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General Information

AIM

To give training and impart the necessary skills leading to the production of craftsmen and women and other skilled personnel who will be enterprising and self-reliant.

ENTRY QUALIFICATIONS

CRAFT PROGRAM

Candidates must not be less than 14 years of age and should have successfully completed nine years of basic education or three years of junior secondary education or its equivalent. Special consideration may be given to sponsored candidates with lower academic qualifications who hold trade test certificates and are capable of benefiting from the program.

ADVANCED CRAFT PROGRAM

Candidates should possess the National Technical Certificate or its equivalent and should have had a minimum of two years of post-qualification cognate industrial experience. E2s

THE CURRICULUM

The Curriculum of each program is broadly divided into three components: General Education, which accounts for 30% of the total hours required for the program. Trade Theory, Trade Practice and Related Studies which account for 65%.

Supervised Industrial Training/Work Experience, which accounts for 5% of the total hours required for the program. This component of the course, which may be taken in industry or in the College Production Unit, is compulsory for the full-time students.

Included in the curriculum are the teacher's activities and learning resources required for the guidance of the teacher.

UNIT COURSE/MODULE

A course or module is defined as a body of knowledge and skills capable of being utilized on its own or as a foundation or prerequisite knowledge for more advanced work in the same or other fields of study. Each trade, when successfully completed, can be used for employment purposes.

BEHAVIOURAL OBJECTIVES

These are educational objectives, which identify precisely the type of behavior a student should exhibit at the end of a course, module, or program. Two types of behavioral objectives have been used in the curriculum. These are:

General Objectives

Specific Learning Outcomes General objectives are concise but general statements of the behavior of the students on completion of a unit of the week, such as understanding the principles and application in: Orthographic projection in engineering/technical drawing. Loci in Mathematics Basic concepts of politics and government in Political Science Demand and supply in Economics

Specific learning outcomes are concise statements of the specific behavior expressed in units of discrete practical tasks and related knowledge, which the students should demonstrate as a result of the educational process to ascertain that the general objectives of the course /program have been achieved. They are more discrete and quantitative expressions of the scope of the tasks contained in a teaching unit.

GENERAL EDUCATION IN TECHNICAL COLLEGES

The general education component of the curriculum aims at providing the trainee with complete secondary education in critical subjects like English Language, Economics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Entrepreneurship and Computer Studies. While the Trade Theory, Trade Practice, and Related Studies aim at providing training and their applications and as a foundation for post-secondary technical education for the above-average trainee. Hence, it is hoped that trainees who successfully complete their trade and general education components may be able to compete with their secondary school counterparts for direct entry into the universities, polytechnics, or colleges of education (technical) for a Degree, National Diploma (ND) or NCE courses, respectively.

NATIONAL CERTIFICATION

The NTC and ANTC programs are run by Technical Colleges accredited by National Board for Technical Education (NBTE), while the National Business and Technical Examination Board (NABTEB) conducts the final national examination and awards certificates.

Trainees who successfully complete all the courses/modules specified in the curriculum table and pass the national examinations in the trade will be awarded one of the following certificates:

S/NO LEVEL		LEVEL		CERTIFICATE
	Techn	ical Prograr	n	
1.	Craft L	evel Na	tional Technic	al Certificate

GUIDANCE NOTES FOR TEACHERS TEACHING THE CURRICULUM

The number of hours stated in the curriculum table may be increased or decreased to suit individual institutions' timetables, provided the entire course contents are properly covered and the goals and objectives of each module are achieved at the end of the term.

The maximum duration of any module in the new scheme is 300 hours. This means that for a term of 15 weeks, the course should be offered for 20 hours a week. This can be scheduled in sessions of 4 hours in a day, leaving the remaining hours for general education. However, (if properly organized and if there are adequate resources), most of these courses can be offered in two sessions a day, one in the morning and the other one in the afternoon. In so doing, some of these programs may be completed in a lesser number of years than at present.

The sessions of 4 hours include the trade theory and practice. It is left to the teacher to decide whether the class should be held in the workshop or in a lecture room.

INTEGRATED APPROACH IN THE TEACHING OF TRADE THEORY, TRADE SCIENCE AND TRADE CALCULATION

The traditional approach of teaching Trade Science and Trade Calculation as separate and distinct subjects in technical college programs is not relevant to the new program, as it will amount to a duplication of the teaching of mathematics and physical science subjects in the course. The basic concepts and principles in mathematics and physical science are the same as in trade calculation and trade science. In the new scheme, therefore, qualified persons in these fields will teach mathematics and physical science, and the instructors will apply the principles and concepts in solving trade science and trade calculation problems in the trade theory classes. To this end, efforts have been made to ensure that mathematics and science modules required to be able to solve technical problems were taken as prerequisites to the trade module.

