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Get to know **ADMISSIONS**



REGISTRATION INFORMATION

CONTINUING STUDENTS

Registration for Spring 2021 is now open! Class begins January 25 and **the final day to register is January 19.**

Please contact your faculty advisor to schedule an advising appointment. Class schedules can be reviewed online and can be registered via Register Blast with a personalized PIN.

NEW / FUTURE STUDENTS

Begin your path at BridgeValley by first applying online. Once accepted, you will be paired with a Freshman Advisor based on your major to help you register for classes.

For more information, email admissions@bridgevalley.edu or call (304) 205-6770 or (304) 205-6629 to speak with someone.

REMEMBER...

REGISTRATION DEADLINE

The final day to register for the spring semester is January 19.

NEED HELP REGISTERING?

Contact James McDougle, Dean of Students, via email at: james.mcdougle@bridgevalley.edu

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Get to know **FINANCIAL AID**



FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

WHAT IS FAFSA?

Students are encouraged to complete the FAFSA, or the Free Application for Financial Student Aid, annually to determine the amount and type of federal and state financial aid a student is eligible to receive. It is also required for students applying for the WV Invests Grant program.

For more information on applying for the FAFSA, please email finaid@bridgevalley.edu or visit bridgevalley.edu/financial-aid

FINANCIAL AID ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible to receive financial aid, students must be fully admitted to BridgeValley and enrolled in an eligible program, making Satisfactory Academic Progress as determined by the College, and must be a U.S. citizen, U.S. national, or an eligible non-citizen. A full list of requirements can be found online.

REMEMBER...

FAFSA SCHOOL CODE

BridgeValley's school code for the FAFSA is 040386

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Get to know **STUDENT SERVICES**



STUDENT SERVICES

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NEST Food Pantry.....	304.205.6746
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Programs of Study

- Accounting
- Advanced Manufacturing
- American Sign Language Interpreter
- Banking & Finance
- Board of Governors
- Brewing Operations
- Cardiac Sonography
- Chemical Operations
- Civil Engineering Technology
- Computer Maintenance and Networking
- Computer Management Information Systems
- Computer Science Technology
- Criminal Justice
- Cybersecurity and Networking Technology
- Dental Hygiene
- Diagnostic Medical Sonography
- Diesel Technology
- Early Childhood Education
- Electrical Engineering Technology
- Emergency Medical Services - EMT
- Entrepreneurship
- Finance
- General Studies
 - › Arts
 - › Sciences
 - › Elementary Education
 - › Business
- Health Sciences
- Healthcare Management
- Highway Engineering Technology
- Hospitality
- Human Services and Rehabilitation Studies
 - › General
 - › Addictions
 - › Youth Development
- Instrumentation Technology
- K9 Training & Kennel Management
- LPN to RN
- Management
- Marketing
- Mechanical Engineering Technology
- Mechatronics
- Medical Assisting
- Medical Coding
- Medical Laboratory Technology
- Nursing
- Office Administrator
- Paralegal Studies
- Paramedic to RN
- Process Technology
- Respiratory Therapy
- Technical Studies
- Veterinary Technology
- Web Design & Development Technology
- Welding Technology



Classes Begin Jan 25th, 2021

Accreditation:

BridgeValley Community and Technical College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission.

Admission Statement:

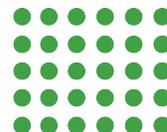
Any West Virginia resident with a high school diploma or a GED is eligible for admission to BridgeValley Community and Technical College. *Health-related programs require specific criteria for admission.

Non-Discrimination Statement:

BridgeValley Community and Technical College is an equal opportunity/affirmative action institution and does not discriminate against any person because of race, gender, sex, age, color, religion, disability, national or ethnic origin.

For more information:

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ACCOUNTING



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

BridgeValley's accounting curriculum is designed to provide students with the knowledge and skills necessary for employment and growth in the accounting profession. Students may also consider transferring to a four-year university to complete a higher-level degree in accounting.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS HLC

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Mark Wencel

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Accounting Firms
- Small Businesses
- Governmental Agencies
- Nonprofit Entities
- Other entry-level positions

JOB DEMAND

- 4% growth through 2028
- Median pay is higher than average for two-year degrees

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AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

The brand new American Sign Language Interpreter program is a partially online degree designed to prepare students to be proficient in American Sign Language and Interpreting through formal classroom instruction, small group practice, and practical experiences. This program prepares students to take the state certification exam, qualifying students to interpret in a variety of educational, medical, legal, and governmental venues.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

GRADUATION RATE New Program

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Amanda Martin

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CAREER /JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- ASL Interpreter Consultant
- Educational Interpreter
- Video Relay Service Provider
- Medical Interpreter
- Community Interpreter

JOB DEMAND

- 19% growth nationally
- ASL Interpreting is expected to grow faster than national average and WV needs will increase

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BREWING TECHNOLOGY



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Brewing Technology is a new dynamic program that is designed to meet the needs of West Virginia's craft brewing industry and the needs of each student. The program takes a hands-on approach, teaching students the science and art that drives the brewing industry in West Virginia.

