



AKRON TESTING LABORATORY
AND
WELDING SCHOOL, Ltd.

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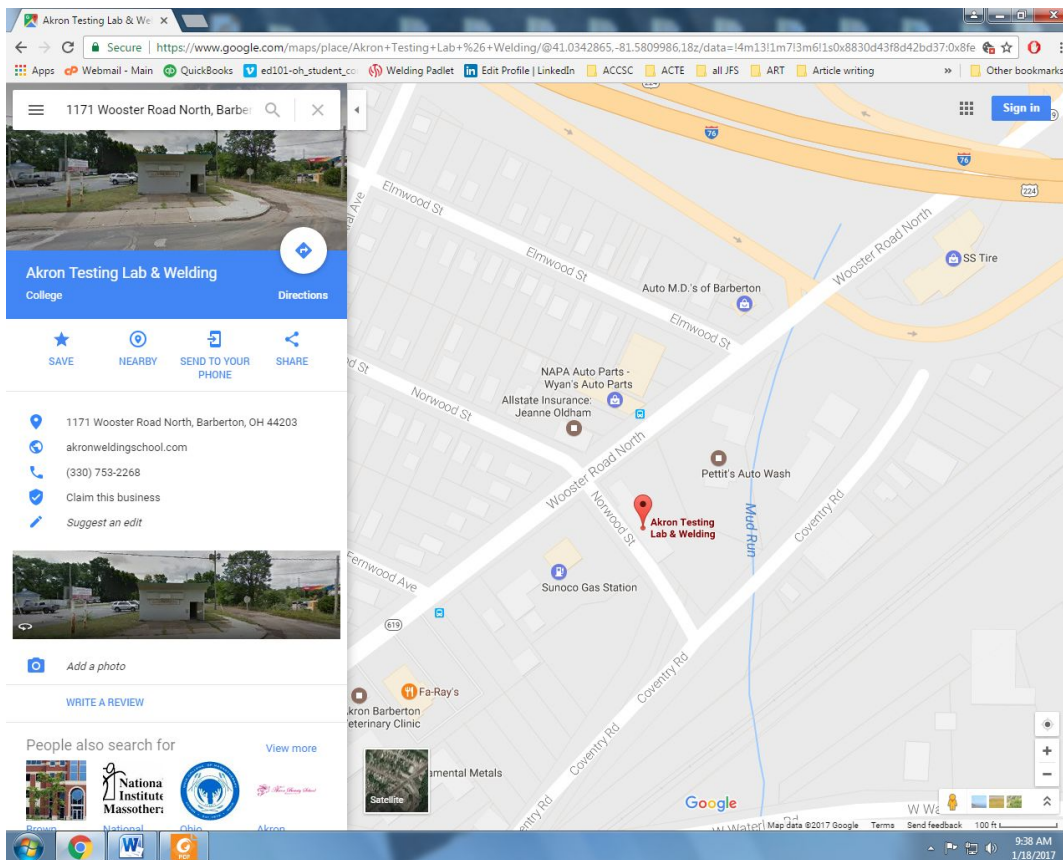
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OFFICE HOURS:

The office is open 8:00 AM-3:00 PM Monday through Thursday and 8:00 AM-2:00 PM on Fridays.

PARKING:

On-site parking is available. Student should park in designated area along the building or along the guard rail.



SCHOOL CALENDAR:

New Year's Day	4 th of July
President's Day	Columbus Day (October)
Memorial Day	Martin Luther King Jr.
Labor Day	Good Friday
Thanksgiving (Thursday & Friday)	Veterans Day
Christmas	First Day Deer gun Season (Monday, November)

MISSION:

The mission of the School is to promote the advancement of quality welding in industry.

PHILOSOPHY:

AKRON TESTING LABORATORY AND WELDING SCHOOL, Ltd., maintains a direct instructor to student relationship as a heritage from the original guild system in which the student worked and learned directly under the master craftsman. The welding school was established to train the student to the best of their ability in all phases of welding.

Past experience has proven that the expectations of the school become a reality as a result of the students' faithful acceptance of the schools' guidance.