EVALUATION OF PROGRAM/MODULE

For the program to achieve its objectives, any course started at the beginning of a term must terminate at the end of the term. Teachers and instructors should therefore devise methods of accurately assessing the trainees to enable them to give the student's final grades at the end of the term. All students who have successfully completed their modules will take a national examination. The final award will be based on the aggregate of the scores attained in the course work and the national examination.

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S/N	SUBJECT CODE	MODULE			YEAF	RONE	I				YEAR	TWO				,	YEAR	THRE	E		Total Hrs/Each
			Ter	m 1	Ter	m 2	Ter	m 3	Ter	m 1	Ter	m 2	Ter	m 3	Ter	m 1	Ter	m 2	Ter	m 3	
			Т	Ρ	Т	Ρ	Т	Ρ	Т	Ρ	Т	Р	Т	Ρ	Т	Р	Т	Ρ	Т	Ρ	
1	CMA 12- 15	Mathematics	2		2		2		2		2		2		2		2		2		216
2	CEN 11-17	English	2		2		2		3		3		3		3		3		3		288
3	CPH 10-12	Physics	2		2		2		2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	288
4	CCH 11-12	Chemistry	2		2		2		2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	288
5	CEC 11-13	Economics	2		2		2		2		2		2		2		2		2		216
6	CBM 10	Entrepreneurship											2		2						48
7	ICT11-15	Computer Studies							1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2			180
8	CTD 11-13	Drawings		3		3		3		3		3		3		4					264
9	MEC 11	General Metal Work I			2	5	2	5													168
10	MEC 12	General Metal Work II									1	3	1	2							84
11	CEI 11	Basic Electricity	2	1	1	2															72
12	CIM 121	Material Selection			3																36
13	CIM 312	Fluid Power System													2	6					96
14	CIM 313	Maintenance & Reliability													2	6					96
15	CIM 134	Pipe Fitting					2	5													84
16	CIM 215	Taps & Dies							2	4											72
17	CIM 116	Hand and Power Tools	2	4																	72

Table 1: Curriculum Table for National Technical Certificate (NTC) in Industry Mechanics

NATIONAL TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE CURRICULUM AND MODULE SPECIFICATIONS IN INDUSTRIAL MECHANICS

18	CIM 317	Mechanical Drive Systems and Pumps													1	3	1	3			96
19	CFW 12	Gas welding and cutting					2	4	2	4											144
20	CFW 13	Metal Arc Welding							2	4	2	4									144
21	MEC 14	Turning									2	4		2							96
22	MEC 15	Milling											2	4		2					96
23	MEC 17	Grinding											2	4							72
			14	8	16	10	16	17	18	19	17	18	19	19	19	25	13	7	11	2	2216
			2	2	2	6	3	3	3	7	3	5	3	8	4	4	2	0	1	3	3210

MATERIAL SELECTION

PROGRAM:	National Technical Certificate in Industrial Mechanics
MODULE:	CIM – Material Selection
DURATION:	HRS
PRE- REQUISITE:	CCH 11 - 12 Chemistry
GOAL:	The module equips trainees with the knowledge, skills, and attitude to understand the functions, characteristics, and applications of material selection.
GENERAL OBJE	CTIVES:

On completion of this module, the trainee should be able to:

1.0 Introduction to materials: types of materials, properties, and their applications

2.0 Understand Material Selection Process

3.0 Understand Material Designation System

4.0 Understand Steel and Steel Types

5.0 Identification of Finished Steel Products

COURS	E: CIM 121 – MATERIAL S	ELECTION	Course Code: CIM	121		Contact Hours: 36HRS			
Course Specifications: General Objective 1.0: Introduction to materials: types of materials, properties, and their applications Contact Hours: 36HRS									
Year	Theoretical Content								
Term									
Week	Specific Learning Outcome	Teacher's Activities	Resources	Specific Learning Outcome	Teacher's Activities	Resources for Practical			
1-2	1.1 Define engineering materials	1.1 Discuss the basic concept of engineering materials	•Multimedia. •Charts, slides. •White board	Demonstrate with samples of different material	Divide students into small groups and provide them with a set	. Plastics . Woods . Metals			
	1.2 Explain the importance of	1.2 Discuss the importance and	. Markers	Identify different	of mixed materials. Ask the groups to	. Ceramics			
	engineering materials 1.3 Identify different	significance of engineering materials to		types of materials (metal, polymers,	classify the materials into categories and				
	materials (metals,	everyday life. 1.3 Explain the main		ceramics, composites, natural	the class.				
	composites, natural	categories of materials		materials)	as;				
	1.4 Describe the general	1.4 Discuss the general properties of			plastic material vs. a				
	engineering materials.	engineering materials			Hardness test: scratch				
	engineering materials	using reat-life examples			materials with sharp				

