

THE CAREER ACADEMY

AT ELLA T. GRASSO
TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

189 FORT HILL ROAD
GROTON, CT 06340



DIGITAL MEDIA

Ella T. Grasso Technical High School, part of the Connecticut Technical Education and Career System, is offering a limited number of seats for grade 10 and 11 students to participate in a 2-year, accelerated-training certificate program in **Digital Media**. This program allows students to earn specialized training in a high-demand skilled-trade area. The technical skills acquired in this program will help make students employable in numerous aspects of digital media.

PROGRAM INFORMATION

- Earn industry-recognized credentials & specialized training: *Adobe Certified Associate - Premiere; Adobe Certified Associate - Photoshop; OSHA 10 (CFR-1910) General Industry*
- Convenient schedule
- Hands-on, interactive learning
- Credit recovery opportunities
- Round-trip transportation provided
- Required uniform

CAREER PATHWAYS

- Radio & Television Announcers
- Audio & Video Equipment Technicians
- Broadcast Technicians
- Sound Engineering Technicians
- Film & Video Editors
- Media & Communications Equipment Workers

COLLEGE PATHWAYS

Two-year or four-year degree in digital communications and media, or other related fields.

**SCHEDULE A CAREER
ACADEMY TOUR TODAY!**

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. What is The Career Academy at Ella T. Grasso Technical High School?

The Career Academy at Ella T. Grasso Technical High School graduates students with career certificates and industry-recognized credentials. The program gives students a jump-start on their career by preparing them with technical and employability skills aligned with entry-level industry positions.

A limited number of seats are available for eligible grade 10 and 11 students to train in **Digital Media**, an in-demand career field.

2. What is Digital Media?

In Digital Media, students are introduced to basic concepts of video creation and production for all formats. Instruction is provided in Adobe Creative Cloud applications, including Adobe Premiere and Photoshop. Students will be exposed to the basics of pre-production and post-production, as well as special effects creation. Students receive instruction in recording ethics requirements and the laws that govern intellectual property.

3. What certifications will program participants graduate with?

In addition to earning 2.5 Career Technical Education (CTE) credits towards a high school diploma, graduates of The Career Academy Digital Media program may earn: *Adobe Certified Associate - Premiere; Adobe Certified Associate - Photoshop; OSHA 10 (CFR-1910) General Industry*

4. Will I get a high school diploma from The Career Academy?

No. High school diplomas will be conferred by your sending high school. However, Career Academy participants will earn trade-area certifications upon successful completion of the program.

5. Who is eligible to attend?

The Career Academy Precision Machine Technology program is open to a limited number of students in grades 11 and 12 only.

6. Are there program fees?

No, there are no program fees. All tools and project materials will be provided.

7. Will transportation be provided?

Transportation to the program is provided by the sending school district to The Career Academy and back to the sending school district.

8. How do I apply for this program?

Applications can be picked up in your school counseling office or will be shared via email. Please complete the application in its entirety, have your parent/guardian sign, and return the application to your school counselor. Your counselor will complete the rest and submit it to the Career Academy. Applicants will be contacted by Grasso Tech once accepted to the program. Please note: sending school districts are responsible for selection of students into the program.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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