DEGREE TYPE	Associate of Applied Science
GRADUATION RATE	New Program
ACCREDITATIONS	Higher Learning Commission
WV INVESTS	Eligible
DEPARTMENT CHAIR	Michael Parsons
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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Craft Brewer
- Craft Brewery Owner/Manager
- Craft Beverage Distributor
- Cellar Worker
- Craft Brewer Marketer

JOB DEMAND

- 135% job growth 2010-2016
- The rapid demand for craft beer has led to the sustained growth of craft breweries and workers

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CIVIL ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Civil Engineer Technologists are involved in all aspects of planning, design, and construction of both public and private infrastructure projects including highways, bridges/culverts, retaining and noise walls, dams, utilities, and more. Our hands-on program prepares graduates for real-life situations, advanced degrees, and is located on the Montgomery campus.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Science

ACCREDITATIONS ABET

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Robert Amos

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Drafters
- Bridge Inspectors
- Surveyors
- Mapping Technicians
-and more!

JOB DEMAND

- 5% growth through 2028
- One of the highest median annual wage professions with an associate degree

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COMPUTER SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

BridgeValley offers two program tracks to choose from: Software Development and Web Design. **Software Developers** create or maintain programs and systems for business, industry, healthcare, education, and more. The **Web Design** program prepares students for employment in all areas of web design, either working with a company or as an entrepreneur. Many students are able to complete both degrees with only an extra partial semester of courses.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Bob Hayton

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Software Developer
- Web Design
- Both paths were ranked as the highest paying fields for Associate Degrees in 2019

JOB DEMAND

- 21% growth for Software Developers, through 2028
- 13% growth for Web Developers, through 2028

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CRIMINAL JUSTICE



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

At BridgeValley, students will explore and understand the three components of the criminal justice system: police, courts, and corrections. Students will also study the juvenile justice system and the extent and causes of crime among juveniles and adults. Criminal Justice is an exciting and interesting discipline that can lead to attractive and worthwhile careers.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

GRADUATION RATE 75%

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Deborah McDaniel

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Law Enforcement
- Corrections and Jails
- Juvenile Facilities
- Day Report Centers
- Courts and Legal Offices

JOB DEMAND

- 8% growth
- Criminal Justice is a fast-growing field and employment opportunities after graduation are very probable.

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CULINARY ARTS



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Restaurants are a driving force in our economy, providing jobs and allowing thousands of people to build careers. This degree will provide the student basic and advanced skills and practice to excel in a career in food. Components of the program include hands-on food preparation, nutrition, cost and menu planning, supervisory theory, and how to start your own business.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS HLC

WV INVESTS Pending

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Chef Jim Carlo

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CAREER /JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Prep or Line Cook
- Sous Chef
- Restaurant Chef
- Caterer
- Start your own business

JOB DEMAND

- 7.3% growth through 2029
- 6% faster than average growth
- \$2.8 billion in estimated sales in WV restaurants in 2018

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CYBERSECURITY AND NETWORKING



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Computer Network Support Specialists work with a wide variety of computer and networking systems, dealing with installation configuration and maintenance of networks, computers, software and operating systems. Computer Network Support Specialist is one of the highest paying associate level careers according to USA Today and certifications can be obtained in CCNA, CCNA Cyber Ops, and A+.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS Cisco Academy

WV INVESTS Eligible

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- IT Consultants
- Network Engineer/Specialist
- Network Technical Analyst
- Network Support Specialist
- Systems Specialist

JOB DEMAND

- 10% growth nationally projected from 2018-2028
- Employment rates are projected to grow 24% from 2018 to 2028

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DENTAL HYGIENE



 **PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS**

Our Dental Hygiene program is designed to prepare students for a career in dental hygiene with emphasis on clinical practice and future baccalaureate studies. The program is located on the Montgomery campus with a state-of-the-art clinical facility.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Science