	are chosen for particular applications 1.6 classify material based on their physical and mechanical properties	 1.5 Discuss why specif material are chosen for particular applications (e.g. metal for bridges due to strength, etc) 1.6 Discuss the classification of materials based on the 	ic r ir		Pointed object to compare hardness. Weight test: compare the weight of materials of similar size (wood vs metal)	
		physical and mechanic	aı			
	General Obiective 2.0:	Understand Material Se	lection Process			
Week	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Resources	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Practical
	Outcome			Outcome		Resources
3 - 4	 2.1 Explain the key properties of materials (mechanical, thermal, electrical, etc.) 2.2 Analyze factors influencing material selection (cost, functionality, environment) 2.3 Explain basic principles of material selection for specific application 2.4 Explain how to compare material property charts and selection criteria 	 2.1 Discuss material properties such as strength, flexibility, thermal conductivity, etc. 2.2 Discuss to ascertain the factors influencing material selection (cost, functionality, environment) 2.3 Discuss basic principles of material selection for specific application 2.4 Demonstrate how to compare material 	 Multimedia. Charts, slides. White board Markers 	Identify different engineering materials and their applications.	Guide students in a simulated project where they select an appropriate material for a given engineering application. Observe students as they analyze and classify materials.	. Plastics . Woods . Metals . Ceramics

		property charts and selection criteria				
Year	General Objective 3.0:	Know Material Designatio	on System			
Torm						
Week	Specific	Teacher's Activities	Resources	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources
	Learning			Outcome		
	Outcome					
5 - 6	3.1 Classify Steel	3.1 Discuss the classes	•Multimedia			
	materials, e.g., Sheet	of steel material	 Magnetic Board 			
	Metal, Bars, and pipes,	3.2 Discuss different	•Chart			
	etc.	material classification	•Marker			
	3.2 Explain different	systems				
	material classification	3.3 Discuss the				
	systems, such as:	standardization method				
	ISO (International	of steel products				
	Organization for	3.4 Discuss the purpose				
	Standardization)	of the standardized				
	ASTM (American	material designation				
	Society for Testing and	system with examples.				
	Materials)	3.5 Discuss designation				
	SAE (Society of	system of material				
	Automotive Engineers)					
	DIN (Deutsches Institut					
	fur Normung – German					
	Standard)					
	JIS (Japanese Industrial Standarda)					
	industrial standards)					

	3.3 State the Method of Standardization of Steel Products and provide examples of material designation codes					
	3.4 Explain Designation					
	System of Material					
	General Objective 4.0:	Know Steel and Steel Typ	Des			
Week	Specific Learning	Teachers Activities	Resources	Specific Learning	Teachers Activities	Practical
	Outcome			Outcome		Resources
7 - 9	 4.1 Explain steel and its differences from other materials 4.2 Explain the composition of steel (iron and carbon) and their roles 4.3 Classify types of steel 4.4 Explain how different compositions affect properties like strength, hardness, corrosion resistance, 	 4.1 Discuss steel and its differences from other materials 4.2 Discuss the composition of steel (iron and carbon) and their roles 4.3 Discuss the classes of steel and differentiate between various types of steel (e.g carbon steel, alloy steel, stainless steel, tool steel) 4.4 Discuss how 	•Multimedia •Magnetic Board •Chart •Marker	Identify different types of steel	Show different steel samples and discuss their properties. Use a spark test or magnet test to differentiate steel types Show how to read steel grade markings or codes.	Different grades of steel Magnet Chart
	and flexibility. 4.5 Explain the relations of different types of steel to their real-world applications.	different compositions impact properties like strength, hardness, corrosion resistance, and flexibility.				

	General Objective: 5.0	4.5 Discuss the relations of different types of steel to their real-world application D Identification of Finish	is. ed Steel Products			
week	Specific Learning Outcome	leachers Activities	Resources	Outcome	leachers Activities	Practical Resources
10 - 12	 5.1 Explain steel products 5.2 Explain steel products' importance in construction and manufacturing 5.3 Explain the common types of finished steel products (e.g. rods, bars, sheets, plates, pipes and structural sections) 5.4 Demonstrate the ability to classify steel products using physical samples or images. 	 5.1 Discuss steel products 5.2 Explain their importance in construction and manufacturing 5.3 Explain common types of finished steel products 5.4 Describe typical applications of each product (e.g. steel rods for reinforcement in construction, steel sheets for car bodies) 	•Multimedia •Magnetic Board •Chart •Marker	Identify common types of finished steel products (e.g. rods, bars, sheets, plates, pipes and structural sections) Display real samples or images of different finished steel products (e.g. rods, sheets, pipes, etc.)	Use charts, images and actual steel samples to introduce different finish steel products Show students how to identify steel products based on appearance, shape, texture, and markings.	. Steel rods . Bars . Sheets . Wires . Pipes, etc . Chart

FLUID POWER SYSTEMS

PROGRAM:	National Technical Certificate in Industrial Mechanics
MODULE:	CIM 312: FLUID POWER SYSTEM
DURATION:	96 HRS
GOAL:	This module is intended to provide the trainee with a fundamental understanding of fluid power systems, focusing on the
	principles, components, and real-world applications of hydraulics and pneumatics.
GENERAL OBJECTIVE	ES:
On completion of this	module, the trainee should be able to:
1. Introduction to	o fluid power systems
2. Know the prin	ciples of the hydraulic and pneumatic systems.