HISTORY:

Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School was founded in the summer of 1953. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smerglia purchased it in 1965. Mrs. Eula Smerglia became the Director of the Welding School, and in 1978 she sold it to her son, Gary Smerglia and Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School at that time moved to 1171 Wooster Rd. N, at that time.

Gary Smerglia has been the Director/Owner since 1978. Lane Smerglia, Gary's daughter is the Assistant Director, has earned a Master's of Science in Education, Curriculum and Instruction. She is also the resident School Certifying Official (SCO) for Veteran Affairs, and well as an AWS CWE, certified welding educator.

Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School LTD., is registered by the State Board of Career College's and Schools, a member of Ohio Association of Career Colleges and Schools, and is a Veteran Affairs approved facility. The facility is authorized weld(er) testing facility and follows such codes as, but not limited to, American Welding Society (AWS), American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME), and American Petroleum Institute (API). Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School, Ltd has worked with Military codes, bridge codes, sheet metal, various alloys, and piping respectively.

SCHOOL LICENSE AND APPROVAL

Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School, Ltd., is registered with and approved by the State Board of Career College's and Schools. We have trained students with in our program under Veteran Affairs, W.I.A., Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation and the State of Ohio Bureau of Workers Compensation.

ADMISSIONS

REQUIREMENTS:

The School shall admit person that:

1. Are at least 18 years of age.

2. Have a high school diploma or GED, or satisfactory score on the School's Ability to Benefit** test, or are recommended for admissions to the School by their employer or potential employer.
3. Have no medical impairments that will prevent them from benefiting from the School's educational program.

ENROLLMENT PROCEDURE:

1. Make an appointment with the Director or Assistant Director and visit school.
2. Read Akron Testing Laboratory Welding School's Catalogue.
3. Upon visiting the school, be prepared to discuss your goals in a welding career and how the different welding processes could benefit your goals.
4. Present the School with proper supporting documents, i.e., copies of high school diploma, GED, letters of recommendation, and work history.
5. Potential students that meet all the enrollment requirements and have supplied proper documentation may enroll at the School by meeting with the Director or Assistant Director, filling out the School's Enrollment Agreement, setting their class schedule, and paying their tuition for their class selection, and paying their tuition for the selected class(es).

**The Ability to Benefit test is a nationally normed method of evaluating basic skill levels.

POLICIES:

PAYMENT POLICY:

The tuition must be paid at least three (3) days prior to the start of the class.

Payment plans available upon request.

REFUND POLICY:

A refund will be made five (5) days after termination.

1. The student is required to pay only for the actual hours attended. The hourly rate is determined by dividing the cost of the section by the total number of hour in the section and multiplying that by the number of hours actually attended.
2. If a student is NOT in attendance at the beginning of classes or is rejected, all fees will be refunded. A student may cancel his attendance at any time, in writing, at the administrative office or by registered letter.
3. The refund will be based on last date of attendance.

TERMINATION OF TRAINING BY THE SCHOOL:

1. A student with three (3) unexcused absences in any calendar month will be dropped from enrollment effective the date of attendance.
2. A violation of the school rules is cause for dismissal.
3. Failure to maintain academic standards is cause for dismissal.

4. Failure to make tuition payments on time is cause for dismissal.

READMISSION: Students terminated from the training program CANNOT enroll again in this School.

CANCELLATION:

Students may cancel at any time, in writing, and turned into the office.. Students are required to pay the total clock hours attended. The student is required to pay only for the actual hours attended. The hourly rate is determined by dividing the cost of the section by the total number of hour in the section and multiplying that by the number of hours actually attended.

OHIO STUDENT DISCLOSURE COURSE:

Pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code Section 3332-1-09, effective January 1, 2017, all Ohio students enrolling in a registered Ohio career college or school will be required to complete the online Student Consumer Information Course.

Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School will acquire a, \$25.00 fee added to tuition, voucher for each student and email said student a link to complete the 5 minute video and survey.

VETERANS:

Veterans Welcome!



The approved program is *Welding Technology*. It is a 624 clock hour programs. Classes begin on any approved Monday set by the SCO, Director, Lane Smerglia.

