

VACTE COURSE OFFERINGS

- The Valley Academy for Career and Technology Education (VACTE) is a public school district that works in partnership with Yavapai College and the high schools, charter schools, private schools, and home schools throughout the Verde Valley and Sedona to provide high school students with career focused courses where they can earn high school credits, college credits and industry recognized certifications.
- Classes meet Monday through Thursday, and require a few Friday and/or Saturday workdays.
- Classes meet for either morning sessions beginning at 7:00 a.m. or afternoon sessions beginning at approximately 1:30 p.m., allowing students time for their remaining high school requirements to be completed.
- Students must provide their own transportation to and from VACTE classes.
- VACTE pays the majority of expenses including college tuition, books, uniforms, and industry certification fees. Students
 must provide footwear, or other personal items, as required.

Certified Nursing Assistant	Culinary Arts	Construction	Fire Service
Teacher Training	Phlebotomy	Cosmetology	Law Enforcement

HVAC (Heating Ventilation Air Conditioning)

APPLICATION PROCESS FOR VACTE COURSES

- Obtain a VACTE application from your academic advisor or in your school's counseling office. Applications can also be found online at **www.vacte.com** or by calling the VACTE Office at 928-634-7131 Ext: 18.
- Complete the application and obtain parent/guardian signature.
- Return completed application to your academic advisor or the VACTE District Office.
- If you are applying for either CNA/phlebotomy or teacher training you will be required to take the Yavapai College placement exam(s). Schedule an appointment to take the exam(s) by contacting your academic advisor OR Yavapai College at 928-634-6561.
- After reviewing your application, a VACTE representative will contact you if you have been accepted into the program.
- Once notification of acceptance has been made, work with your academic advisor or a VACTE representative to "wish list" the appropriate Yavapai College classes. You must know your social security number in order to complete this process.
- Upon approval of your "wish listed" classes, you will register for the Yavapai College classes either with your academic advisor or a VACTE representative.
- Upon completion of all steps above, you are ready to begin the VACTE classes.



COURSE OFFERINGS 2025-2026

Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA)

One Semester Program (Junior/Senior) Morning and Afternoon Classes (recommendation that Phlebotomy be taken in opposite semester) Arizona Board of Nursing CNA Certification Class held at Verde Valley Medical Center - Cottonwood

Construction

One- to Two-Year Program (Sophomore/Junior/Senior) Morning and Afternoon Classes Up to 22 Yavapai College Credits OSHA 10, IVES Lifts, and NCCER Core and Level 1 Certifications Yavapai College Basic Carpentry Certificate - Year One Yavapai College Plumbing and/or Electrical Certificates - Year Two Class held at VACTE Campus - Cottonwood

Culinary Arts

One Year Program (Junior/Senior) (open to sophomores at Sedona Jr./Sr. High with counselor approval) Afternoon Classes Up to 16 College Credits ServSafe Certification Yavapai College Culinary Arts Fundamentals Certificate - Year One Class held at Yavapai College, Sedona Campus

Fire Service

One Year Program (Seniors Only) Morning Class Up to 18 Yavapai College Credits Hazardous Materials Certification, Wildland Certification and Fire Fighter 1 and 2 Certification Class held at Verde Valley Fire Training Center - Cottonwood

Phlebotomy

One Semester Program (Junior/Senior) Morning and Afternoon Classes (recommendation that Certified Nursing Assistant be taken in opposite semester) Up to 8 Yavapai College Credits Progress toward Yavapai College Phlebotomy Technician Certificate Class held at Yavapai College - Clarkdale Campus

Law Enforcement

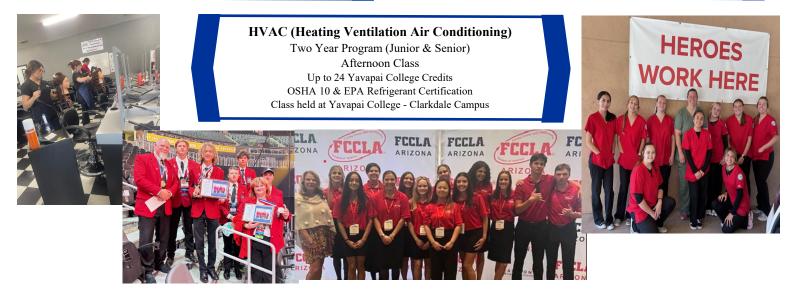
One- to Two-Year Program (Junior/Senior) Morning Class Up to 18 Yavapai College Credits Progress toward APCO-Public Safety, Telecommunication Dispatcher and Arizona Department of Public Safety Security Guard Certifications Class held at VACTE Campus - Cottonwood

Cosmetology (Hairstyling)

Two Year Program (Junior Only) 1000 Hours of Lecture and Client Services Hairstyling Equipment Fee : \$850 (\$500 1st yr. & \$350 2nd yr.) Students keep kit. Morning (1st yr.) & Afternoon Class (2nd yr.) Arizona Board of Cosmetology & Barber Certification Class Held at VACTE Cosmetology Center - Cottonwood

Teacher Training

One- to Two-Year Program (Junior/Senior) Morning Class (1st yr.) & Afternoon Class (2nd yr.) Up to 18 Yavapai College Credits Level 1 State Fingerprint, First Aid/CPR/AED, and Para-Professional Certifications Progress toward AAS in Elementary Education Degree and Bachelor of Arts Degree in Elementary and Secondary Education Class held at VACTE Campus - Cottonwood



The Valley Academy for Career and Technology Education seeks to have a diverse student body. The school does not discriminate in admissions, employment, or in any of its educational programs or activities on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin, ancestry, religion or religious creed, disability or handicap, gender, gender identity and/or expression, or sexual orientation.