

Pennsylvania College of Technology
Program Accreditations/Certifications/Recognitions/Endorsements
As of 3/20/2023

		original date earned	date(s) reaffirmed	expiration	date of next review/ reaffirmation	date of next periodic review report	deadline for next self study	
Pennsylvania College of Technology		Middle States Commission on Higher Education	1970	6/2022		2026	2029	
School Code	School of Business, Arts & Sciences							
BAS	Accounting BS (ACO, BSA) and AAS (AW, BA)	Accreditation: Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) ¹	2006	1/2023	2032	2032	9/2026	2026
BAS	Business Administration Banking & Finance Concentration (BBF) Concentration	Accreditation: Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) ¹	2006	1/2023	2032	2032	9/2026	2026
BAS	Business Administration Management Concentration (BBM/BMD)	Accreditation: Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) ¹	2006	1/2023	2032	2032	9/2026	2026
BAS	Business Administration Marketing Concentration (BBK)	Accreditation: Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) ¹	2006	1/2023	2032	2032	9/2026	2026
BAS	Business Administration (BUA/BUO)	Accreditation: Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) ¹	2006	1/2023	2032	2032	9/2026	2026
BAS	Business Administration Sport and Event Management Concentration (BBP)	Accreditation: Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) ¹	2006	1/2023	2032	2032	9/2026	2026
BAS	Business Management (BM, BO)	Accreditation: Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) ¹	2006	1/2023	2032	2032	9/2026	2026
BAS	Applied Management (BMA/BDM)	Accreditation: Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) ¹	2006	1/2023	2032	2032	9/2026	2026
BAS	Baking and Pastry Arts (BK)	Accreditation: American Culinary Federation Education Foundation Accrediting Commission (ACFEFAC) ¹	1997	6/2016	12/2022	May 1 annually		9/2021
BAS	Culinary Arts Technology (CY)	Accreditation: American Culinary Federation Education Foundation Accrediting Commission (ACFEFAC) ¹	1993	6/2016	12/2022	May 1 annually		9/2021
School Code	School of Engineering Technologies							
ET	Building Construction Technology (CB)	Endorsement: Pennsylvania Builders Association	1997	10/2020	6/2022	4/2022	n/a	3/2022
ET	Construction Management (BCM)	Accreditation: American Council for Construction Education Accreditation ¹ (ACCE)	7/2008	7/2019	7/2025		5/2022	11/2024
ET	Heating, Ventilation & Air Conditioning Technology (HV) (PH)	Accreditation: Partnership for Air-Conditioning, Heating, Refrigeration Accreditation (PAHRA)	8/2003	4/2018	4/2023	Fall 2022 or Spring 2023	n/a	Fall 2022 or Spring 2023
ET		Endorsement: Air Conditioning Contractors of America (ACCA)	2003					
ET	Heating, Ventilation & Air Conditioning Design Technology (BHD)	Accreditation: Partnership for Air-Conditioning, Heating, Refrigeration Accreditation (PAHRA)	8/2003	1/2012	4/2023	Fall 2022 or Spring 2023	n/a	Spring 2023
ET		Endorsement: Air Conditioning Contractors of America (ACCA)	2003	Continued until notified by ACCA				
ET	Diesel Technology (DD)	Accreditation: National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation (NATEF)	6/2004	4/2019	2024	2024	2024	2023
ET	Heavy Construction Equipment Technology: Technician Emphasis (HE) and Caterpillar Equipment Emphasis (CH)	Accreditation: Associated Equipment Distributors (AED)	2004	Fall 2019	7/2024	7/2024		2023
ET	Forest Technology (FR)	Accreditation: Society of American Foresters ¹	1990	Fall 2020	12/2024			Fall 2030
ET	Landscape/Horticulture Technology: Landscape Emphasis (LE)	Accreditation: National Association of Landscape Professionals (NALP)	2002	Fall 2017	12/2024	yearly report		2023
ET	Engineering CAD Technology (EN)	Endorsement: American Design Drafting Association (ADDA)	1997	9/2021	8/2022	Summer 2022	N/A	N/A
ET	Automated Manufacturing Technology (AF)**	Accreditation: National Institute of Metalworking Skills (NIMS)	2001	8/2022	8/2023	2024/2025	NA	12/2024