Requirements: Certificate of Elegibility (COE), as well as the School's Admission Requirements.

For more information go to:

<http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill>

MITIGATING CIRCUMSTANCES:

The School Director may waive interim satisfactory standards for mitigating circumstances outside of the control of the student. Mitigating circumstances are defined as: Death of a relative, injury or illness of students, or other special circumstances. The School Director must approve all mitigating circumstances. It must be demonstrated by the student and documented by a physician (if medical

conditions are implicated) that the circumstance had an adverse impact on the student's satisfactory progress in his/her academic program. No waivers will be permitted for graduation requirements.

GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE:

A student should discuss any issue regarded as a grievance with the instructor. If the resolution is not reached at this level, the student will schedule a conference with the Assistant Director and or the Director. If the student is still not satisfied, the student has the right to appeal to the next administrator at the district level.

STATE OF OHIO BOARD OF CAREER
COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS

30 East Broad Street, Suite 2481

Columbus, OH 43215-3414

877-275-4219

Email: bpsr@scr.state.oh.us

RIGHT TO PRIVACY:

Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School, Ltd., **will not** release information about a student's record without the student's written consent. The student is guaranteed to right to access their school file by submitting the request in writing at the school's office. The individual student may see their file at any time during regular office hours.

JUST SAY NO TO DRUGS and WEAPONS POLICY:

To **all** students attending classes at Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School:

No smoking, alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs/mood modifiers, or any gambling devices will be allowed in school. Weapons, including licensed, concealed weapons, are prohibited.

NON-DISCRIMINATION:

Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School adheres to a policy of nondiscrimination in employment and educational programs/activities and strives affirmatively to provide equal opportunity for all.

A student who has a reasonable and good faith belief of being the subject of discrimination, bullying or harassment because of gender, race, color, religion, ethnic or national origin, political beliefs,

marital status, age, sexual orientation, social and family background, linguistic preference, pregnancy or disability shall communicate in writing the allegation(s) to the School Director

PLACEMENT SERVICES:

Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School cannot guarantee employment. The School's placement office maintains contact with local employers currently seeking qualified welders. All students wishing aid in finding employment should contact the school Director or Assistant Director. They will aid the student in setting up appointments to meet with potential employers.

EMERGENCY:

Students are expected to become familiar with all fire evacuation routes, shall know where fire extinguishers are located, and shall know where the first-aid kit is located. First-aid kit is located in the electrode room.

All cases of injury or illness shall be promptly reported to the School's Director, Assistant Director or Instructor.

GENERAL SCHOOL RULES

Shop and School:

1. Welding electrodes will be issued throughout the day. Your instructor will give out electrodes from the rod room.
2. At 1:45 PM you will begin cleanup. **Sweep** the floor of your welding booth and the surrounding area, including the hallway in front of your booth, and the cutting table.
3. **Put all slag, dirt, and used (less than 2 1/2") electrodes into the slag bucket.**
4. **Wait for your instructor to evaluate the cleanup, and your work, and then empty the slag bucket into the Blue Container at the back door.**
5. After the instructor has given you the "OK," you are free to leave upon dismissal at 2:00PM.
6. Please **NO** chewing or smoking in building.
7. Throw away your trash in proper receptacles!!!
8. Do not bring bell peppers into building! Be cautious of nuts and seeds there are staff and possible students with allergies!
9. If you are Diabetic, have food allergies, or other medical conditions PLEASE NOTIFY your Assistant Director or Director! Safety First!

Material Usage:

1. All joints must be completely welded before they are torch cut and re-welded. **DO NOT waste Beveled material!!**
2. Ask instructors for materials.
3. Use Electrodes to 2 1/2" (the numbers). Return unused electrodes.
4. Keep a scratch pad in your booth. This will help burn off electrode ends. Instructors will explain scratch pads so not to weld on stands.
5. **Practice plates to be cut @ 1 1/4"**
6. **Test plates to be cut @ 2 1/4"**
7. **CLEAN YOUR WORK AREAS!** Booth, hallway, cutting table, and saws.

