Printers

At the end of this episode, I will be able to:

1. Identify key components of common printer types.

Exam Objective: 3.7 - Given a scenario, install and replace printer consumables.

Description: In this episode, we will discuss components of printers and various printer types. We will also talk about general maintenance for each printer type.

- Printer types
 - Laser
 - Print process
 - Processing
 - Cleaning
 - Charging (conditioning)
 - Exposing (writing)
 - Developing
 - Transferring
 - Fusing
 - Maintenance
 - Replacement toner
 - Maintenance kit

- Calibration
- Cleaning

Inkjet

- Ink cartridge
- Print head
- Roller
- Feed assembly
- Carriage belt
- Maintenance
 - Clean heads
 - Cartridge replacement
 - Clear jams

Thermal

- Feed assembly
- Heating element
- Thermal paper
- Maintenance
 - Replace paper
 - Clean heating element
 - Cleaning debris

Impact

- Print head
- Ink ribbon
- Tractor feed
- Impact paper
- Maintenance
 - Replace ribbon

- Replace print head
- Replace paper
- o 3D
 - Filament
 - Resin
 - Print bed