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## **Welding for Skills Upgrade**

LOCATION	TIME	DAYS	TERM	<b>CLOCK HOURS</b>	FEE*
Moreno Valley High School Extension Campus, Moreno Valley	6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	M/W or T/TH	9 weeks	54	\$685

\*Program fee **DOES NOT** include enrollment prerequisites, program requirements, or required materials.

\*Schedules and fees are subject to change without notice.

### This program qualifies the student to take up to *four American Welding Society Certification exams at a qualified AWS Accredited Testing Facility (ATF)*. Instruction includes:

- Welding tasks using arc, metal inert gas (M.I.G.), tungsten inert gas (T.I.G.) and gas welding equipment.
- How to use various tools and measuring devices.

#### **Admission Requirements**

- Current government-issued photo ID.
- Social Security card.

#### **Program Requirements**

• Maintain a minimum 76% grade average and a 93% attendance rate.

#### **Qualification Test Record Certificate Requirements**

- Complete specified performance indicators.
- Practical certification panel.
- Written exam (entry-level welding exam).

#### Additional Information/Certification for Enrolled Students

Qualification Test Record earned may qualify you to sit for the following AWS Certification exams:

- SMAW Panel #1SMAW Panel #2
- FCAW Panel #1
- FCAW Panel #2

#### Where would I work?

- Welding shop.
- Specialty fabrication/manufacturing company.
- Structural and ornamental fabrication company.
- Specialty welding company.

#### What wages can I expect?

MEDIAN 2016 WAGES*					
	Hourly	Annually			
California	\$18.99	\$39,493			
Inland Empire	\$17.27	\$35,930			
*Data based upon Occupation Employment Statistics (OES) Survey Results for Welders, Cutters, Solders, and Brazers in California: www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov					