WELDING PROCESSES

OFFERED

Basic SMAW I & II Welding

This section is designed to train students in the fundamentals of welding, including machine operation, electrode nomenclature, welding technique, effect of current and speed of travel, and position welding. Job areas for graduates are fabrication shops, machine shops, and general construction.

SMAW Advanced (Pipe)

This section is designed to train students with developed skills. The students will learn techniques required in pipe welding. Students will work on welding various sized pipes. The students are expected to develop their skills so that they can place sound weldments in difficult non-uniform materials, in all positions. The final exam is designed to prepare the student for industrial tests which may be given by their future employers. A

certificate showing the test results will be given to the student by the school.

Semi-Automatic GMAW and FCAW

The objective of this section is to teach the fundamentals of semi-automatic welding techniques for the steel fabrication shop. The process is employed in production welding shops; light and heavy industry, and automotive industry.

GTAW Welding

This section is designed to train students in Gas Tungsten Arc Welding. This process requires more skill and ability, since the materials used tend to be more delicate and costly. GTAW is the principle process used to weld thin materials, especially Aluminum, Stainless Steel, Molybdenum, and other specialty metals. This highly sought after skill is employed in aero-space plants, fabrication shops, chemical and nuclear plants, medical facilities, and military uses. This course will prepare the student for GTAW welding in steel and aluminum fabrication shops.

Blueprint Reading for Welders

This lecture series will introduce students to the first steps of blue print reading. The main focus is the fundamentals of drawing interpretations as applied in the welding trade. Welding symbols knowledge is required to understand the drawings. Student will learn the symbols significance and relationship to the blueprint.

Emphasis is placed on developing the ability to interpret the kinds of blueprints from which the welder must work. The workbook has sample blueprints selected and develop to acquaint the beginner with many work-shop problems.


GTAW/SMAW Pipe

This advanced technique is not for the untrained welder. It involves a GTAW root and first pass followed by SMAW fill and cap. This course will train students on techniques to advance their pipe welding career. This type of pipe welding is used in the oil and gas industry, the nuclear industry, as well as, the plumbing industry.

Manual Torch Cutting

This section is designed to prepare the welder to be a complete diversified welder. It is essential that the welder be able to properly prepare their materials. A welder should be capable of handling the most difficult hand torch cutting problem. The second step is concerned with plasma cutting equipment. The third step is the user following pre-marked material and making proper cuts.

Brazing and Soldering

This section is designed to perfect the techniques of the hand-torch welder. A welder skilled in brazing and soldering for general repairs, maintenance and art, can help save employers money by eliminating shut-downs  on machinery needing weld repairs.

Customized Classes

We know that your company has specific needs and requirements, ask, and we can help you with your welder qualification essentials

PROGRAMS OF TRAINING

GROUP I

Basic I SMAW

GMAW (2 parts: Spray and Pulse transfers)

FCAW

GTAW

Blueprint Reading for Welders

Manual Torch Cutting

This group is set up as for combination welder training. For this group there are no prerequisites. It has a total of 276 clock hours. There are four (4) welder qualification tests in this group.

GROUP II

Basic II SMAW – prerequisite, Basic I SMAW *or* verification from a company.

SMAW Advanced Pipe – prerequisite, Basic II SMAW *or* verification from a company.

GTAW/SMAW Pipe- prerequisite, GTAW and SMAW Pipe *or* verification from a company.

Stainless Steel Plate- prerequisite Basic I and *or* Basic II SMAW *or* verification from a company.

Brazing/Soldering

OFW

This group is set up as for advanced combination welder training. Group II has prerequisites. It has a total of 348 clock hours.

DIPLOMA PROGRAM

The diploma program consists of Group I and Group II for a total of 624 clock hours.

