

2026–2027

Trades Program Schedule

Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair • Alaska Small Engines • Electrical
• Welding • Carpentry

All classes meet in person at NIT – Palmer, AK

How This Schedule Works

Each class meets biweekly (every other week) for a hands-on **Practical Session** (shop time) at NIT, on the recurring day and time shown for that class. Session dates for the current quarter are listed in full below, so families can plan ahead. Weekly **Office Hours** (held over Zoom) are also available every week for instructor questions.

Quarter 1 – Fall

August 17, 2026 – October 8, 2026

No classes: September 7, 2026 (holiday)

Automotive, Small Engines & Electrical

Class	Weekly Pattern	Session Dates
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 1 – Section A	Mondays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Aug 17, Aug 30, Sep 14, Sep 28
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 1 – Section B	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Aug 18, Sep 1, Sep 15, Sep 29
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 1 – Section C	Tuesdays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Aug 18, Sep 1, Sep 15, Sep 29
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 2 – Section A	Varies – see dates	Aug 24 (Mon, 1:00 – 5:00 PM), Sep 10 (Thu, 1:00 – 5:00 PM), Sep 21 (Mon, 1:00 – 5:00 PM), Oct 5 (Mon, 1:00 – 5:00 PM)
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 2 – Section B	Thursdays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Aug 27, Sep 10, Sep 24, Oct 8
Alaska Small Engines 1 – Section A	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Aug 19, Sep 2, Sep 16, Sep 30
Alaska Small Engines 1 – Section B	Wednesdays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Aug 19, Sep 2, Sep 16, Sep 30
Alaska Small Engines 1 – Section C	Thursdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Aug 20, Sep 3, Sep 17, Oct 1
Alaska Small Engines 2 – Section A	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Aug 25, Sep 8, Sep 22, Oct 6
Alaska Small Engines 2 – Section B	Tuesdays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Aug 25, Sep 8, Sep 22, Oct 6
Electrical 1 – Section A	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Aug 26, Sep 9, Sep 23, Oct 7
Electrical 1 – Section B	Wednesdays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Aug 26, Sep 9, Sep 23, Oct 7
Program Block	When	
Office Hours (Zoom)	Mondays 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM; Thursday 9/10 only, 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM	

Welding & Carpentry

Class	Weekly Pattern	Session Dates
Welding 1 – Section A	Mondays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Aug 17, Aug 30, Sep 14, Sep 28
Welding 1 – Section B	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Aug 18, Sep 1, Sep 15, Sep 29
Welding 1 – Section C	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Aug 19, Sep 2, Sep 16, Sep 30
Welding 2 – Section A	Thursdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Aug 20, Sep 3, Sep 17, Oct 1
Welding 2 – Section B	Varies – see dates	Aug 24 (Mon, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM), Sep 3 (Thu, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM), Sep 21 (Mon, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM), Oct 5 (Mon, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM)
Welding 3	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Aug 25, Sep 8, Sep 22, Oct 6
Welding 4	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Aug 26, Sep 9, Sep 23, Oct 7
Carpentry 1	Thursdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Aug 27, Sep 10, Sep 24, Oct 8

Program Block	When
Office Hours (Zoom)	Tuesdays 4:30 – 5:30 PM

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Quarter 2 – Fall

October 26, 2026 – December 17, 2026

Automotive, Small Engines & Electrical

Class	Weekly Pattern	Session Dates
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 1 – Section A	Mondays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Oct 26, Nov 9, Nov 23, Dec 7
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 1 – Section B	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Oct 27, Nov 10, Nov 24, Dec 8
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 1 – Section C	Tuesdays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Oct 27, Nov 10, Nov 24, Dec 8
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 2 – Section A	Mondays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Nov 2, Nov 16, Nov 30, Dec 14
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 2 – Section B	Thursdays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Nov 5, Nov 19, Dec 3, Dec 17
Alaska Small Engines 1 – Section A	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Oct 28, Nov 11, Nov 25, Dec 9
Alaska Small Engines 1 – Section B	Wednesdays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Oct 28, Nov 11, Nov 25, Dec 9
Alaska Small Engines 1 – Section C	Varies – see dates	Oct 29 (Thu, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM), Nov 12 (Thu, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM), Nov 25 (Wed, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM), Dec 10 (Thu, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM)
Alaska Small Engines 2 – Section A	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Nov 3, Nov 17, Dec 1, Dec 15
Alaska Small Engines 2 – Section B	Tuesdays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Nov 3, Nov 17, Dec 1, Dec 15
Electrical 1 – Section A	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Nov 4, Nov 18, Dec 2, Dec 16
Electrical 1 – Section B	Wednesdays, 1:00 – 5:00 PM	Nov 4, Nov 18, Dec 2, Dec 16
Program Block	When	
Office Hours (Zoom)	Mondays 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM	

