



OZARKS TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Industrial Welding Specialist (20-Week Welding) How to Apply

Admissions Overview:

The Industrial Welding Specialist (20-Week Welding) program is a selective admissions program. This means that after you apply to OTC and declare WLD as your major, you will need to go through an application process to get a spot in the next class. Classes begin every fall and spring (early August and early January). We use a points-based system for selecting applicants and once you have sent your contact information to 20weekwelding@otc.edu you will receive the current application information for review.

To Apply:

If you are interested in joining the next class of 20-week welding, please send an email to 20weekwelding@otc.edu with your name, phone number, preferred email, and any other pertinent information you would like to share. Applications will be open January 15 through May 15 for the fall class and August 1 through October 15 for the spring class. After the close of the application period we will tally the application scores and notify all applications of their status. You will receive a verification of receipt for all electronic submissions and you should inquire if you do not receive such. This is to ensure no applications are lost.

To apply, follow the steps below:

Step 1: Send your contact information to 20weekwelding@otc.edu to receive the current digital application packet.

Step 2: Review the 20-week welding FAQ, Application Process, and Student Copy of Application Rubric documents.

Step 3: Apply to OTC and begin working through your FASFA and other financial aid requirements.

Step 4: Send your drug screen, one-page essay, and any other supporting materials to 20weekwelding@otc.edu

Step 5: Monitor your OTC email account as all official communications must be sent there

Step 6: Send any questions you may have to 20weekwelding@otc.edu.