVE SYSTEMS TECHNOLOGY***

- *Associate in Applied Science (AAS) - Day*
- *Diploma Night Program:* 5 semesters, including 1 summer term
- *Admission Cycle:* Every semester

**Career Description**

Trained automotive technicians are in high demand nationwide. To service diagnose and repair vehicle and light duty trucks. Master level technician will be responsible for repairing brakes, electrical and electronic, engine repairs major and minor, automatic and manual transmission, engine performance including drivability and tune-ups and heating and air conditioning systems.

**Careers Available**

Service director, service manager, garage owner, company CEO, service writer, parts sales, field/fleet service technician, teacher, dealership owner, automotive technician, military, high tech motor sports, service advisor, manufacture trainer, shop foreman, dealership team leader, manufacture representative, automotive engineer and technical writers.

**Entry-Level Salary**

\$25,000 - \$35,000/yr.

**Course of Study**

Automotive technicians are trained in automatic transmissions, manual transmission and transaxle, brakes, electrical and electronics, steering and suspension, engine repair, climate control systems, and engine performance.

**Helpful Personal Attributes**

Mechanical ability, analytical ability to work independently and willingness to learn for a lifetime.

**Program Contact**

If you would like additional information about the Automotive System Technology Program, contact David Allgood, Instructor, at 336.734.7279 or [dallgood@forsythtech.edu](mailto:dallgood@forsythtech.edu).

**How To Get Started**

You may pick up an application at the Admissions Office, 123 Allman Center on the Forsyth Tech Main Campus, 2100 Silas Creek Parkway in Winston-Salem. You may also request an application by calling 336.734.7253, or you may apply online at [www.forsythtech.edu](http://www.forsythtech.edu).