



Audio/Video Technology and Film (AVTF)

Thank you for your interest in the AVTF pathway. This three-series course (taught on a trimester basis) is designed to prepare students for a career in Audio/Video Technology and Film.

Trimester 1 - AVTF I is an introduction to Audio Video Technology and Film. In AVTF I, students will receive foundational skills including terminology, safety, equipment, script writing, programming, production, lighting, editing and ethics.

Trimester 2 - AVTF II builds on those skills and develops students planning, writing, directing, studio/field production, advanced editing, operational set up/ maintenance, graphics and career opportunities.

Trimester 3 - Finally, in AVTF III students will complete projects under the guidance of the instructor. Students work cooperatively and independently in all phases of production.

EOPA (End of Pathway) Exam – Upon successful completion of all three courses within the AVTF pathway, students will take the End of Pathway Assessment in April. The current End of Pathway (EOPA) Assessment is the NOCTI Television Production Exam. All students that pass the EOPA will receive a CTAE cord and certificate. Students that score 70% or better are eligible to receive college credit. All students that pass all three classes within the AVTF pathway are considered pathway completers. **Major Video Projects** –

- Talking Head
- Interview
- Montage
- PSA (Public Service Announcement)
- Open (Student's Choice)

Highlights

Lecture Series - George Pierre, Casting Director, and Derrick Doose, 1st AD at Tyler Perry Studios.

On Location - 6 AVTF students worked as production assistants with Rob Hardy on a super-hero shoot

Exposure – 20 students attended a free field trip to Atlanta Film Festival's Creative Conference (including full access passes to watch films and attend in person and virtual events)

New Connections - . Nina Packer is working with us to build a true pipeline for students to join the television and film industry

Awards

- Pathway Completer Certificate and Medal
- Red CTAE Cord and NOCTI Certificate – Students that pass EOPA
- Student of the Month

SkillsUSA

Skills USA is a student lead organization that helps each student excel and grants more than \$1 million dollars in scholarships annually. Skills USA's mission is to empower its members to become world-class workers, leaders and responsible American citizens. All members are required to pay \$20 annual dues. Active senior members also receive a graduation cord in May to reflect their commitment to their SkillsUSA chapter (www.skillsusa.org).



Sincerely,

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