

## TEAU 1140 - Engine Repair (5 Credits)

### Course Description

The Engine repair course conforms to ASE/NATEF standards. In this course, you will work with both classroom instruction and hands-on lab training. You will evaluate the design and operation of internal combustion engines, diagnosis of engine operation, failure analysis of engine components, and complete engine machining and rebuilding procedures. When you have completed this course, you will be eligible to take the exam for ASE certification.

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### Course Objectives

- Diagnose internal engine failures.
  - Remove, repair/rebuild, and reinstall modern automobile engines.
  - Demonstrate a working knowledge of modern hybrid drive systems.
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### Course Outline

- Automotive Engines and Rebuilding
  - Theory of Engine Operation and Operating Systems
  - Factors Affecting Engine Performance and Materials
  - Engine Configurations, Intake and Exhaust Systems
  - Cylinder Heads
  - Camshafts, Valvetrains, and Timing Mechanisms
  - Engine Block Construction
  - Pistons, Rings, Connecting Rods, and Bearings
  - Alternative Fuel and Advanced Tech Vehicles
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### Textbook & Reading Materials

Cengage Unlimited (1 year subscription), Cengage

## Assignments and Assessments

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| Orientation   | Removing a Crankshaft Video   |
| Orientation Acknowledgement   | Removing Camshaft Bearings Video  |
| Syllabus  | ER 01 Identify and Interpret Engine Concern                                   |
| Remind Txt Group  | ER 02 Research Vehicle Information  |
| Student Contract  | ER 03 Verify Operation of IP & warnings                                       |
| Right to Know Agreement   | ER 04 Identify and Interpret Engine Concerns                                  |
| Engine Repair Job Sheet Checklist   | ER 05 Diagnosis Engine Noises and Vibrations                                  |
| COVID-19 Student Safety Agreement   | ER 06 Engine Vacuum Tests   |
| INTERNET USAGE POLICY   | ER 07 Diagnosis Excessive Oil Consumption                                     |
| Cleaning Expectations   | ER 08 Cylinder Power Balance  |
| Southwest Technical College Automotive Video Playlist                         | ER 09 Cylinder Compression Test   |
| Student Tool and Equipment Use Waiver   | ER 10 Cylinder Leakage Test   |
| Cell Phone  | Checkpoint Meeting Module 1   |
| Digital Lab Explanation   | End Module 1  |
| Module Breakdown  | Reading   |
| Module 1 Labs   | Cylinder Block  |
| Module 2 Labs   | Crankshaft  |
| Module 3 Labs   | Cam Lobe  |
| Module 4 Labs   | Chapter 12 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions                           |
| Module 5 Labs   | Chapter 12 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions  |
| Module 6 Labs   | Chapter 12 Short Answer Essays  |
| Module 8 Labs   | Chapter 12 Labeling Activity 1  |
| Cleaning Labs   | Chapter 12 Labeling Activity 2  |
| Cleaning Lab 1  | Chapter 12 Video 1 and Questions  |
| Cleaning Lab 4  | Chapter 12 Video 2 and Questions  |
| Cleaning Lab 3  | Chapter 12 Video 3 and Questions  |
| Cleaning Lab 2  | Reading   |
| Cleaning Lab 5  | Block Underside   |
| Reading   | Chapter 12 ASE-Style Review Questions   |
| Basic Engine Operation  | Chapter 12 ASE Challenge Questions  |
| Cylinder Head   | Chapter 12 Labeling Activity 1  |
| Engine Block  | Chapter 12 Labeling Activity 2  |
| Chapter 1 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions                            | Photo Sequence 26: Typical Procedure for Checking Main Bore Alignment         |
| Chapter 1 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions   | Chapter 12 Video 1 and Questions (Shop)                                       |
| Chapter 1 Labeling Activity   | Reading   |
| Chapter 1 Video 1 and Questions   | Engine Bearings   |
| Chapter 1 Video 2 and Questions   | Connecting Rod  |
| Chapter 1 Video 3 and Questions   | Chapter 13 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions                           |
| Reading   | Chapter 13 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions  |
| Identifying Safety Hazards  | Chapter 13 Labeling Activity 1  |
| Personal Safety   | Chapter 13 Labeling Activity 2  |
| Air Tools   | Chapter 13 Video 1 and Questions  |
| Chapter 1 ASE-Style Review Questions  | Chapter 13 Video 2 and Questions  |
| Chapter 1 ASE Challenge Questions   | Reading   |
| Photo Sequence 1: Typical Procedure for Lifting a Vehicle on a Hoist          | Installing Piston Rings   |
| Photo Sequence 2: Typical Procedure for Lifting a Vehicle on a Drive-On Hoist | Installing the Crankshaft   |
| Chapter 1 Video 1 and Questions (Shop)  | Chapter 13 ASE-Style Review Questions   |
| Chapter 1 Video 2 and Questions (Shop)  | Chapter 13 ASE Challenge Questions  |
| Chapter 1 Video 3 and Questions (Shop)  | Chapter 13 Labeling Activity 1  |
| Engine Stamping Video   | Chapter 13 Labeling Activity 2  |
| Removing a Piston Video   | Photo Sequence 28: Typical Procedure for Checking Main Bearing Oil Clearances |

