

Automotive Technology

1. What further reductions can you make to contribute to our required campus-wide reductions before your program is no longer viable? Please be as specific as possible.

We could only reduce our entry level classes. All other classes are tied to certificates and degrees. We have one of the highest CTE certificate and degree counts at the college: 32 degrees and 42 certificates 10/11 school year.

2. If the program were reduced and/or eliminated, are there comparable regional offerings for students?

De Anza and Evergreen College are the only two automotive training facilities in our region. Evergreen is less than half our size and we serve a population base of over 2 million people in three counties: Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, and San Benito. De Anza Auto Tech is the only automotive training facility in the south bay authorized to train union apprentices. We are the only Toyota training facility in the south bay.