3. Know the components of the pneumatic and hydraulic systems.

4. Be familiar with simple hydraulic and pneumatic circuits

5. Understand the safety of fluid power systems.

PROGRAM	PROGRAM: NATIONAL TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE IN INDUSTRIAL MECHANICS										
COURSE:	CIM 312 FLUID POWER SY	STEM	Course Code: CI	Μ	Contact Hours: 96 HRS						
Course Sp	pecification: General Objec	tive 1.0: Introduction to f	luid power system	S							
Contact H	our: 96 HRS										
Year:3 Theoretical Content Practical Content											
Term:1			Γ		1	T					
Week	Specific Learning	Teachers'	Resources	Specific Learning	Teachers' Activities	Practical					
	Outcome:	Activities		Outcome:		Resources					
1	1.1 Define fluid power	1.1 Discuss fluid power	Multimedia								
	systems	systems	Classroom								
			posters.								
	1.2 Differentiate between	1.2 Explain the	Whiteboard								
	hydraulics and	differences between	Marker								
	pneumatic systems.	hydraulics and									
	1.3 Explain the	pneumatics									
	importance and	1.3 Discuss the									
	applications of fluid	importance and									
	power systems in	applications of fluid									
	industry and everyday life	power systems in									
	1.4 Explain the	industry and everyday									
	advantages and	life, citing examples.									
	limitations of using fluid	1.4 Demonstrate to the									
	power systems	student how energy is									
	1.5 Describe how energy	transferred in fluid power									
	is transferred in fluid	systems									
	power systems										

Year: 3	General Objective 2.0: Kno	ow the principles of hydr	aulic and pneuma	tic systems.		
Term: 1	Contact Hour					
Week	Specific Learning	Teachers'	Resources	Specific Learning	Teachers' Activities	Practical
	Outcome:	Activities		Outcome:		Resources
2 - 3	Outcome:2.1 Outline the propertiesof fluids (viscosity,density, pressure, flowrate, force.)2.2 Explain how pressureis transmitted in fluidusing pascal's law2.3 Explain the behavior ofgases under pressure andtemperature changesusing Boyle's law andCharles law2.4 Explain hydrostaticand pneumatic pressure	Activities 2.1 Explain the properties of fluids 2.2 Use visual aids to discuss Pascal's, Boyle's, and Charle's laws 2.3 Solve basic calculations showing pressure and force relationship 2.4 Discuss hydrostatic and pneumatic pressure using force and area relationship	Hydraulic and pneumatic kits for demonstrations. Transparent tubing and manometers for pressure visualization Lab manuals for structured experiments.	Outcome: 2,1 Conduct a lab experiment to show how changing variables affect system performance and fluid behavior under pressure.	2.1 Conduct demonstrations of pressure and force using simple kits 2.2 Facilitate hands-on activities where the students observe fluid movement in transparent tubes 2.3 Organize a lab experiment to show how changing variables impact system performance and fluid	Resources Hydraulic and pneumatic kits Transparent tubing and manometers for pressure visualization Lab manuals for structured experiments
	using the concepts of force and area relationships.				behavior under pressure.	
	2.5 Explain the calculation of pressure, force, and flow using fluid power formulas.					

Year: 3	General Objective 3.0: Know	the component of hyc	Iraulic and pneumatic	systems		
Term: 1 Week	Contact Hour Specific Learning Outcome:	Teachers'	Resources	Specific Learning	Teachers' Activities	Practical Resources
		Activities		Outcome:		
4 - 6	 3.1 Outline the various hydraulic components: Pumps, cylinders (Actuators), Valves (directional, pressure, flow), Reservoirs, and hoses and fittings 3.2 Outline the various pneumatic components: Compressors, air tanks, pneumatic cylinders and actuators, Valves (directional, pressure, flow), filters, lubricators and regulators, hoses and fittings 3.3 Explain the function of valves (directional control, pressure relief) in fluid power systems 3.4 Explain the role of actuators in converting fluid power into mechanical motion. 	 3.1 Display and discuss physical components of hydraulic and pneumatic systems 3.2 Demonstrate how to connect components to form a simple working circuit. 3.3 Discuss the role of each component in the system 3.4 Provide schematic diagrams and guide the student to identify components 	Hydraulic pumps, pneumatic compressors, valves, and actuators for hands- on activities Circuit assembly kits with hoses and fittings Component identification charts	 3.1 Disassemble and assemble simple fluid power system 3.2 Identify basic fluid power system components and their uses. 	Organize a lab session where students assemble and disassemble fluid power system	Hydraulic pumps, pneumatic compressors, valves, and actuators for hands- on activities Circuit assembly kits with hoses and fittings Component identification charts