Photo Sequence 29: Typical Procedure for Installing the Main Bearings and Crankshaft

Chapter 13 Video 1 and Questions (Shop)

Chapter 13 Video 2 and Questions (Shop)

Engine Block Cleaning Video

Installing Cam Bearings Video

Expansion Plug Video

Checking Bearing Clearance Video

ER 11 Verify Engine Mechanical Timing

ER 12 Remove Cylinder Head and inspect

ER 13 Inspect Camshaft Drives and Components

ER 14 Engine Block Disassembly

ER 15 Inspect Main and Connecting Rod Bearings

ER 16 Engine Block Inspection

ER 17 Inspect and Measure Cylinders

ER 18 Inspect Crankshaft

ER 19 Inspect and Measure Pistons

Checkpoint Meeting Module 2

End Module 2

Reading

Chapter 2 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions

Chapter 2 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions

Reading

Measurements

Using Scan Tools

Chapter 2 ASE-Style Review Questions

Chapter 2 Labeling Activity 1

Chapter 2 Labeling Activity 2

Photo Sequence 3: Typical Procedure for Reading a Dial Caliper

Photo Sequence 4: Typical Procedure for Reading a Micrometer

Chapter 2 Video 1 and Questions

Chapter 2 Video 2 and Questions

Reading

Chapter 8 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions

Chapter 8 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions

Chapter 8 Labeling Activity

Reading

Rebuilding Preparation

Remove Engine

Reconnect Engine

Pre-Oil an Engine

Chapter 8 ASE-Style Review Questions

Chapter 8 ASE Challenge Questions

Chapter 8 Labeling Activity 1

Chapter 8 Labeling Activity 2

Photo Sequence 18: Typical Procedure for RWD Engine Removal

Photo Sequence 19: Mounting the Engine on a Stand

Chapter 8 Video 1 and Questions

Chapter 8 Video 2 and Questions

Chapter 8 Video 3 and Questions

Chapter 8 Video 4 and Questions

ER 20 Inspect Pushrods, Rocker Arms & Pivots

ER 21 Inspect Hydraulic or Mechanical Lifters

ER 22 Cylinder Head Inspection

ER 23 Clean Inspect a Cylinder Head for Cracks

ER 24 Deglaze and Clean Cylinder Walls

ER 25 Bore Engine Cylinders

ER 26 Hone Engine Cylinders/Determine Taper

ER 27 Inspect and Identify Piston Problems

ER 28 Inspect, Measure and Install Piston Rings

Checkpoint Meeting Module 3

End Module 3

Reading

Pressure and Vacuum

Engine Cycle

Compression Ratio

Locating the VIN

Chapter 3 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions

Chapter 3 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions

Chapter 3 Image Labeling Activity 1

Chapter 3 Image Labeling Activity 2

Reading

Chapter 3 Video 1 and Questions

Chapter 3 Video 2 and Questions

Chapter 3 Video 3 and Questions

Chapter 3 Video 4 and Questions

Chapter 3 ASE-Style Review Questions

Chapter 3 ASE Challenge Questions

Chapter 3 Video and Questions

ER 29 Perform Common Fastener and Thread Repair

ER 30 Inspect Camshaft Runout

ER 31 Remove and Replace Piston Pin

ER 32 Install Freeze or Core Plugs

ER 33 Check Crankshaft End Play

ER 34 Check Crankshaft to Bearing Clearances

ER 35 Inspect and Service Auxiliary Balancer

Checkpoint Meeting Module 4

End Module 4

Chapter 9 Labeling Activity 4

Chapter 9 Video 1 and Questions

Chapter 9 Video 2 and Questions

Reading

Remove Cylinder Head

Disassemble and Remove Valve Assembly

Machining a Cylinder Head

Cylinder Head Valve Seat

Chapter 9 ASE-Style Review Questions

Chapter 9 ASE Challenge Questions

Chapter 9 Labeling Activity 1

Chapter 9 Labeling Activity 2

Chapter 9 Labeling Activity 3

Photo Sequence 20: Typical Procedure for Disassembling an OHC Cylinder Head

Chapter 9 Video 1 and Questions (Shop)

