There are many opportunities, both in high school and through previous college, work, and/or military experience, to earn credit at Gateway.

For more information about earning credit in high school and opportunities for credit for prior learning, please see reverse side.

CNC Operator
(13 Credits)
Potential Jobs:
- Machine Operator
- Production Machinist
Median Income*:
$16.89 per hour
$35,131 annually
*Based on locally reported wage data.

Students who complete this program are prepared to earn industry-recognized certifications, including:
- MSSC Safety
- NC3 Starrett Precision Measuring

CNC Production Technician
(33 Credits)
Potential Jobs:
- CNC Set-Up & Operator
- CNC Machinist
Median Income:
$19.17 per hour
$39,874 annually

CNC Programmer
(45 Credits)
Potential Jobs:
- CNC Programmer
- CAD/CAM Programmer
Median Income:
$23.20 per hour
$48,256 annually

Students are prepared to enter their career field at any point along the pathway and advance as they complete higher-level credentials.

Gateway offers additional educational opportunities related to this career pathway, including:

Small Business Entrepreneurship
Technical Diploma
(34 Credits)
Have questions or need assistance with getting started?

Gateway’s New Student Specialists are ready to help. Call 1-800-247-7122 or stop into any Student Services Center to make an appointment or register for an upcoming new student event.

Elkhorn Campus
400 County Road H
Elkhorn, WI 53121

Kenosha Campus
3520 30th Ave.
Kenosha, WI 53144

Racine Campus
1001 S. Main St.
Racine, WI 53403

Credit for Prior Learning

Experience Pays! You’ve been there . . . You’ve done that . . . Let us give you credit for it!

Gateway Technical College recognizes you have knowledge and skills gained through previous educational, life and work experiences. We want to help you receive credit for those experiences—saving you time, money and helping you enter your new career more quickly.

There are various ways to earn credit including Degree Course Substitution, Prior Learning Assessment and Transfer Credit. Credit for Prior Learning opportunities for this program include:

444-339 Gauging and Quality Control

Earn College Credit in High School

Get an edge by earning college credit before you graduate and save money at the same time.

There are many ways to earn college credit while you’re still in high school, including transcripted and advanced standing credit, Start College Now and youth apprenticeship. Suggested courses to take in high school for this program include:

444-331 CNC Machining Technology
444-337 Fundamentals of Blueprint and Shop Safety
444-339 Gauging and Quality Control
444-338 Fund. of CN Machine Application

For more information visit gtc.edu/cfpl or contact the Registrar’s Office at cfpl@gtc.edu or 262-564-2162.

For more information on earning college credit in high school connect with your high school counselor or the Gateway New Student Specialist at your high school. Visit gtc.edu/highschool.

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