# **AUTOMOTIVE COLLISION REPAIR**



2024-2025

**Automotive Collision Repair** provides the necessary entry-level knowledge and hands-on experience to repair damaged vehicles to factory specifications. The program prepares students to begin a life-long career in the automotive collision repair industry.

### **Program Highlights:**

- Repair and refinish vehicle surfaces using modern welding, sanding, masking, and custom painting techniques
- Assess damage and estimate repair costs to restore damaged vehicles to factory specifications
- Utilize the same advanced equipment as master technicians

### The Program Focuses on the Following State Approved Courses:

- Collision Painting and Refinishing
- Collision Nonstructural Inspection and Repair
- Collision Structural Inspection and Repair
- Collision Electrical and Mechanical Systems



### COST-FREE COLLEGE CREDIT OPPORTUNITIES

We are working to create articulation agreements with institutions of higher learning.

### INDUSTRY-RECOGNIZED CREDENTIALS (POINT VALUES)

- ICAR Collision Repair (12 Points)
- ICAR ProLevel I Refinishing Technician Certification Repair (12 Points)
- ASE Student Collision Mechanical and Electrical (4 Points)
- ASE Student Collision Non-Structural Analysis and Damage Repair (4 Points)
- ASE Student Collision Painting and Refinishing (4 Points)
- ASE Student Collision Structural Analysis and Damage Repair (4 Points)
- Ohio Driver's License (1 Point)
- 3M Head, Face and Eye 1 Point)
- 3M Hearing and Noise Protection (1 Point)
- 3M Respiratory Protection

| OHIO MEANS JOBS OCCUPATIONS LISTED ACCORDING TO TYPICAL SALARY |                               |                           |                            |                          |                        |
|--|-------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| OCCUPATION TITLE   | TYPICAL SALARY-<br>BOTTOM 10% | TYPICAL SALARY-<br>MEDIAN | TYPICAL SALARY-<br>TOP 10% | TYPICAL<br>EDUCATION     | ANNUAL JOB<br>OPENINGS |
| Parts Salespersons   | \$24,230                      | \$35,790                  | \$54,400                   | Less than High School    | 1,170                  |
| Automotive Body and Related Repairers*                         | \$31,680                      | \$44,950                  | \$77,270                   | HS Diploma or Equivalent | 540                    |
| Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing*            | \$37,460                      | \$65,070                  | \$130,640                  | HS Diploma or Equivalent | 5,121                  |
| Sales Managers*  | \$62,480                      | \$128,040                 | \$208,000                  | Bachelor's Degree        | 980                    |

JOB OUTLOOK COMPILED BY OHIO MEANS JOBS AS OF SEPTEMBER 2024; VISIT OHIOMEANSJOBS.COM FOR MORE INFORMATION

\*Denotes an In-Demand Occupation in the State of Ohio

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# TECHNICAL CAREERS —

- Collision Shop Appraiser
- Collision Repair Technician
- Automotive Painter
- Automotive Frame Technician
- Aviation Painter
- Service Writer
- Custom Paint Artist
- Custom Motorcycle Painter
- Powder Coating Refinisher
- Heavy Truck Collision Repair Technician
- Paintless Dent Repair Technician

ACADEMICS

• Insurance Estimator

## PROFESSIONAL CAREERS

- Automotive Design Engineer
- Shop Owner
- Dealership Fixed Operations Manager
- Collision Shop Manager
- Crash Test Engineer
- Collision Repair Instructor
- Race Car Designer/Builder
- Restoration Shop Owner
- Automotive Television Personality
- Mechanical Engineer
- Dealership Owner
- Paint Manufacturer Executive

# ENTRY-LEVEL CAREERS

- Collision Repair Technician Apprentice
- Painter's Assistant
- Professional Vehicle Detailer
- Parts Department Counter Salesperson
- Automotive Salesperson
- Aftermarket Accessory Installer
- · Auto Glass Technician
- Salvage Yard Disassembler
- Plastic Bumper Repair Technician
- Parts Store Technician
- Used Car Repair Technician
- Automotive Sales

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