Tuition and Fees

Section **GROUP I** 276 Clock Hours Cost \$6253.00

Class Title	Clock Hours	Lab Hours	Theory	Tuition
Basic I SMAW	72	64	8	1650.00
GMAW	48	40	8	950.00
FCAW	36	30	6	875.00
GTAW	48	38	10	1278.00
Blueprint for Welders	48	10	38	800.00
Manual Torch Cutting	24	19	5	700.00

Section **GROUP II** 348 Clock Hours Cost \$ 9290.00

Class Title	Clock Hours	Lab Hours	Theory	Tuition
Basic II SMAW	72	64	8	\$2000.00
SMAW Advanced Pipe	96	88	8	\$2880.00
Pipe GTAW/SMAW	70	64	6	\$2110.00
Plate Stainless Steel	38	32	6	\$1100.00
OFW	36	30	6	\$600.00
Brazing and Soldering	36	30	6	\$600.00

Diploma Program

Program	Hours	Tuition
Welding Technology	624	\$15543.00

Additional Costs and Fees

<i>Welding Skills 5th Ed</i>	Book	\$90	
Welding Skills Workbook	Book	\$35	
<i>Blueprint Reading for Welders</i>	Book	\$60	Required IF taking Blueprint Reading
<i>PPE</i>	PPE	\$262	
<i>Credit Card Fees (if applicable)</i>		Varied % + .25 Processing	

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Enrollment Agreement

Name _____
 Phone Number _____ Email _____
 Address _____

Section	GROUP I 276 Clock Hours Cost \$6253.00				
Class Title	Clock Hours	Lab Hours	Theory	Tuition	Enrolled
Basic I SMAW	72	64	8	\$1650.00	
GMAW	48	40	8	\$950.00	
FCAW	36	30	6	\$875.00	
GTAW	48	38	10	\$1278.00	
Blueprint for Welders	48	10	38	\$800.00	
Manual Torch Cutting	24	19	5	\$700.00	

Section	GROUP II 348 Clock Hours Cost \$ 9290.00				
Class Title	Clock Hours	Lab Hours	Theory	Tuition	Enrolled
Basic II SMAW	72	64	8	\$2000.00	
SMAW Advanced Pipe	96	88	8	\$2880.00	
GTAW/SMAW Pipe	70	64	6	\$2110.00	
Stainless Steel Pipe	38	32	6	\$1100.00	
OFW Oxy/Fuel	36	30	6	\$600.00	
Brazing & Soldering	36	30	6	\$600.00	

Program	Hours	Tuition	Enrolled
Welding Technology	624	\$15543.00	

The tuition prices listed above are good for the dates specified. Students that drop out of school and re-enroll at a later date, their tuition will be under the then current catalog price list.

East student must obtain their own personal protective equipment and text books.

Certificates of completion are issued for each section completed and paid in full. A diploma is issued at the completion of 624 clock hours required in the Welding Technology program. It takes approximately 22 weeks to complete the 624 Clock Hour Welding Technology program.

Each section must be paid in full three working days prior to the start of class. The student is responsible for prompt payment of all tuition.

A student may cancel enrollment at any time, in writing, at the administration office or by registered letter. The students enrollment may be terminated by the School for: failure to comply with school rules, not meeting enrollment requirements, failure to maintain adequate grades, failure to make payments on time, and absenteeism. The student acknowledges they have read and understand all requirements and rules in the School's catalog.

Refund policy to be made within five days of termination of enrollment. The student is required to pay for the hours attended. The hourly rate is determined by dividing the cost of the section by its hours and multiplying that times the hours actually attended.

The School does not and cannot guarantee employment. This agreement is not binding unless signed by all parties and with receipt of the required sections tuition payment and class schedule.

You have the right to take all grievances directly to the Board of Career Colleges and Schools

30 East Broad St. Suite 2481. Columbus, OH 43215

Placemen t	Rate
Year	%

614-466-2752 -or- 877-275-4219

I hereby acknowledge that I am at least 18 years of age, meet all requirements for enrollment, have read and received a copy of this agreement and a School catalog, as well as, completed the ODC online form.

Signature and Date of Student _____

Signature and Date of School Representative _____



Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School, Ltd



Installment Payment Plan

Upon Registering, all students must decide on a payment plan. This form will be your payment contract with the Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School, Ltd. (79-01-0631T)

Last Name _____ First Name _____

Phone # _____ Email _____

Program _____

Start Date _____ End Date _____

\$447.00 total for Books *and* Person Protective Equipment (PPE) Package. \$90.00 *Welding Skills 5th Ed.* \$60.00 *Blueprint Reading for Welders*, \$35.00 *Welding Skills Workbook*. Students may supply their own PPE.

