

TECH PREP Programs

available at 

- Child Development & Early Childhood
- Communications - Radio & Television Broadcasting
- Computer Information Technology - Computer Programming
- Computer Networking
- Criminal Justice - Correctional Science
- Criminal Justice - Law Enforcement
- Culinary Arts
- Diagnostic Cardiovascular Sonography
- Electroneurodiagnostics
- Emergency Medical Technology
- Industrial Design Technology
- LVN - Licensed Vocational Nursing
- Management Development
- Office Administration
- Paralegal
- Polysomnography
- Process Technology
- RN - Associate Degree Nursing



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For more information about the program, contact:

Alvin Community College Tech Prep Coordinator

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How to Reach Alvin Community College

We have two convenient locations in Alvin and Pearland. The Alvin campus is located on Highway 35 Bypass. The Pearland campus is located on FM 518 and N. Grand Boulevard – in the heart of Pearland.



Alvin Community College
3110 Mustang Road
Alvin, Texas 77511
281.756.3500

Pearland Center
2319 N. Grand Blvd.
Pearland, Texas 77581
281.756.3900



TECH PREP

Your Options for an

Associate of
Applied Science Degree

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Alvin Community College

who is a
High School
TECH PREP
Student

A high school student who is:

- Following the Recommended High School Graduation Plan
- On a career pathway that includes two or more career-focused electives (CTE) that add up to 3 or more credits
- Taking at least one class that is eligible for Tech Prep college credit

A Tech Prep high school graduation plan is based on the Recommended High School Program. This prepares students to continue in a college program that leads to a minimum of a two-year Associate of Applied Science (AAS) college degree.

Take Advantage of this Opportunity!

Benefits to Students who Participate in **TECH PREP**

- Combines college preparation with technical skills learned in a coherent sequence of career and technology courses.
- **Articulated courses are free!** Advanced placement through articulation also saves time; an average of nine college hours.
- High school is more interesting because students can relate school to a future career.
- College is more interesting because students can take more advanced-level courses.
- Students can graduate from college AAS degree programs ahead of schedule.
- Students have a marketable skill when they graduate from high school that they can use while they complete an associate and/or baccalaureate degree.
- Many technical careers offer high-paying introductory level employment opportunities.

Steps to Get College Credit

1. Ask your high school teacher or counselor for a “petition for credit” form.
2. Bring this and a copy of your high school transcript to Alvin Community College when you are ready to enroll.
3. Tell the College admissions staff, counselor, or advisor that you took Tech Prep or statewide-articulated courses in high school.
4. Select an Associate in Applied Science (AAS) Degree plan.
5. The Tech Prep Coordinator will help you identify the college courses that are equivalent to the articulated courses you took in high school and send your petition to the registrar if you are eligible for credit.

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