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## Career Exploration Overview Manufacturing Technician

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### **Why a career in industrial manufacturing?**

Careers in industrial manufacturing offer many opportunities to problem solve and work with your hands. As an entry-level industrial manufacturing technician, you'll operate industrial production-related equipment, work with manufacturing-related tools and perform work processes related to a wide variety of manufacturing settings.

### **What is my earning potential?**

The average manufacturing technician salary in Wisconsin is \$40,950 per year or \$21.00 per hour. Entry level positions start at \$35,100 per year while more experienced workers make up to \$60,000\* per year.

### **What are my possible career pathways?**

There are many different career paths you can pursue as an entry-level manufacturing technician. Some opportunities for new challenges and career growth include:

- Production Technicians
- Machine Operators
- Manufacturing Technicians
- Journey Level Industrial Manufacturing Technicians
- Process Operations Workers

\*Pay information from <https://www.talent.com/salary?job=Manufacturing+Technician&location=Wisconsin>





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## **What local employers are looking for manufacturing technicians?**

Participating in the Manufacturing Technician program at FVTC will provide the platform employers are seeking throughout the Fox Valley and beyond. Employers are looking for people who want to advance their careers in the manufacturing industry. FVTC and Goodwill can assist with employer connections at the onset of the technical training.

## **How much does the program cost?**

There is **no cost** to students who qualify for the program.

## **Who qualifies for the program?**

Individuals who have continued to face ongoing challenges and the lingering impact from the pandemic and who want to launch a lasting career. Contact us to see if you or someone you know may qualify and benefit from the program.

## **How do I learn more or get started?**

To learn more about the CareerEXCELerate Wisconsin program, apply to the program or refer a potential candidate:

- Visit [www.CareerEXCELerateWI.org](http://www.CareerEXCELerateWI.org) to complete an interest form
- Call 920-204-7002
- Or email [careerEXCELerateWI@goodwillncw.org](mailto:careerEXCELerateWI@goodwillncw.org)

Don't wait! Contact us today. Class sizes are limited.

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