

# Lake Area Technical Institute

Lake Area Technical Institute is an accredited public technical institute and is located in Watertown, SD. Lake Area Tech offers a variety of programs of study and serves over 1,200 students annually. Students may take advantage of services that range from a full time placement and Career Center office, financial aid, counseling, food service, bookstore and library. Many student activities and organizations are also available for student participation.

Lake Area Tech - It's your world.



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## Annual Costs

Tuition (per credit) ..... \$ 90.00  
 (Typical schedule is 17-18 credits/semester)  
**Departmental Fees**  
 (Dep. on program - range) ..... 700-1,144  
**Books, uniforms, tools**  
 (Dep. on program - range) ..... 400-4,600  
**TOTAL** (Excluding room, board)  
 (Dep. on program) ..... \$5,500-8,700

## Enrollment (Fall, 2009)

Men ..... 668  
 Women ..... 622  
 Total ..... 1,290

Student/Faculty Ratio ..... 15/1

## Accreditation

The Higher Learning Commission, A  
 Commission of the North Central  
 Association of Colleges and Schools.

## Admission Procedure

The following information is needed for admission:

- Completed application and \$20 fee. Applicants may apply online at [www.lakeareatech.edu](http://www.lakeareatech.edu).
- Official high school transcript or GED scores.
- ACT score or campus entrance test score.
- Official college transcripts, if applicable.
- OTA & PTA applicants must also submit a written essay. See website for details.

Upon acceptance, a \$25 acceptance fee and \$125 tuition deposit (\$150 total) is required to secure the applicant's position in the program.

Early applications are recommended for students who wish to secure admittance at the most desirable time.

## Programs Offered

### Agriculture

- Agri-Business Option
- Agri-Production Option
- Commodity Merchandising Option
- Dairy Option
- Environmental Option
- Large Animal Technician Option
- Precision Technology Option

### Automotive Technology

### Aviation Maintenance Technology

### Building Trades Technology

### Business Associate

- Fashion/Retail Merchandising Option
- Hospitality & Tourism Option
- Human Resource Associate Option
- Interior Business Design Option
- Marketing & Management Option
- Photography/Media Option

### Computer Information Systems

- Graphic/Web Developer Specialist
- Networking Specialist
- CISCO Networking Specialist
- Programming Specialist

### Cosmetology

### Dental Assisting

### Diesel Technology

### Diesel Technology – Think Big

### Drafting Technology

### Electronic Systems Technology

### Energy Operations

### Energy Technology

### Environmental Technology

### Financial Services

- Agri-Financial Services Option
- Business Accounting Option
- Consumer Financial Services Option

### Human Services Technician

- Child Development Option
- Developmental Disabilities Option
- Mental Health/Activity Technician Option
- Youth Offender Option

### Machine Tool Technology

### Med/Fire Rescue

### Medical Assisting

### Medical Lab Technician

### Nursing

### Occupational Therapy Assistant

### Physical Therapist Assistant

### Robotics

### Welding Technology

## Important Dates

### Visitation Days

Senior Tech Day ..... Nov. 4, 2010

..... Jan. 27, 2011

Junior Tech Day ..... Apr. 14, 2011

Scholarship Applications.....April 1, 2011

### Nursing Applications

.....Dec. 15, 2010

2011 Fall Semester Begins ..... Aug. 22

## College Codes

ACT Code ..... 4957

SAT Code ..... N/A

Financial Aid Code ..... 005309