3.5 Explain how to assemble			
basic fluid power circuits			
using hoses and fittings			

Year: 3 Term: 1	General Objective 4.0: Know simple hydraulic and pneumatic circuits Contact Hour							
Week	Specific Learning Outcome:	Teachers' Activities	Resources	Specific Learning Outcome:	Teachers' Activities	Practical Resources		
7 - 9	 4.1 Define hydraulic and pneumatic circuits 4.2 State their purpose in fluid power systems 4.2 Identify basic hydraulic and pneumatic symbols 4.3 Interpret basic hydraulic and pneumatic circuit symbols using standard diagrams. 4.4 Construct simple hydraulic and pneumatic circuits for basic operations such as: Lifting, pressing or moving objects 4.5 Explain how fluid flow and pressure control work within simple circuits 4.6 Outline safe practices when assembling and operating fluid power systems 	 4.1 Discuss hydraulic and pneumatic circuits 4.2 Explain the purpose of hydraulic and pneumatic circuit in fluid power systems 4.3 Explain basic hydraulic and pneumatic symbols 4.4 Guide the student to interpret basic hydraulic and pneumatic circuit symbols using standard diagrams. 4.5 Guide the student to construct simple hydraulic and pneumatic circuits for basic operations such as: Lifting, pressing or moving objects 4.6 Discuss how fluid flow and pressure 	Circuit schematics and symbol charts Testing equipment (pressure gauges, flow meters) Simulation software for virtual circuit design. Hydraulic and pneumatic circuits kits with valves, actuators, and hoses	4.1 Select appropriate components for assembling a simple fluid power system 4.2 Assembly, a simple fluid power system using provided circuit diagrams	 4.1 Guide students to select the right components 4.2 Guide student to assemble a simple fluid power system 4.3 Facilitate a circuit troubleshooting exercise where students correct faulty connections 4.4 Guide the student to Demonstrate safe practices when assembling and operating fluid power circuits 	Different hydraulic and pneumatic components Toolbox PPEs Circuit diagram		

control work within a		
circuit.		
4.7 Discuss safe		
practices when		
assembling and		
operating fluid power		
systems		

Year: 3	General Objective 5.0: Know Safety in fluid power systems							
Term:	Contact Hour							
1								
Week	Specific Learning	Teachers'	Resources	Specific Learning	Teachers' Activities	Practical		
	Outcome:	Activities		Outcome:		Resources		
10 - 12	5.1 Explain safe handling of	5.1 Discuss safe	PPE (goggles,	5.1 Conduct	5.1 Organize hands-on	PPEs		
	hydraulic and pneumatic	handling of fluid	gloves, ear plug)	troubleshooting on a	maintenance sessions,	Wrenches,		
	equipment	power systems	Maintenance tools	simple fluid power	allowing students to	Gauges		
	5.2 identify potential hazards	5.2 Demonstrate	(wrenches, fluid	system	practice checking	Filters		
	in fluid power systems: leaks,	proper use of PPE in	gauges, filters)	5.2 Carry out basic	systems for leaks or	Screwdrivers		
	burst hoses, high-pressure	handling fluid	Safety posters	routine maintenance	wear	Simple fluid power		
	danger	power systems	Troubleshooting	on a simple fluid power	5.2 Create	system		
	5.3 Explain PPE and its	5.3 Discuss how to	checklists and	system.	troubleshooting			
	importance in operating	identify potential	diagnostic tools		scenarios where			
	fluid-powered systems	hazards: leaks,			students diagnose and			
	5.4 Explain emergency	burst hoses, high-			fix simulated problems			
	procedures when working	pressure danger.						
	with a pressurized system.	5.4 Discuss						
	5.5 Explain basic	emergency						
	troubleshooting procedures	procedures in						
	to identify leaks, pressure	working with						
	drops, or faulty components.							

