# TECHNICIAN TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM















### Mercedes-Benz DRIVE

Advanced 16-week Mercedes-Benz Technician training program combining extensive Mercedes-Benz technical knowledge, customer service best practices and career preparation so you'll have what it takes to be successful on Day 1.

MB DRIVE's blended learning approach which consists of 90% workshop instruction and 10% traditional classroom lecture ensures that you'll gain hands on experience with Mercedes-Benz equipment and vehicles.

Upon Successful completion of the program and after just six short months of dealership experience, you will be a System Technician - a title that can take years to earn outside of MB DRIVE.

## Our Veterans

*A "Best or Nothing Apprenticeship"* – With GI Bill® Benefits Defined by Style, Powered by Innovation

Every Veteran participating in the MB DRIVE Registered Apprenticeship Program will recieve an accelerated career track, years' worth of training in just 16 weeks, and hands-on experience with Mercedes-Benz vehicles and equipments.

# You'll get...

- ✓ Years' worth of training in just 16 weeks!
- Hands-On experience with Mercedes-Benz vehicles and equipment





#### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What are the eligibility requirements to be considered for enrollment?

- ► U.S. Citizen or permanent resident with valid driver's license
- ► High School graduate or GED recipient
- Driving record acceptable to MBUSA
- Ability to work at an Authorized Mercedes-Benz dealership within three months of program graduation
- Willingness and ability to relocate for 4 months program and for post-graduation job
- Understanding of basic automotive concepts (ASE levels 1-6) highly recommended
- Previous workshop experience or strong hands-skills preferred

Is MB DRIVE a paid program?

Mercedes-Benz USA provides the tuition, tools, and equipment. However, student expenses including housing, food, etc. are paid for by the student.

Are there housing placement services available?

Yes, for the duration of the 16-week program, students are connected with local housing opportunities.

Are there any post-graduation commitments?

MB DRIVE Graduates are required to work at an Authorized Mercedes-Benz dealership for at least one year.

Are graduates guaranteed placement with a dealer?

While job placement is not guaranteed, over 90% of MB DRIVE graduates have been hired by an authorized Mercedes-Benz dealership to date. The connection to an Authorized Mercedes-Benz dealerships starts during the first month of the MB DRIVE program

Can an interested candidate be hired pre-program to guarantee employment?

Should a candidate be interested in finding a Technician position prior to applying for the MB DRIVE, they are welcome to inquire at their MB dealership of choice and ask to be sponsored for MB DRIVE by that dealership What is the recruitment process like?

Our recruitment process has several stages, including online and video interviews, skills assessments, personality test, background checks and a drug screen



You'll learn...

- ✓ Introduction to
  - Mercedes-Benz
- ✓ Disassembly
- ✓ Intermediate Electrical
- √ Career Development
- √ Diagnostic Strategies
- ✓ Engine Management Systems
- √ Brakes & Traction
- √ Suspension Systems
- √ Service & Maintenance
- √ Climate Control
- √ Telematics
- √ Strategies for Success

Do you think you have what it takes? Apply at www.MBUSAtechs.com