ET	Manufacturing Engineering Technology (BAF)**	Accreditation: National Institute of Metalworking Skills (NIMS)	2001	5/2020	5/2025	2024/2025	N/A	12/2024
ET	Machine Tool Technology (MY)**	Accreditation: National Institute of Metalworking Skills (NIMS)	2001	5/2020	5/2025	2024/2025	N/A	12/2024
ET	Civil Engineering Technology BS (BCT)	Accreditation: Accredited by the Engineering Technology Accreditation Commission of ABET ¹ , 111 Market Place, Suite 1050, Baltimore, MD 21202-4012	1999	9/2019	9/2025	1/2024	7/2024	7/2024
ET	Civil Engineering Technology AAS (CT)	Accreditation: Accredited by the Engineering Technology Accreditation Commission of ABET ¹ , 111 Market Place, Suite 1050, Baltimore, MD 21202-4012	1986	9/2019	9/2025	1/2024	7/2024	7/2024
ET	Surveying Technology (SU)	Accreditation: Accredited by the Engineering Technology Accreditation Commission of ABET ¹ , 111 Market Place, Suite 1050, Baltimore, MD 21202-4012	1994	9/2019	9/2025	1/2024	7/2024	7/2024
ET	Plastics & Polymer Engineering Technology (BPS)	Accreditation: Accredited by the Engineering Technology Accreditation Commission of ABET ¹ , 111 Market Place, Suite 1050, Baltimore, MD 21202-4012	1996	8/2019	9/2025	1/2024	7/2024	7/2024
ET	Plastics & Polymer Technology (PS)	Accreditation: Accredited by the Engineering Technology Accreditation Commission of ABET ¹ , 111 Market Place, Suite 1050, Baltimore, MD 21202-4012	2001	8/2019	9/2025	1/2024	7/2024	7/2024
ET	Welding (WE)**	Certification: American Welding Society (AWS) Test Facility	1997	5/2021	8/2022	7/2022	N/A	5/2022
ET	Welding and Fabrication Engineering Technology (BWE)**	Certification: American Welding Society (AWS) Test Facility	1997	5/2021	8/2022	7/2022	N/A	5/2022
ET	Welding and Fabrication Engineering Technology (BWE)**	Accreditation: Accredited by the Engineering Technology Accreditation Commission of ABET ¹ , 111 Market Place, Suite 1050, Baltimore, MD 21202-4012	2022		9/2024	7/2023	7/2023	TBD
ET	Welding Technology (WA)**	Certification: American Welding Society (AWS) Test Facility	1997	5/2021	8/2022	7/2022	N/A	5/2022
ET	Welding Technology (WA)**	Accreditation: Accredited by the Engineering Technology Accreditation Commission of ABET ¹ , 111 Market Place, Suite 1050, Baltimore, MD 21202-4012	2022		9/2024	7/2023	7/2023	TBD
ET	Automotive Technology Management (BAU)	Accreditation: Association of Technology, Management, and Applied Engineering (ATMAE) ¹	2005	11/2021	2027	9/2023		9/2023
ET	Automotive Service Technician (AM)	Accreditation: National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation (NATEF)	10/1988	4/2019	5/2024	2024	2024	2023
ET	Automotive Technology (AU)	Accreditation: National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation (NATEF)	10/1988	4/2019	5/2024	2024	2024	2023
ET	Automotive Technology/Ford ASSET (FA)	Accreditation: National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation (NATEF)	10/1988	4/2019			Program Discontinued	
ET	Automotive Technology/Honda PACT (AH)	Accreditation: National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation (NATEF)	11/2010	4/2019	5/2024	2024	2024	2023
ET	Automotive Technology/Mopar PAC (CG)	National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence (ASE Education Foundation)	5/2019	4/2019			Program Discontinued	
ET	Collision Repair Technician (CL)	Accreditation: National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation (NATEF)	5/1993	4/2019	5/2024	2024	2024	2023
ET	Collision Repair Technology (CR)	Accreditation: National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation (NATEF)	5/1993	4/2019	5/2024	2024	2024	2023
ET	Aviation Maintenance Technology (BAV)	Accreditation: National Center for Aerospace & Transportation Technologies	4/2008	4/2008		yearly/review	no prr	none