5.6 Explain routine	pressurized		
maintenance procedures,	systems		
checking for leaks,	5.5 Discuss the		
maintaining pressure levels,	basic		
and replacing filters	troubleshooting and		
	routine		
	maintenance		
	procedures		

MAINTENANCE AND RELIABILITY

PROGRAM:	National Technical Certificate in Industrial Mechanics
MODULE:	CIM 313: MAINTENANCE AND RELIABILITY
DURATION:	96 HRS
GOAL:	This module is aimed at equipping the trainee with the knowledge and skills necessary to ensure machines, equipment, and systems operate efficiently, safely, and with minimal downtime.
GENERAL OBJE	CTIVES:
On completion o	f this module, the trainee should be able to:
1. Understa	and maintenance and reliability concepts
2. Know va	rious types of maintenance strategies.
3. Understa	and reliability principles
4. recogniz	e tools and techniques in maintenance
5. Know ma	aintenance planning and scheduling
6. Develop	communication and teamwork in maintenance

PROGRAM: NATIONAL TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE IN INDUSTRIAL MECHANICS								
COURSE: MAI	INTENANCE AND RELIAB	ILITY	Course Code: CIM	313		Contact Hours: 96 HRS		
Course Specification	General Objective 1.0: I	Understand maintenanc	e and reliability co	ncepts				
Year: 3 Term: 1	Theoretical Content			Practical Content				
Week	Specific Learning Outcome:	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning Outcome:	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources		
1-2	 1.1 Define maintenance and reliability 1.2 Explain their roles in technical fields 1.3 Explain the key concepts of maintenance E.g., preventive, predictive, corrective, and proactive maintenance. 1.4 Explain the importance of maintenance and reliability. 	 1.1 Explain maintenance and reliability 1.2 Discuss the role of maintenance and reliability 1.3 Discuss key concepts of maintenance such as preventive, predictive, corrective, and proactive maintenance. 1.4 Discuss the importance of maintenance in ensuring equipment performance, safety, and longevity. 	Infographics illustrating maintenance strategies Flip charts Multimedia Markers Whiteboard	Demonstrate the importance of maintenance in ensuring equipment performance, safety, and longevity. Identify common maintenance issues	Facilitate a class discussion on how maintenance affects students' everyday experiences (e.g., bicycles, household appliances) Guide students in identifying common maintenance issues in workshop equipment.	Stabilizer Bicycle Household appliances Power hacksaw Pillar drilling machine Lathe machine, etc.		

Year: 3 Term: 1	General Objective 2.0: Know various types of maintenance strategies						
Week	Specific Learning	Teachers' Activities	Resources	Specific Learning	Teachers'	Practical	
	Outcome			Outcome	Activities	Resources	
3–4	2.1 Explain different	2.1 Discuss the different	Maintenance tools	Identify various	Guide the students to	Lathe machine	
	maintenance strategies	maintenance strategies	(e.g., oil cans,	maintenance	conduct a hands-on	Gear box	
	2.2 Differentiate between	2.2 Explain the difference	wrenches, gauges)	strategies.	demonstration of	Electric motor	
	various maintenance	between various	Sample	Demonstrate how to	preventive	Charts etc.	
	strategies.	maintenance strategies	maintenance logs	carry out common	maintenance tasks		
	2.3 Explain their	2.3 Discuss the	and checklists	maintenance	(e.g., oiling machinery,		
	applications in real-world	applications of	Flowcharts	strategies	checking fluid or		
	scenarios	maintenance strategies in	explaining		lubricant level)		
	2.4 Describe the concept	real-world scenarios.	maintenance		Create a maintenance		
	of condition-based	2.4 Discuss the concept	processes		schedule and guide the		
	monitoring and its	of condition-based	Whiteboard marker		students to plan for		
	benefits	monitoring and its			different types of		
	2.5 Describe the role of	benefits			maintenance		
	predictive maintenance	2.5 explain predictive			Organize a role-play		
	using first-level	maintenance using first-			activity simulating a		
	inspection (using sense	level inspection, e.g., ear,			maintenance team		
	organs).	eye, hand, nose			responding to a		
	2.6 Explain the				breakdown.		
	advantages and						
	disadvantages of different						
	maintenance strategies						

Course Specification	General Objective 3.0 Understand Reliability principle						
Year: 3 Term: 1	Theoretical Content			Practical Content			
Week	Specific Learning Outcome: #	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning Outcome:	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources	
5-6	 3.1 Explain the importance of reliability in the performance and efficiency in mean time 3.2 Explain Mean Time Between Failure (MTBF) 3.3 Discuss how to calculate Mean Time Between Failures (MTBF) Explain the concept of reliability-centered maintenance (RCM) and how it helps in reducing equipment failures 	 3.1 Discuss the importance of reliability in the performance and efficiency of machines and systems 3.2 Discuss Mean Time Between Failures (MTBF) 3.3 Calculate MTBF 3.3 Discuss the concept of reliability-centered maintenance (RCM) and how it helps in reducing equipment failures 	Charts, posters and textbooks White board Markers	Calculate the MTBF and failure rate of equipment.	Guide how to calculate Mean Time Between Failures (MTBF)	Lathe Machine Pillar drilling machine, etc.	