Credit card fee of 4% if applicable.(subject to change)

Total _____

DATE	AMOUNT	School Signature	Student Initials

Int: _____ I would like to pay according to the Payment Plan. I understand that failure to pay all charges by the agreed payment due date may leave my account subject to a hold and may result in loss of privileges regarding Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School, Ltd (ATW) services.

A student may cancel enrollment at any time, in writing, and will owe only the amount of clock hours taken. However, a student's enrollment may be terminated for failure to comply with school rules, not meeting enrollment requirements, failure to make payments, and absenteeism.

Refund policy to be made within five (5) days of termination of enrollment. The student is required to pay for hours attended. The hourly rate is determined by dividing the cost of the section by its hours and multiplying that times the hours actually attended.

The school does not and cannot guarantee employment. This agreement is not binding unless signed by parties and with receipt of required sections tuition payment and class schedule.

Student Signature _____ **Date** _____

School Authority _____ **Date** _____

Personal Protective Equipment

PPE

- 1) Helmet
- 2) Leathers
- 3) Welding Gloves
- 4) Work Gloves
- 5) Chipping Hammer
- 6) Wire Brush
- 7) Cap
- 8) Safety Glasses

Proper Attire

- 1) Long Sleeve Button Shirt w/ Collar
- 2) Steel-toe Boots
- 3) Denim or sturdy fabric Pants – Should not pool at ankles





CLASS SCHEDULE:

Classes are from 8:00AM to 2:00 PM Monday through Fridays.

Daily Schedule:

Class Begins	8:00 AM
Break	9:30 AM-9:45 AM
Lunch	11:00-11:30 AM
Clean Up	1:45 PM
Dismissal	2:00 PM

CLASS SIZE

The class size is based on a 10:1 student to teacher ratio.

GRADING:

The students are graded by written assignments and tests, which are covered in class work and reading assignments. These grades are combined with the student's welding performance test which is given in the laboratory for an overall grade on each section. A student must maintain satisfactory progress to remain enrolled and graduate.

Students **must** carry a one (1) point average in all work to graduate. Students falling below this point average, at any time, will be placed on probation and must raise their average within the next two (2) weeks. After the probationary period, if the grade point average has not improved, the student will be terminated.

Each student will be given a letter grade for each section. This grade will be based on the homework, quizzes, and performance tests given in the shop.

The shop test is 50% of the final grade. Homework is 10%. Attendance is 10%. Lab work is 30%.

Grading System:

Letter	Points
A	4
B	3
C	2
D	1
F	0 = Unsatisfactory

ATTENDANCE:

Attendance is of the utmost importance. Scheduled hours per day per class are acknowledged with each student. All students shall attend each of their scheduled classes unless excused for the following reasons:

- Personal Illness
- Death in Immediate Family
- Required Appearance in Court

All missed time **MUST** be made up by the student during the course to receive credit.

A student **must** have permission from the instructor to leave school early.

Guidelines for Absences:

- 1) Three (3) days of late attendance constitutes one (1) day absence.
- 2) Any student with three (3) unexcused absences in any calendar month will be dropped by the school.
- 3) All absences **must** be made up by the student before the end of the session.
- 4) Four (4) or more absences in any calendar month will be considered excessive and result in dismissal.

LEAVE POLICY

A student may make arrangements for a leave-of-absence by contacting the School's Director or Assistant Director.

MAKE-UP WORK:

Make-up work is permitted and administered by the instructors in case of excused absences or tardiness **ONLY**. The responsibility for obtaining make-up work assignments rests entirely with the student. All required work **MUST** be satisfactorily completed per schedule. The student **MUST** make up all absences to receive certificate.

CLOCK HOURS:

Ohio Administrative Code - 3332 State Board of Career Colleges and Schools Chapter 3332-1 General Provisions 3332-1-10 Tuition and fees.