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Aviation Maintenance Technician (AC)	Certification: Federal Aviation Administration, approved under Title 14 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 147	1972			yearly/review	no prr	none
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ET	Aviation Technology (AD)	Certification: Federal Aviation Administration, approved under Title 14 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 147	1972			yearly/review	no prr	none
ET	Electronics & Computer Engineering Technology (BEE)	Accreditation: Accredited by the Engineering Technology Accreditation Commission of ABET ¹ , 111 Market Place, Suite 1050, Baltimore, MD 21202-4012	2022		9/2024	7/2023	7/2023	TBD
School Code School of Nursing & Health Sciences								
NHS	Dental Hygiene	Accreditation: The Dental Hygiene major is accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation. ^{1 2} The Commission is a specialized accrediting body recognized by the United States Department of Education. The Commission on Dental Accreditation can be contacted at (312) 440-4653 or at 211 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago, IL 60611-2678. The Commission's web address is: http://www.ada.org/117.aspx	12/1977	2/2019	2026	2026	N/A	2026
NHS	Nursing - RN to BSN Completion (BSN/BNA/BNG/BNV/BNU) Nursing – baccalaureate (BGN) Nursing – associate (NR) Nursing – associate, LPN to RN (NL/NLD) Nursing – associate, Practical Nursing (HN/PI)	All options approved by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN). 3390 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 1400 Atlanta, GA 30326 (404) 975-5000 View the public information disclosed by the ACEN at http://www.acenursing.us/accreditedprograms/programSearch.htm All options approved by the Pennsylvania Board of Nursing except for Nursing - RN to BSN completion. State Board of Nursing PO Box 2649 Harrisburg, PA 17105-2649 Phone: (717) 783-7142 Fax: (717) 783-0822 ST-NURSE@pa.gov https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/Nursing/Pages/Board-Approved-Nursing-Education-Programs.aspx	2003 1993 2019 2003	Spring 2016	10/2023	Fall 2023	Annual report due year in the fall.	Spring 2023
NHS	Nursing – masters, nursing education emphasis (MNE)	Accreditation: Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN) 3343 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 850 Atlanta, GA 30326 (404) 975-5000 http://www.acenursing.com/candidates/candidacy	2021*	N/A	12/2023	Fall 2023 will undergo site visit for initial accreditation	Annual report due each year in the fall once initial accreditation is received.	Spring 2023
NHS	Occupational Therapy Assistant (OC)	Accreditation: Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE) ^{1 2}	1988	4/2015			Accreditation Withdrawn - Voluntary	
NHS	Paramedic Science (SP) and Paramedic Practice (PX)	The paramedic curriculum (program) within the SP/PX major is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) upon the recommendation of the Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the Emergency Medical Services Professions (CoAEMSP) ¹	1979	3/2023	2028	2028	Annual report due each year in the spring	Fall 2027/Spring 2028

NHS		PA Department of Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services	1979	3/2023	2028	2028	Annal report due each year in the spring	Fall 2027/Spring 2028
NHS	Health Science: Prehospital Medicine Concentration (BPM)	The paramedic curriculum (program) within the BPM major is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) upon the recommendation of the Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the Emergency Medical Services Professions (CoAEMSP) ¹	1979	3/2023	2028	2028	Annal report due each year in the spring	Fall 2027/Spring 2028
NHS		PA Department of Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services	1979	12/2019	12/2022	2021		2021
NHS	Physical Therapist Assistant (TP)	Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education	10/2018		6/2024	Spring 2024	N/A	Summer 2023
NHS	Physician Assistant (PHA)	Accreditation: Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant (ARC-PA) ¹	1998 (Provisional 1996)	10/2017	N/A	2027		TBD
NHS	Radiography (RD)	Accreditation: Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRC-ERT) ^{1 2}	1974	9/2022	1/2026	2026		2025
NHS	Surgical Technology (SG)	Accreditation: The Penn College Surgical Technology major is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) ¹ (www.caahep.org) upon the recommendation of Accreditation Review Council on Education in Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting (www.arcstsa.org); Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs, 9355-113th Street, N. #7709, Seminole, FL 33775, (727) 210-2350	5/2006	9/2021	2031	December 2031	No later than 12/31/2031	n/a
NHS	Health Information Technology (HI)	Accreditation: Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics & Information Management Education (CAHIIM)	7/2001	7/2011			Inactive Status	
NHS	Health Information Management (BHI)	Accreditation: Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics & Information Management Education (CAHIIM)	3/2012				Inactive Status	
Children's Learning Center								
	Children's Learning Center	Accreditation: National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC)	1999	7/2022	12/2027			
Tutoring Center								
	Tutoring Center	Certification: College Reading and Learning Association	2000	8/2019	7/2024	6/2024	none	none
Penn College NOW								
	Penn College NOW	Accreditation: National Alliance of Concurrent Enrollment Partnerships (NACEP)	4/2011	5/2018	5/2025			2024

¹ Recognized by Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA)

² Approved by the U.S. Secretary of Education

*Candidate Status

**Delayed due to COVID-19

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