Chapter 9 Video 2 and Questions (Shop)

Chapter 9 Video 3 and Questions  
Chapter 9 Video 4 and Questions  
ER 36 Test and Inspect Valve Springs  
ER 37 Replace Valve Seals on an Assembled...  
ER 38 Inspect Valve Guides  
ER 39 Inspect Valves and Valve Seats  
ER 40 Valve Grinding  
ER 41 Valve Seat Cutting  
ER 42 Check Valve Face-to-Seat Contact  
ER 43 Check Valve Spring Installed Height  
ER 44 Inspect and Restore Threads  
Checkpoint Meeting Module 5  
End Module 5  
Reading  
Fasteners  
Gaskets  
Inspect Engine  
Chapter 6 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions  
Chapter 6 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions  
Chapter 6 Labeling Activity 1  
Chapter 6 Labeling Activity 2  
Chapter 6 Video 1 and Questions  
Chapter 6 Video 2 and Questions  
Chapter 6 Video 3 and Questions  
Reading  
Screw Extraction  
Internal Thread Repair  
Install Cylinder Heads  
Chapter 6 ASE-Style Review Questions  
Chapter 6 ASE Challenge Questions  
Photo Sequence 13: Removing a Broken Bolt and Using a Tap  
Photo Sequence 14: Replacing a Valve Cover Gasket  
Chapter 6 Video 1 and Questions (Shop)  
Chapter 6 Video 2 and Questions (Shop)  
Chapter 6 Video 3 and Questions (Shop)  
Reading  
Cam Lobe  
Overhead Camshafts  
Chapter 10 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions  
Chapter 10 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions  
Chapter 10 Labeling Activity 1  
Chapter 10 Labeling Activity 2  
Chapter 10 Labeling Activity 3  
Chapter 10 Video 1 and Questions  
Chapter 10 Video 2 and Questions  
Reading  
Valvetrain  
Installing a Camshaft  
Installing a Valve Spring Assembly  
Chapter 10 ASE-Style Review Questions  
Chapter 10 ASE Challenge Questions  
Chapter 10 Labeling Activity 1  
Chapter 10 Labeling Activity 2

Photo Sequence 22: Typical Procedure for Adjusting Valves  
Photo Sequence 23: Replacing Valve Seals on the Vehicle  
Chapter 10 Video 1 and Questions (Shop)  
Chapter 10 Video 2 and Questions (Shop)  
ER 45 Inspect Oil Pump and Oil Pump Drive  
ER 46 Inspect and Measure Camshaft Bearings  
ER 47 Inspect and Replace Camshaft Bearings  
ER 48 Install Cylinder Head(s)  
ER 49 Inspect and Replace Crankshaft Damper  
ER 50 Install Engine Covers Using Gaskets...  
ER 51 Inspect and Replace Camshaft Drive belt/chain  
ER 52 Adjust Valves, Pushrod Engine  
ER 53 Adjust Valves Overhead Cam Engine  
ER 54 Camshaft Timing and Cam Sensor Inde...  
ER 55 Assemble the Engine  
Checkpoint Meeting Module 6  
End Module 6  
Reading  
Performing a Power Balance Test Using a Scan Tool  
Performing a Cranking Compression Test  
Performing a Running Compression Test  
Plug Firing Voltage  
Factors to Consider When Diagnosing Noise and Vibration Concerns  
Chapter 5 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions  
Chapter 5 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions  
Chapter 5 Short Answer Essays  
Chapter 5 Video 1 and Questions  
Chapter 5 Video 2 and Questions  
Reading  
Dry and Wet Compression Tests and Results Analysis  
Chapter 5 ASE-Style Review Questions  
Chapter 5 ASE Challenge Questions  
Chapter 5 Image Labeling Activity  
Photo Sequence 11: Typical Procedure for Performing a Cranking Compression Test  
Photo Sequence 12: Typical Procedure for Performing a Cylinder Leakage Test  
Chapter 5 Video and Questions  
Reading  
Starting System Diagnostics  
Charging System Diagnostics  
Checking for Codes and Monitor Status  
Cooling System Inspection and Testing  
Oil Pressure Testing  
Starting System  
Lube System  
Cooling System  
Cooling Fan  
Combustion  
Chapter 4 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions  
Chapter 4 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions  
Chapter 4 Short Answer Essays  
Chapter 4 Image Labeling Activity 1