ACCREDITATIONS American Dental Association
Commission on Dental Accreditation

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Michelle G. Klenk, RDH, EdD
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 **CAREER / JOB**

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Private Dental Practices
- Education
- Public Health
- Research
- Sales
- Bachelor's/Master's preparation

JOB DEMAND

- 100% job placement for program graduates
- 6% job growth through 2028

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DIESEL TECHNOLOGY



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Diesel technicians inspect, repair, or maintain any type of diesel engine including electrical and exhaust systems. Our hands-on program will show students how to use a variety of power and machine tools while also providing direct experience on and how to diagnose and fix engine problems.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS HLC
ASE Certification Proctoring

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Joe Young

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Heavy Equipment Dealerships
- Truck Stop and Depot Services
- Own your own business
- Small Engine Diesel Mechanic
- DOH or National Guard
- Government employers or contractors
- Local garages or dealerships

JOB DEMAND

- 5% growth through 2028

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ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

The AS-EET degree is a two-year program that provides engineering technicians skilled in electronics, power generation and distribution, communications, instrumentation, and other fields to meet the demands of local industry. The program provides a broad background in electricity, electronics, communications, industrial control, and electrical machinery.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS ABET

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Andy Ferrell

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Manufacturing
- Energy
- Telecommunication
- Health Sectors

JOB DEMAND

- 7% growth through 2028
- \$65,260 median annual wage
- 11th highest paying career with a two-year degree

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ELEMENTARY EDUCATION GENERAL CONCENTRATION



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

The General Education Concentration in Elementary Education is a transfer degree that focuses on completing the general education and foundational elementary education courses before students move to a baccalaureate institution via a 2+2 articulation to complete their BA degree. Students will have opportunities to gain practical experience in an elementary education classroom.

DEGREE TYPE

Associate of Arts
2+2 Transfer

WV INVESTS

Ineligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR

Judy Whipkey

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CAREER /JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- K-5 Teacher in schools
- Instructional coordinator
- Training specialist
- Instructional designer
- Admissions counselor

JOB DEMAND

- 2% growth nationally
- 8% growth in West Virginia
- 510 annual job openings in West Virginia

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ENTREPRENEURSHIP



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

The Entrepreneurship Certificate is designed to develop a student's ability to innovate and create while delivering the skills needed to launch and run a small business. In addition, this program provides valuable business skills that can be applied to other career opportunities.

DEGREE TYPE	Certificate
GRADUATION RATE	Revised Program
ACCREDITATIONS	HLC
WV INVESTS	Eligible
DEPARTMENT CHAIR	Taylor Alton, MBA
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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Own your own business
- Business Manager
- Business Consultant/Sales

JOB DEMAND

- 32% growth through 2029
- WV small businesses employ 49.2% of the private workforce*
- The medium income of small business owners is \$45,060
- *In 2016 and 2017, respectively*

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HEALTHCARE MANAGEMENT



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Healthcare Management is a degree that provides students with the perfect blend of business and healthcare. Upon completion, students are prepared for a future on the business side of a healthcare organization. The program covers healthcare business strategy, healthcare law, healthcare quality, patient safety, and accounting principles.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS HLC
ACBSP

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Liesa Kyer

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Business owner
- Hospital business office
- Long-term care/Assisted Living facility business office
- Home Health agency office
- Health and Human Resources
- Small physician practice manager or coordinator

JOB DEMAND

- 32% growth through 2028

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HOSPITALITY



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

BridgeValley's brand new Hospitality program emphasizes how to improve your role in the hospitality industry by developing strategies that can be applied in the workplace using hands-on experiences. The program covers a wide range of content from food service and event planning to hotel practices and tourism.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

GRADUATION RATE New program for 2020!

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Jessica Wagner

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Event Planner/Coordinator
- Catering Manager/Owner
- Hotel Manager/Owner
- Resort and Casino Management
- Tourism Industry

JOB DEMAND

- 43.75% job growth
- Rapid growth in tourism and hospitality industry in West Virginia with \$4.3 billion in direct spending

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HUMAN SERVICES & REHABILITATION STUDIES



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

The HSRS Department provides students with a multi-phasic, transdisciplinary learning opportunity. Program objectives focus on Substance Use Disorders, Serious Mental Illness, and Serious Emotional Disturbances in youth and adults. Focus areas include at-risk youth, developmental disabilities and learning disorders, childhood psychiatric disorders, and more.

