



Hydraulics Technician

A Hydraulics Technician installs, maintains and repairs hydraulic components on equipment.





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career profile

Employer: John Deere

Education: AAS, Minnesota West Community and Technical College: Granite Falls

I grew up helping my dad work on small engines and traveled with him on service calls to repair farm equipment. I was really intrigued with how the engines functioned. I liked working on engines, using my hands, and having a final product that was in better shape than before. So, I worked for and earned an associate's degree in fluid power technology.

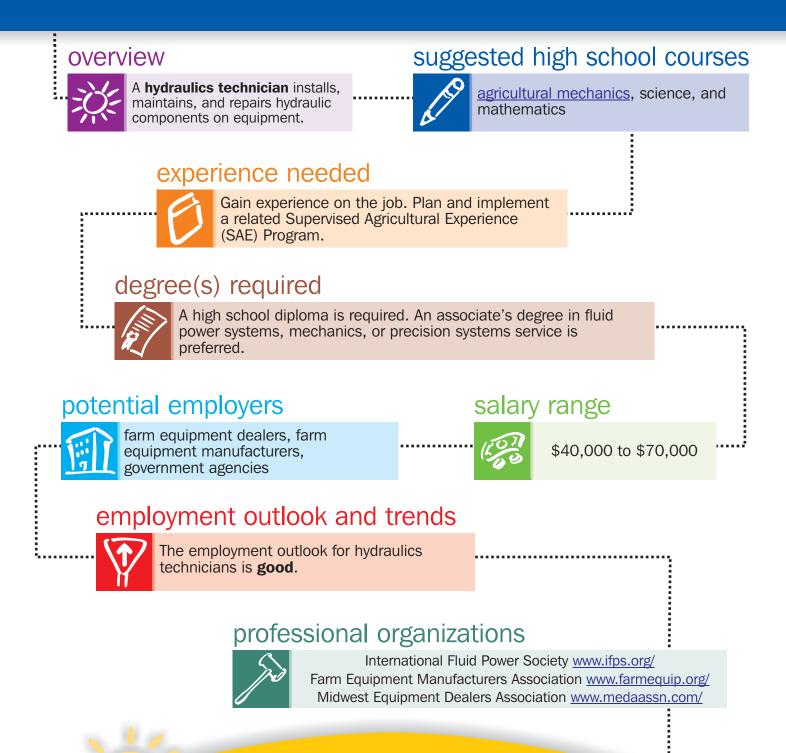
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while diagnosing problems. I also rely on computers and other technologies to investigate and repair hydraulic equipment. I perform preventative maintenance on hydraulic systems. I reassemble fluid power systems. In my line of work, I find that it is important to communicate clearly. For example, I have to ask the right questions concerning a problem. I also take time to explain how fluid power systems are intended to function.

Name: Edward Foster Job Title: Hydraulics Technician

I like the challenges that come with my job. They require me to think critically and use the skills that I have learned to find correct solutions. It is very fulfilling to see machinery functioning properly due to my work.

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