Chapter 4 Image Labeling Activity 2  
Chapter 4 Video 1 and Questions  
Chapter 4 Video 2 and Questions  
Chapter 4 Video 3 and Questions  
Chapter 4 Video 4 and Questions  
Chapter 4 Video 5 and Questions  
Reading  
Cooling pressure  
Chapter 4 ASE-Style Review Questions  
Chapter 4 ASE Challenge Questions  
Chapter 4 Image Labeling Activity 1  
Chapter 4 Image Labeling Activity 2  
Photo Sequence 5: StarterR +R  
Photo Sequence 7: Typical Procedure for Resetting the Engine Oil Life Indicator-  
Reminder  
Photo Sequence 8: Typical Procedure for Changing Engine Oil  
Chapter 4 Video and Questions  
ER 56 Inspect, Remove and Replace Engine Mounts  
ER 57 Remove and Reinstall FWD Engine  
ER 58 Remove and Reinstall RWD Engine  
ER 59 Check and Adjust Ignition Timing  
ER 60 Camshaft Run-in (break-in) Procedure  
ER 61 Inspect Auxiliary Oil Coolers  
ER 62 Inspect, Test and Replace Oil Switches  
ER 63 Oil and Filter Change  
ER 64 Perform Oil Pressure Tests  
Checkpoint Meeting Module 7  
End Module 7  
Reading  
Performing a Vacuum Test  
Intake System  
Forced Induction  
Superchargers  
Chapter 7 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions  
Chapter 7 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions  
Chapter 7 Labeling Activity 1  
Chapter 7 Labeling Activity 2  
Chapter 7 Labeling Activity 3  
Chapter 7 Video 1 and Questions  
Chapter 7 Video 2 and Questions  
Chapter 7 Video 3 and Questions  
Reading  
Vacuum Gauge  
Chapter 7 ASE-Style Review Questions  
Chapter 7 ASE Challenge Questions  
Chapter 7 Labeling Activity 1  
Chapter 7 Labeling Activity 2  
Photo Sequence 16: Typical Procedure for Inspecting Turbochargers and Testing Boost Pressure  
Chapter 7 Video and Questions  
Reading

Chapter 11 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions  
Chapter 11 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions  
Chapter 11 Short Answer Essays  
Chapter 11 Labeling Activity 1  
Chapter 11 Labeling Activity 2  
Chapter 11 Labeling Activity 3  
Reading  
Installing a Timing Set  
Chapter 11 ASE-Style Review Questions  
Chapter 11 ASE Challenge Questions  
Chapter 11 Labeling Activity  
Photo Sequence 25: Replacing Timing Chains on a DOHC Engine with Balance Shafts  
Chapter 11 Video 1 and Questions  
ER 65 Cooling System Tests  
ER 66 Identify Causes of Engine Overheating  
ER 67 Inspect, Replace, and Adjust Drive Belts  
ER 68 Cooling System Service  
ER 69 Inspect, Test and Replace Water Pump  
ER 70 Remove and Replace Radiator  
ER 71 Remove, Inspect, and Replace Thermostat  
ER 72 Inspect Fans and Cooling System Acc...  
Checkpoint Meeting Module 8  
End Module 8  
Reading  
General Hybrid Electric Vehicle Safety  
Preparing the HEV for Service  
Alternative Fuels  
Electric Vehicle Design  
Hybrid Systems  
Chapter 14 Multiple-Choice and True-False Questions  
Chapter 14 Fill-in-the-Blank Questions  
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Chapter 14 Labeling Activity 2  
Chapter 14 Video 1 and Questions  
Chapter 14 Video 2 and Questions  
Chapter 14 Video 3 and Questions  
Chapter 14 ASE-Style Review Questions  
Chapter 14 ASE Challenge Questions  
Chapter 14 Labeling Activity 1  
Chapter 14 Labeling Activity 2  
Checkpoint Meeting Module 9  
End Module 9  
Student Feedback  
End of Course Survey  
Engine Repair Competency Profile 2020  
Final Exam Review  
Final Exam  
Hands-on Engine Measurement

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*Subject to change. Please consult your Canvas course for the most current instructions and updates.*

## Classroom Hours

Mo, Tu, W, Th  
8:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Friday  
8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

For a full list of course hours visit: [Course Schedule](#)

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Office Hours: By appointment

Email is the preferred method of communication; you will receive a response within 24 hours during regular business hours.