Course Specification	General Objective 4.0: Know Tools and Techniques in maintenance						
Year: 3 Term: 1	Theoretical Content			Practical Content			
Week	Specific Learning Outcome:	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning Outcome:	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources	
7 - 9	 4.1 Explain the basic tools and equipment used in maintenance activities (e.g., wrenches, multimeters, lubricators) 4.2 Explain the basic troubleshooting techniques to identify equipment problems. 4.3 Explain Documentation of maintenance activities using logs, checklists, and reports 4.4 Explain the importance of following manufacturer guidelines during maintenance. 	4.1 Discuss the basic tools and equipment used in maintenance activities (e.g., wrenches, multimeters, lubricators) 4.2 Discuss basic troubleshooting techniques used in maintenance tasks 4.3 Explain documentation in maintenance 4.4 Discuss the process of documenting maintenance activities using logs, checklists, and reports 4.5 Discuss the importance of following manufacturer	Toolkits with wrenches, grease guns. Sample equipment manual and manufacturer guide Charts Marker and board Posters	Use basic tools and equipment to carry out maintenance activities (e.g., wrenches, multimeters, lubricators) Demonstrate simple maintenance tasks like tightening bolts, lubricating moving parts, and replacing worn-out components. Conduct a documentation exercise where students' complete maintenance checklists after practical work.	Guide the student to perform simple maintenance tasks like tightening bolts, lubricating moving parts, and replacing worn-out components. Organize practical sessions where students perform basic maintenance on school equipment (e.g., Lubricating hinges, tightening bolts and nuts) Guide the student document maintenance activities using logs, checklists, and reports	Set of wrenches Set of Pliers Complete toolbox	

		guidelines during maintenance.				
Course Specification	General Objective 5.0 Kr	now maintenance plann	ing and scheduling			
Year: 3 Term: 1	Theoretical Content			Practical Content		
Week	Specific Learning Outcome:	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning Outcome:	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources
10 - 11	 5.1 Explain maintenance planning and scheduling. 5.2 Explain the factors to consider when prioritizing maintenance tasks 5.3 Explain the importance of planning maintenance to minimize equipment downtime. 	 5.1 Discuss maintenance planning and scheduling 5.2 Discuss the factors to be considered when prioritizing maintenance tasks 5.3 Discuss the importance of planning maintenance to minimize equipment downtime. 	Charts, posters, markers, board	 5.1 Create simple maintenance schedules for equipment, considering frequency and type of maintenance required. 5.2 Create maintenance scheduling tools like job cards, etc. 	 5.1 Guide the student to create simple maintenance schedules for equipment, considering frequency and type of maintenance required. 5.2 Guide student to create maintenance scheduling tool like job cards, etc. 5.3 Guide the students to create simple maintenance schedules for school workshop equipment 	Set of wrenches Set of Pliers Complete toolbox Lathe Machine Pillar drilling Machine

Course Specification	General Objective 6.0 Know communication and teamwork in maintenance					
Year: 3 Term: 1	Theoretical Content			Practical Content		
Week	Specific Learning Outcome:	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning Outcome:	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources
12	 6.1 Explain the importance of communication in maintenance 6.2 Explain team roles in a maintenance setting, such as craftsman, technician, and supervisor. 6.3 Demonstrate effective communication when reporting maintenance issues and solutions. 6.4 Explain the need to collaborate with peers during group maintenance tasks and problem-solving activities. 	 6.1 Discuss the importance of effective communication in maintenance work (e.g., reporting issues, following instructions, and coordinating tasks) 6.2 Discuss team roles in a maintenance setting, such as craftsman, technician, and supervisor. 6.3 Discuss the need for effective communication when reporting maintenance issues and solutions 6.4 Discuss the importance of peer collaboration during group maintenance tasks and problem-solving activities. 	Charts, posters, flipcharts, multimedia			

PIPE FITTING

PROGRAM:	NATIONAL TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE IN INDUSTRIAL MECHANICS
MODULE:	CIM 134: Pipe Fitting
DURATION:	84 Hours
PRE-REQUISITE	
GOAL:	This module is designed to provide the trainee with fundamental knowledge and practical skills required to install, maintain, and repair
	pipping systems used in various industries.
GENERAL OBJECTI	VES:
On completion of thi	is module, the student should be able to:
1. Understand	health and safety regulations guiding pipe fitting operations.
2. Know types	of Pipes and Pipe Fittings
3. Know Pipe F	itting tools and their uses
4. Understand	the principle of measuring, cutting and threading of pipes
5. Know how t	o make pipe installation assemblies under supervision