Welding & Carpentry

Class	Weekly Pattern	Session Dates
Welding 1 – Section A	Mondays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Oct 26, Nov 9, Nov 23, Dec 7
Welding 1 – Section B	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Oct 27, Nov 10, Nov 24, Dec 8
Welding 1 – Section C	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Oct 28, Nov 11, Nov 25, Dec 9
Welding 2 – Section A	Varies – see dates	Oct 29 (Thu, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM), Nov 12 (Thu, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM), Nov 30 (Mon, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM), Dec 10 (Thu, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM)
Welding 2 – Section B	Mondays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Nov 2, Nov 16, Nov 30, Dec 14
Welding 3	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Nov 3, Nov 17, Dec 1, Dec 15
Welding 4	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Nov 4, Nov 18, Dec 2, Dec 16
Carpentry 1	Thursdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Nov 5, Nov 19, Dec 3, Dec 17

Program Block	When
Office Hours (Zoom)	Tuesdays 4:30 – 5:30 PM

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Quarter 3 – Spring

January 4, 2027 – February 25, 2027

Automotive, Small Engines & Electrical

Class	Weekly Pattern	Session Dates
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 1 – Section A	Mondays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 4, Jan 18, Feb 1, Feb 15
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 1 – Section B	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 5, Jan 19, Feb 2, Feb 16
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 2	Mondays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 11, Jan 25, Feb 8, Feb 22
Alaska Small Engines 1 – Section A	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 6, Jan 20, Feb 3, Feb 17
Alaska Small Engines 1 – Section B	Thursdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 7, Jan 21, Feb 4, Feb 18
Alaska Small Engines 2	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 12, Jan 26, Feb 9, Feb 23
Electrical 1	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 13, Jan 27, Feb 10, Feb 24
Electrical 2	Thursdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 14, Jan 28, Feb 11, Feb 25

Program Block	When
Office Hours (Zoom)	Tuesdays 4:30 – 5:30 PM

Welding & Carpentry

Class	Weekly Pattern	Session Dates
Welding 1 – Section A	Mondays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 4, Jan 18, Feb 1, Feb 15
Welding 1 – Section B	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 5, Jan 19, Feb 2, Feb 16
Welding 2 – Section A	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 6, Jan 20, Feb 3, Feb 17
Welding 2 – Section B	Thursdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 7, Jan 21, Feb 4, Feb 18
Welding 3	Mondays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 11, Jan 25, Feb 8, Feb 22

Class	Weekly Pattern	Session Dates
Welding 4	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 12, Jan 26, Feb 9, Feb 23
Carpentry 1	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 13, Jan 27, Feb 10, Feb 24
Carpentry 2	Thursdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan 14, Jan 28, Feb 11, Feb 25

Program Block	When
Office Hours (Zoom)	Tuesdays 4:30 – 5:30 PM

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Quarter 4 – Spring

March 22, 2027 – May 13, 2027

Automotive, Small Engines & Electrical

Class	Weekly Pattern	Session Dates
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 1	Mondays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 22, Apr 5, Apr 19, May 3
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 2 – Section A	Mondays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 29, Apr 12, Apr 26, May 10
Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair 2 – Section B	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 23, Apr 6, Apr 20, May 4
Alaska Small Engines 1	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 24, Apr 7, Apr 21, May 5
Alaska Small Engines 2 – Section A	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 30, Apr 13, Apr 27, May 11
Alaska Small Engines 2 – Section B	Thursdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 25, Apr 8, Apr 22, May 6
Electrical 1	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 31, Apr 14, Apr 28, May 12
Electrical 2	Thursdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Apr 1, Apr 15, Apr 29, May 13

Program Block	When
Office Hours (Zoom)	Tuesdays 4:30 – 5:30 PM

Welding & Carpentry

Class	Weekly Pattern	Session Dates
Welding 1 – Section A	Mondays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 22, Apr 5, Apr 19, May 3
Welding 1 – Section B	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 23, Apr 6, Apr 20, May 4
Welding 1 – Section C	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 24, Apr 7, Apr 21, May 5
Welding 2	Mondays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 29, Apr 12, Apr 26, May 10
Welding 3	Tuesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 30, Apr 13, Apr 27, May 11

Class	Weekly Pattern	Session Dates
Welding 4	Thursdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 25, Apr 8, Apr 22, May 6
Carpentry 1	Wednesdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Mar 31, Apr 14, Apr 28, May 12
Carpentry 2	Thursdays, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Apr 1, Apr 15, Apr 29, May 13

Program Block	When
Office Hours (Zoom)	Tuesdays 4:30 – 5:30 PM

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