DEGREE TYPE Associate and Certificate

CONCENTRATIONS Addictions Counseling
Youth Development

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Ashley Lewis

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Classroom aides/assistants
- Youth Development Specialist
- Psychiatric Rehabilitation Practitioner
- Board Certified Human Services Practitioner
- Juvenile corrections and rehabilitation positions

JOB DEMAND

- 16% job growth through 2026

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K9 TRAIN THE TRAINER AND KENNEL MANAGEMENT



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

In this new fun program, trainers teach animals a variety of skills such as obedience, performance, security, and assisting people with disabilities. They familiarize animals with human voices and contact, and they teach animals to respond to commands. Graduates may operate kennels for boarding or doggie day care offering basic vet care and grooming.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS Higher Learning Commission

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Mike Kordusky

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CAREER /JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Own your own business
- Retail/Selling trained dogs
- Animal Shelters
- Pet Stores
- Veterinary Clinics

JOB DEMAND

- 16% growth through 2028
- This field is expected to see a much faster growth rate than similar program fields

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MANAGEMENT



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

BridgeValley's degrees in management are designed to provide students with the knowledge and skills needed to adapt in a rapidly changing, dynamic, and competitive global marketplace. The program prepares students for a management position in a variety of industries and will provide skills and knowledge to help advance your existing career.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS HLC
ACBSP

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Jeffrey E. Finch, MBA
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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Business owner
- First Line Supervisor
- Human Resources personnel
- Business management
- Transfer to 4-year university

JOB DEMAND

- 6% growth rate through 2029, much higher than average
- Higher than the job market average of 3.9%

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MARKETING



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Marketing has become an important component of business. As a part of marketing, advertising and sales perform valuable functions for both society and the individual firm. Students who choose a career in this field must possess knowledge, motivation, dedication, and integrity. Employment opportunities exist in industrial, wholesale, and retail areas.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS HLC
ACBSP

WV INVESTS Eligible

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CAREER /JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Market Research
- Brand Management
- Advertising
- Promotions
- Public Relations
- Transfer to 4-year university

JOB DEMAND

- 7% growth rate through 2028
- Higher than the job market average of 3.9%

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MEDICAL ASSISTING



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

The Medical Assisting program is a one-year program with three potential certifications: Medical Assisting, Phlebotomy, and EKG Tech. Delivery is a mixture of online classes, hands-on skills labs and clinical rotations offering a flexible schedule for all.

DEGREE TYPE	Associate and Certificate
GRADUATION RATE	100%
ACCREDITATIONS	National Healthcareer Association (NHA)
WV INVESTS	Eligible
DEPARTMENT CHAIR	Krista Wiseman
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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Certified Clinical Medical Assistant (CCMA)
- Registered Medical Assistant (RMA)
- Medical Assistant (MA)
- Medical Office Assistant

JOB DEMAND

- 23% growth through 2028
- Jobs are available in a variety of settings and all geographical areas.

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MEDICAL CODING



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

This program is designed for employment as medical coders/billers at physician offices, hospitals, VA, and healthcare insurance companies. Participating in the Directed Practicum course gives students valuable job experience and exposure to potential employers.

DEGREE TYPE	CAS
GRADUATION RATE	100% in 2018 and 2019
ACCREDITATIONS	ACBSP
WV INVESTS	Eligible
DEPARTMENT CHAIR	Maggie McCabe
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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Hospitals and Nursing Homes
- Physician Offices
- Healthcare Insurance
- Veterans Administration facilities
- Dentist Offices

JOB DEMAND

- Steady reliable growth
- Excellent job placement and certification exam pass rate with our program

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MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNOLOGY



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

We do science for a living! The MLT class at BridgeValley is small, offering personalized hands-on instruction and clinical rotations in the local hospitals and culminating a successful certification exam pass rate and job placement. Our students are highly recruited for opportunities and advanced degrees.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

GRADUATION RATE 95.5% (2019-2020 average)

ACCREDITATIONS NAACLS

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Ruth Jacobs

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Hospital laboratories
- Private laboratories
- Medical lab equipment sales
- Forensics or Medical Marijuana lab testing, with additional training

JOB DEMAND

- 11% growth
- The Medical Laboratory Technology field has a faster than average job growth

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**NURSING, LPN-RN
AND PARAMEDIC-RN**



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

BridgeValley's nationally accredited two-year nursing program prepares its graduates for the licensure examination and pursuance of advanced degrees to meet the demand for competent and skillful Registered Nurses. There are two program options: Traditional and Advanced Placement (option for LPNs and Paramedics).