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## Canvas Information

Canvas is the where course content, grades, and communication will reside for this course.

- [stech.instructure.com](https://stech.instructure.com)
- For Canvas passwords or any other computer-related technical support contact Student Services.
- For regular Hours and Weekdays call (435) 586 - 2899.
- For after Hours & Weekends call (435) 865 - 3929 (Leave a message if no response).

Course Policies

Class attendance is required, this is not an online course. Attendance is required during your scheduled time.

Grade Scale — A: 100 - 90%, B: 89 - 80%, F: 79% or lower.

Cell phones for many have become a distraction. When you are in class or lab we encourage you to keep your cell phones put away in a secure location. If you use ear buds we ask that you only use one so you can still hear the things going on around you. If you are using your phone for things other than school related items, instructors will ask you to put them away. Please follow the direction of your instructors. Those who have been asked to refrain from using your cell phone and fail to do so will be asked to meet with the Director of Transportation and student services will be notified.

The program is designed to provide the student with as much hands-on work as possible. In the automotive industry you may be required to lift heavy objects and stand for hours at a time to complete work required. Technicians deal with chemicals and materials which require caution, these will be identified in the Right to Know Agreement provided to you. You will also be required to use computers to track and complete work.

High School Power School Grades: Quarter student grades will be determined by student progress percentage. Faculty will use the higher percentage of either 1) quarter progress, or 2) cumulative progress for the current training plan year. The progress percentage will be used with the grading scale to determine the minimum grade. High School Grade Scale: The following grading scale will be used to determine a letter grade from the progress percentage:

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|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| • A : 94 - 100% | • B : 83 - 86%  | • C : 73 - 76%  | • D : 63 - 66%  |
| • A- : 90 - 93% | • B- : 80 - 82% | • C- : 70 - 72% | • D- : 60 - 62% |
| • B+ : 87 - 89% | • C+ : 77 - 79% | • D+ : 67 - 69% | • F : 0 - 59%   |

## Additional Information

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Accommodations: Students with medical, psychological, learning, or other disabilities desiring accommodations or services under ADA, must contact the Student Services Office. Student Services determines eligibility for and authorizes the provision of these accommodations and services. Students must voluntarily disclose that they have a disability, request an accommodation, and provide documentation of their disability. Students with disabilities may apply for accommodations, based on an eligible disability, through the Student Services office located at 757 W. 800 S., Cedar City, UT 84720, and by phone at (435) 586-2899. No diagnostic services are currently available through Southwest Technical College.

Safety and Building Maintenance: The College has developed and follows a variety of plans to ensure the safe and effective operation of its facilities and programs. The following plans are available online:

1) Facilities Operations and Maintenance Plan; 2) Technical Infrastructure Plan; and 3) Health and Safety Plan.

Withdrawals and Refunds: Please refer to the Southwest Technical College Refund Policy at: <https://stech.edu/students/policies/>

Any high school or adult student, who declares a technical training objective is eligible for admission at Southwest Technical College (Southwest Tech). Program-specific admissions requirements may exist and will be listed on the Southwest Tech website. A high school diploma or equivalent is not required for admission but is mandatory for students seeking Title IV Federal Financial Aid.

Non-Discriminatory Policy: Southwest Technical College affirms its commitment to promote the goals of fairness and equity in all aspects of the educational enterprise, and bases its policies on the idea of global human dignity.

Southwest Tech is committed to a policy of nondiscrimination. No otherwise qualified person may be excluded from participation in or be subjected to discrimination in any course, program or activity because of race, age, color, religion, sex, pregnancy, national origin or disability. Southwest Technical College does not discriminate on the basis of sex in the education programs or activities that it operates, as required by Title IX and 34 CFR part 106. The requirement not to discriminate in education programs or activities extends to admission and employment. Inquiries about Title IX and its regulations to STECH may be referred to the Title IX Coordinator, to the Department of Education, and/or to the Office for Civil rights.

If you believe you have experienced discrimination or harassment on our campus, please contact the Title IX Coordinator, Cory Estes: [cestes@stech.edu](mailto:cestes@stech.edu), (435) 865-3938.

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