Clock hours - for programs organized on a clock hour basis, unless otherwise specifically approved by the board in writing, schools may collect and financially obligate students for tuition and fees for a maximum of three hundred clock hours or six months of instruction at a time, and may not collect or financially obligate students for tuition and fees for the next three hundred hour or six-month segment until it begins. Any student loans or other financial aid funds received by a school must be collected and disbursed in accordance with paragraph (D) of this rule.

STUDENT CONDUCT:

Akron Testing Laboratory and Welding School strives to reflect the values of Integrity, Community, Respect, and Responsibility.

GRADUATION:

A certificate will be granted to each student who has successfully completed the program and who has no outstanding tuition owed to the school.

ADVISORY BOARD

The School's administration has developed a system to aid in curriculum revision and adjustment of its program of study through its Advisory Board. The Advisory Board is made up of the School's Director, three (3) members of the local welding industry (employers) and a member of the student body. The five (5) member board meets three (3) times a year to review the curriculum and make recommendations for adjustments and improvements.

FACULTY:



Director – Lane Smerglia

Ms. Smerglia has been in the Welding industry for over twenty years. She has graduated from the University of Akron with a Master's of Education in Curriculum and Instruction. In 2010, the American Welding Society awarded her with District 10 Instructor of the Year. Ms. Smerglia has been an American Welding Society member since 1997 and received her Certified Welding Educator in 2008. She also holds the title of School Certifying Official (SCO) for Veteran's Affairs.

Ms. Smerglia has helped set up training programs for companies such as: ATI Flat Rolled Products, Simmers Crane, S.D. Meyers, S.A.

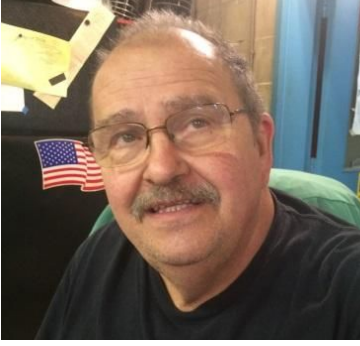
Communale, and many others. She continues to pursue her teaching endeavors by attending workshops and seminars with Ohio Association of Career Colleges and Schools, Ohio Means Jobs, Stark County Community Action League, Ohio Department of Education, Ohio State Board of Career Colleges and Schools, American Welding Society, and others.

Assistant Director – Gary Smerglia

Mr. Smerglia has been the Director since 1979. He was graduated from Kent State University with a degree in Industrial Management. Mr. Smerglia specializes in Industrial Training Programs in Welding and has developed programs for, Firestone Tire and Rubber Company (Des Moines, Memphis), Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, B.F. Goodrich Company, J.M. Smucker's Company, J & L Specialty Products, etc. The

Director has been in the welding industry for over 50 years. He has received his certificate of compliance from the State of Ohio Department of Industrial Relations, Divisions of Mechanical Inspection and Licensing for Destructive Testing of Welds in 1974, and from the State of Ohio Department of Highways in 1969.

In June of 1988 he received his certification as a Welding Inspector under the American Welding Society Standard QCI-88, Section 6.1 of the AWS Welding Code. He also received a Level II Proficiency rating for Ultrasonic Examination from the American Society for NonDestructive Testing. Mr. Smerglia has completed courses of study from the American Welding Society School of Welding Technology, The Hartford Steam and Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company, and the Metal Engineering Institute.



Instructor – Robert Shearer

Mr. Shearer has over 40 years welding experience. Mr. Shearer is a retired Supervisor and Welder/Fitter from Babcock and Wilcox.



Instructor – Johnny Britton

Mr. Britton has over 40 years welding and fitting experience. He is retired from Babcock and Wilcox.

FACILITY:

The School's facilities include the main office, one (1) classroom, two(2) restrooms, welding areas, testing lab, student locker room, welding supply room, technician's area, and cutting area. The equipment used in instruction includes:

- 24 SMAW machines
- 12 Semi-Automatic GMAW machines
- 5 GTAW machines
- 4 Semi-Automatic FCAW machines
- 1 Oxyacetylene booth
- Grinding room
- Torch and Plasma cutting booth
- 2 band saws



SMAW



GMAW



GTAW



Main Hall



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