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN)

WV INVESTS Eligible

DEPARTMENT CHAIR Rhonda White, MSN RN
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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Registered Nurse (RN)

JOB DEMAND

- 12% job growth through 2028
- One of the most important and diverse components of the complex American healthcare system
- Opportunities to pursue advanced degrees and certifications, such as Advanced Practice Registered Nurses (APRN)

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OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

The Office Administrator program is a one-year program that provides students with training for today's high-tech office as well as a strong background in office-related skills, including an internship at an area business. Students can earn up to four Microsoft Office Specialists certifications and the program is over 95% online at your convenience.

DEGREE TYPE Certificate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS ACBSP

WV INVESTS Eligible

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Administrative Assistant
- Legal Secretary
- Project Coordinator
- Bill and Account Collectors
- Bookkeeping/Auditing Clerk

JOB DEMAND

- 5% growth through 2028
- Jobs are available in a variety of settings and in all geographical areas

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PARALEGAL STUDIES



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Paralegals assist attorneys in preparing legal documents, interviewing clients, and preparing cases for trial. Paralegals are also instrumental in ensuring efficient communication with court personnel, other attorneys, and clients.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS Higher Learning Commission
ACBSP

WV INVESTS Eligible

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CAREER /JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Independent Contract
- Conduct research
- Paralegal for State, Federal, or Private sector
- Law Librarian
- Court Clerk

JOB DEMAND

- 10% faster than average
- Always in demand!

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PROCESS TECHNOLOGY



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

This program achieves the ideal balance between classroom lectures and hands-on laboratory experiences. Students have the opportunity to fully control a lab scale glass distillation column, operate a full-sized training unit, and start up, shut down, and troubleshoot process simulations.

DEGREE TYPE Associate and Certificate

ACCREDITATIONS CAPT
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WV INVESTS Eligible

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Chemical Plant Technician
- Chemical Plant Operator
- Refinery Operator
- Refinery Technician
- Apprenticeships

JOB DEMAND

- Slow and steady growth
- Chemical Manufacturers and Refineries in WV actively seek applicants with a PTEC degree

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SONOGRAPHY



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Sonographers play a key role in the healthcare team. They are highly skilled professionals that provide diagnostic techniques under the supervision of a licensed physician. Specialties include General, Cardiac, and Vascular Technology.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS Committee on Accreditation of Allied Health Programs and Joint Review Committee on Education in Diagnostic Medical Sonography

WV INVESTS Eligible

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Hospitals
- Outpatient Care Centers
- Physician Offices
- Medical and diagnostic labs
- Research, Applications, and Sales

JOB DEMAND

- 14% job growth through 2028
- Fast than average growth
- Increased growth in rural and urban areas nationwide

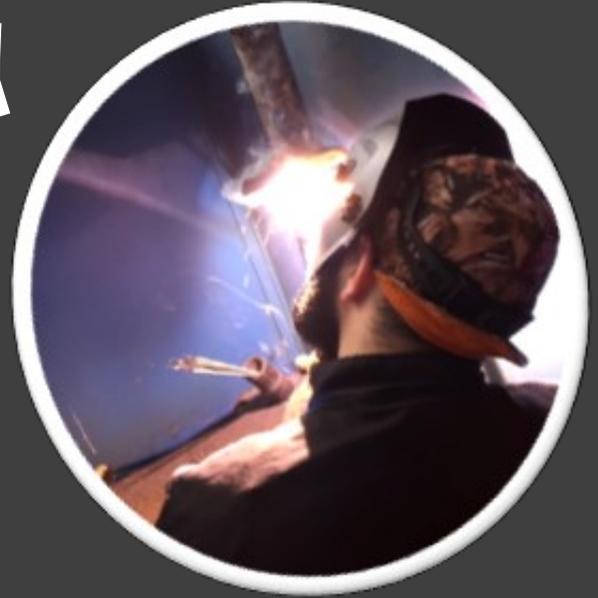
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WELDING TECHNOLOGY



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Welders and cutters study blueprints, sketches, calculate the dimensions of parts to be welded, inspect structures or materials to be welded, ignite torches or start power supplies, and monitor the welding process to avoid overheating. Welding is used in a variety of industries including ship building, auto repair, aerospace, and pipelines.

DEGREE TYPE Associate of Applied Science

ACCREDITATIONS Higher Learning Commission
Multiple Certifications

WV INVESTS Eligible

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CAREER / JOB

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Manufacturing Welders
- Metal Fabricating
- Own your own business
- Welding Inspector
- Bridge Welders

JOB DEMAND

- 7% growth
- Key growth is projected in infrastructure repairs and defense ship building

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