



**NORTHEAST IOWA
COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

JOHN DEERE TECH | CALMAR

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Program Highlights

- In addition to classroom lectures, you will participate in hands-on lab experiences and receive six months on the job training.
- Graduate with Hydraulics, Electrical and Service Advisor certificates endorsed by the John Deere company.
- Master the use of computer diagnostics, high-tech electronics and proprietary John Deere systems.



John Deere Dealer Sponsor

Applicants are required to complete a sponsorship interview with an authorized John Deere Dealer Representative. Upon dealer approval, the student must submit the completed Dealer Approval form, found on the back of this sheet, to the Northeast Iowa Community College Admissions Office. Acceptance to the program will not be granted until all admission requirements are satisfied.

Admission Requirements

- Complete an application for admission at nicc.edu/apply
- Secure a John Deere dealer sponsor.

Send Transcripts

If applicable, send the following to the Admissions Office: admissions@nicc.edu

- Official high school transcript or a copy of your high school equivalency diploma (HSED).
- Official college and military transcripts.
- Advanced Placement and CLEP examination results.

PROGRAM COSTS	John Deere TECH
Tuition/Fees	\$18,148 in-state* \$20,755 out-of-state*
Tool Fee	\$7,500 - \$9,000
Certification Fee	\$20
Additional Lab Supply and Resource Fees	\$90
Books	\$1,200
TOTAL	\$26,958 - \$28,458 in-state \$29,565 - \$31,065 out-of-state

*The costs above are provided as a guide to financing your education. The costs provided are estimated at time of publication and do not reflect the exact cost a student may incur.
* Based on the 2024-2025 tuition and fee rates.*

Learn More

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JOHN DEERE DEALER SPONSOR

Sponsor Interview

The purpose of the dealer sponsorship is to provide on-the-job training for students. The dealer sponsorship and student relationship is much like an employer/employee relationship. Treat your sponsorship interview like a job interview. The dealer will be looking for qualities and skills they would like to see in a future employee.

Education and Experience

Prior training or experience is not essential for success in the John Deere TECH program, but may be valuable in certain instances.

Scholastic Aptitude

Dealers will want to learn more about your academic success.

Please provide a copy of your high school transcript and other academic achievements to show your potential to complete the John Deere TECH degree requirements.

Commitment

John Deere TECH is approximately two years in length and you must be willing to make a commitment to complete all required courses and supervised occupational experiences.

Career Interest

Highlight your interest to be a reliable and knowledgeable John Deere TECH. The dealer is looking for someone they can see meeting their customer needs.

John Deere TECH | Dealer Approval Form

Applicant Name: _____ Telephone: (____) - _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

I recommend this applicant for the John Deere TECH program and agree to provide sponsorship.

I DO NOT recommend this applicant for the John Deere TECH program.

Dealership: _____ Telephone: (____) - _____

Dealer Representative: _____ Title: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

I understand I must successfully complete coursework through Northeast Iowa Community College in order to maintain my eligibility for the cooperative requirements at my sponsoring dealership. I also understand the College must communicate relevant information about my academic process with my dealership to insure I remain eligible to complete this sponsorship program. I hereby grant permission to Northeast Iowa Community College to share copies of any transcripts, pre-admission assessment results, interview data, college grades, attendance information, academic progress reports and student account statements and information with my sponsoring dealership and their related corporations or companies.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Return this completed form to:
Northeast Iowa Community College
Attn: Admissions Office
P.O. Box 400
Calmar, IA 52132

Northeast Iowa Community College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission (HLC). It is the policy of Northeast Iowa Community College not to discriminate in its programs, activities, or employment on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, creed, religion, and actual or potential family, parental or marital status. If you have questions or complaints related to compliance with this policy, please contact the Executive Director of Human Resources or Executive Director for Risk Management at 844.642.2338 or equity@nicc.edu. All information is accurate at time of publication and is subject to change without notice.