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New: 8-Month Motive Power Fundamentals – Marine and Small Engine Repair



(Sault Ste. Marie, ON July 5, 2013) Sault College is preparing students to get their motor running this year in the Motive Power Fundamentals – Marine and Small Engine Repair program; a newly designed one-year post-secondary certificate program.

“Students, learning alongside apprentices, will gain unique hands-on training experience with outboard motors, inboard engines,

snowmobiles, personal watercraft, ATVs, snow blowers, lawnmowers, and a variety of other small engines,” notes Corey Meunier, Chair of Technology and Skilled Trades at Sault College.

“The program is designed to allow students to gain an enhanced experience by fully integrating themselves in the exciting field of marine and small engine types.”

The program was traditionally offered as a tuition-short 6-month offering and has been converted to an 8-month offering allowing students to obtain a one-year post-secondary certificate. Graduates of this program may pursue employment as a Small Engine Mechanic apprentice or Marine Engine Mechanic apprentice, entry-level positions in dealerships, marinas, parts, service, retail, and self-employment. Students will also be trained to identify, inspect and

test basic marine and small engine system problem, components and use a variety of test equipment and tools to support marine and small engine operation and maintenance.

To learn more about this program contact student recruitment at 705.759.2554 ext.2222. You may be eligible for free tuition under Second Career, Targeted Initiative for Older Workers (TIOW) or other sponsored program funding.

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About Motive Power Fundamentals – Marine and Small Engine Repair

This one-year post-secondary certificate program prepares individuals to pursue a career as a Small Engine or Marine Engine Mechanic or other entry-level positions in various Marine and Small Engine environments. Graduates of this program will have developed safe working practices in the use of tools and equipment that are used in the marine and small engine trade. Students will also learn to perform customer service functions, and to apply basic communication, documentation, information technology, and computer skills to support a marine and small engine work environment. Visit our website at www.saultcollege.ca/transport to learn more.

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