### PRE-APPRENTICE LINE PROGRAM







#### WHAT IS A PRE-APPRENTICE LINE PROGRAM?

Do you ever wonder where the electricity comes from when you turn on the lights? Our one semester program will help you understand the answer to this question and more. Through our program you learn how to climb wooden utility poles, learn basic electrical theory, and have the opportunity to earn the following certifications: Commercial Driver's License (Class A), First Aid/CPR/AED, OSHA 10-hour ET&D, Rigging, and Flagger Training.

Our one-semester pre- apprentice line certificate program prepares you for groundman and apprentice positions within the line trade. You will learn how to assist with the installation, construction, maintenance, and repair of electrical power line systems. Upon completion of our program, you will be qualified to work as an entry level worker in the Power Lineman Trade (groundman or apprentice).

## WHAT TYPES OF SKILLS DO YOU NEED?

- · Enjoy working outdoors
- · Enjoy a good challenge
- · Work well in a team atmosphere
- Self-motivated
- Responsible and reliable
- · Critical thinking and problem-solving skills

### WHAT CAN YOU DO WITH YOUR DEGREE?

- Work for a utility as a groundman or apprentice
- Work for a contractor as a groundman or apprentice
- Operate a commercial motor vehicle
- A variety of jobs at your disposal

#### **HIGHLANDS COLLEGE**

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#### **ADMISSIONS CHECKLIST**

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- □ APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS www.mtech.edu/scholarships
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- ☐ REGISTER FOR CLASSES

  WWW.MTECH.EDU/REGISTRATION
- Check website for additional program requirements.





**30** CREDITS AND **16** WEEEKS



**90%**EMPLOYMENT RATE



SMALL CLASS SIZES



**\$94K**AVERAGE SALARY
IN MONTANA

# COMPANIES WHO HAVE HIRED OUR GRADUATES















ENGAGED FACULTY WITH EXPERIENCE & EXPERTISE



FINISH IN 1 SEMESTER AND EARN YOUR CDL ALSO



HANDS-ON LEARNING ENVIRONMENT



ONLY PRE-APPRENTICE LINE PROGRAM IN MONTANA