

# WATER TREATMENT TECHNOLOGY

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Technicians
- Plant Operators
- Government Agencies
- Lab Analysis Technicians
- Sales within Water Industry



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**HIGH DEMAND FIELD!**

**Questions?**

**Contact:**  
**[admissions@nmcc.edu](mailto:admissions@nmcc.edu)**

## APPLICATION PROCEDURE

**The following procedures constitute the admissions process:**

1. Submit an NMCC application.
2. Submit official high school transcript and/or HiSET/GED scores (current senior's transcript should include completed ranking period grades).
3. Official college transcripts for applicants who have attended other post-secondary schools.
4. If SAT scores are not available, placement testing may be required.
5. Meet with an Admissions Counselor.
6. A campus tour is highly recommended.

## **PROGRAM PURPOSE**

The water treatment technology program will provide students a fundamental understanding of the scientific principles used to treat drinking water, as well as sanitize wastewater, before it is discharged back into the environment.

Students will learn industry theory and gain hands-on experience using laboratory exercises to better understand the information across the spectrum — from the basics to an in-depth study of water and wastewater treatment.

During the admissions process, students' information related to previous college courses and work-related experience will be evaluated for prior learning credit. Such evaluation may reduce the time for degree completion.

## **NMCC / SMCC COLLABORATION**

*The need for trained water treatment technicians across Maine and the United States is growing. In an effort to help alleviate the shortage in Maine, SMCC is partnering with NMCC to deliver both certificate and associate degree level water treatment technology training on the South Portland campus. While state of the art technology will enable students to access lectures from anywhere, hands-on laboratory-based exercises, under the direction of a qualified faculty member, will be held on the South Portland campus.*

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## WATER TREATMENT TECHNOLOGY

2023-2024

### Associate in Applied Science Degree Program

First Semester			C	L	CR
DRR	117	Blueprint Reading for Construction Trades	2	2	3
ENG	111	English Composition	3	0	3
> WTT	103	Introduction to Water Treatment Technology	3	0	3
> WTT	111	Water Treatment I	2	2	3
> WTT	113	Water Plant Operation	3	0	3
			13	4	15

Second Semester			C	L	CR
> CHM	201	Applied Sciences	2	2	3
MAT	121	Technical Mathematics	4	0	4
> WTT	120	Treatment Plant Safety	3	0	3
> WTT	201	Water Distribution Systems	2	2	3
> WTT	211	Water Treatment II	3	2	4
			14	6	17

Third Semester			C	L	CR
BIO	115	General Biology	3	2	4
> ELS	119	Introduction to Electronic Systems	1	2	2
> WTT	121	Wastewater Treatment I	2	2	3
> WTT	205	Wastewater Collection Systems	2	2	3
		Social Science Elective	3	0	3
			11	8	15

Fourth Semester			C	L	CR
COM	221	Technical Communications	3	0	3
> INS	110	Instrumentation & Process Controls	2	2	3
> WTT	124	Wastewater Plant Operation	3	0	3
> WTT	221	Wastewater Treatment II	3	2	4
		Humanities Elective	3	0	3
			14	4	16

Total Required 63

## DRINKING WATER

2023-2024

### Certificate Program

First Semester			C	L	CR
DRR	117	Blueprint Reading for Construction Trades	2	2	3
ENG	111	English Composition	3	0	3
> WTT	103	Introduction to Water Treatment Technology	3	0	3
> WTT	111	Water Treatment I	2	2	3
> WTT	113	Water Plant Operation	3	0	3
			13	4	15

Second Semester			C	L	CR
MAT	121	Technical Mathematics	4	0	4
> WTT	120	Treatment Plant Safety	3	0	3
> WTT	201	Water Distribution Systems	2	2	3
> WTT	211	Water Treatment II	3	2	4
			12	4	14

Total Required 29

## WASTEWATER

2023-2024

### Certificate Program

First Semester			C	L	CR
> ELS	119	Introduction to Electronic Systems	1	2	2
ENG	111	English Composition	3	0	3
> WTT	103	Introduction to Water Treatment Technology	3	0	3
> WTT	121	Wastewater Treatment I	2	2	3
> WTT	205	Wastewater Collection Systems	2	2	3
			11	6	14

Second Semester			C	L	CR
> INS	110	Instrumentation & Process Controls	2	2	3
MAT	121	Technical Mathematics	4	0	4
> WTT	120	Treatment Plant Safety	3	0	3
> WTT	124	Wastewater Plant Operation	3	0	3
> WTT	221	Wastewater Treatment II	3	2	4
			15	4	17

Total Required 31

> Major courses; a minimum grade of "C" or 2.0 is required  
Key: C= Class Hours, CR= Credit Hours, L= Laboratory

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