# New Castle School of Trades and Kent State University logos New Castle School of Trades Diploma Program to The Associate of Technical Study, Individualized Program

## New Castle School of Trades: Diploma Program

## Kent State University: Associate of Technical Study, Individualized Program

| Course Subject and Title | Credit  Hours | Upper  Division | Notes |
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| **New Castle School of Trades** | | | |
| Diploma Program Completion | 30 |  | Documentation of diploma program completion. Diploma program hours must be greater than or equal to 1,000 clock hours. |
| **Semester One: [15-16 Credit Hours] Kent State University** | | | |
| ENG 11011 College Writing | 3 |  | Fulfills Kent Core Composition |
| Kent Core Requirement | 3 |  | Consult with an Academic Advisor |
| General Electives | 9 |  |  |
| UC 10001 Flashes 101 | 1 |  | UC 10001 is not required of transfer students with 30 credits (excluding College Credit Plus) or students age 21+ at the time of matriculation. |
| **Semester Two: [15 Credit Hours] Kent State University** | | | |
| Kent Core Requirement | 3 |  | Consult with an Academic Advisor |
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| General Electives | 6 |  |  |
| **60-61 Total Credit Hours to Graduate with the ATS Degree from Kent State University** | | | |

### GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS SUMMARY

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* Does *not* include the following programs that have less than 1000 clock hours: Commercial Truck Driving; Heavy Equipment Operations with Commercial Truck Driving

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**Minimum Total Hours:** 60 credit hours

**Minimum Kent Core Hours:** 15 credit hours

**Minimum Major GPA:** 2.000

**Minimum Overall GPA:** 2.000

Students must successfully complete 15 credit hours of graded Kent State coursework required for the A.T.S. degree before receiving any college credit for industry recognized licensures, certifications, or diplomas.

The Associate of Technical Study degree, Individualized Program, is open to students who need a specially designed course of study in a technical field. The program consists of courses that suit the students' career goals. Course requirements are planned with the help of a faculty advisor and must be approved by the dean of the College of Applied and Technical Studies.

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