PROGRA	PROGRAM: NATIONAL TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE IN INDUSTRIAL MECHANICS						
COURSE: Pipe Fitting		COURSE CODE: CIM	Year: 1 Term: 3				
Course Specification: General Objective 1.0: Understand h		nealth and safety regu					
Year: 1	Theoretical Content			Practical Content			
Term: 3			1		1		
Week	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources	
	Outcome			Outcome			
1-2	 1.1 Define health and safety regulations related to pipe fitting operations. 1.2 Describe the purpose of using Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) in pipe fitting tasks (e.g., gloves, safety goggles, helmets, protective footwear) 1.3 Explain the importance of following workplace safety protocols and regulatory standards 1.4 Explain the importance of maintaining clean and organized workspaces to minimize risks. 	1.1 Discuss health and safety regulations related to pipe fitting operations. 1.2 Discuss the purpose of using Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) in pipe fitting tasks (e.g., gloves, safety goggles, helmets, protective footwear) 1.3 Discuss the importance of following workplace safety protocols and regulatory standards 1.4 Discuss the importance of maintaining clean and organized workspaces to	PPE (gloves, goggles, helmets, ear protection) Charts Posters First aid kits and training materials. Hazard identification checklists.	1.1 Identify common hazards associated with pipe fitting, such as chemical exposure, confine spaces, fall risks, and equipment- related injuries 1.2 Demonstrate proper handling, lifting, and transporting of pipes and fittings to prevent injuries.	1.1 Guide the student to Identify common hazards associated with pipe fitting, such as chemical exposure, confine spaces, fall risks, and Guide the student to demonstrate proper handling, lifting, and transporting of pipes and fittings to prevent injuries.	PPEs (goggles, gloves, etc.) Pipes Pipe fittings, etc.	

Course S	Specification: General Objective 2.0: Know types of Pipes and Pipe Fittings					
Year: 1	Theoretical Content			Practical Content		
Term: 3						
Week	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Learning	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources
	Outcome		Resources	Outcome		
3–5	2.1 Define pipes and	2.1 Discuss pipes and	Physical samples of	2.1 Identify the	1.1 Display samples of	Metal pipes
	pipe fittings and their	pipe fittings and their	pipes and fittings	different types of	different pipes and	Plastic pipes
	role in pipping systems.	role in pipping		pipes commonly used	fittings, allowing	Ceramic pipes
	2.2 Explain the different	systems.	Posters and charts	in plumbing and	students to handle	Different pipe fittings
	types of pipes commonly	2.2 Discuss the		industrial applications.	them.	
	used in plumbing and	different types of pipes	Pipe size charts		Guide the student to	
	industrial applications,	2.3 Discuss the	and specification	2.1 Identify different	identify the different	
	such as: Metal Pipes	characteristics and	sheets	types of pipe fittings,	types of pipes	
	(e.g., steel, copper, cast	applications of various	Multimedia.	including:	commonly used in	
	iron) Plastic pipes (e.g.,	pipe materials (e.g.,	Whiteboard	Elbow, Tees, Coupling,	plumbing and industrial	
	PVC, CPVC, PEX)	corrosion resistance,	Marker	reducers, unions,	applications, such as:	
	Concrete and Ceramic	flexibility, temperature		caps, plugs, flanges,	Metal Pipes (e.g.,	
	Pipes (for specific	tolerance)		and valves	steel, copper, cast iron)	
	drainage and sewage	2.4 Discuss the types		2.2: Identify the	Plastic pipes (e.g.,	
	systems)	of pipe fittings and		different types of	PVC, CPVC, PEX)	
	2.3 Describe the	their functions		pipes commonly used	Concrete and Ceramic	
	characteristics and	2.5 Discuss threaded,		in plumbing and	Pipes (for specific	
	applications of various	welded, and flanged		industrial applications,	drainage and sewage	
	pipe materials (e.g.,	connections in pipe		such as: Metal Pipes	systems)	
	corrosion resistance,	fitting.		(e.g., steel, copper,	2.4 Guide the student	
	flexibility, temperature	2.6 Discuss the		cast iron) Plastic	to list and identify	
	tolerance)	importance of standard		pipes (e.g., PVC,	different types of pipe	
	2.4 Mention the different	pipe markings (e.g.,		CPVC, PEX) Concrete	fittings, including:	
	types of pipe fittings.	pressure ratings,		and Ceramic Pipes (for	Elbow, Tees, Coupling,	
	E.g.	material codes)			reducers, unions, caps,	

Elbow Tees Coupling	sner	cific drainage and	Plugs flanges and	
roducors unions cons	spec	vado systoms)		
reducers, unions, caps,	Sevia	vage systems)		
plugs, flanges, and	2.3 \$	Select appropriate	Guide the student to	
valves	pipe	es and fittings	know how to select	
2.5 Explain the functions	base	sed on their	appropriate pipes and	
of pipe fittings	appl	olication, material	fittings based on their	
2.6 Differentiate	com	npatibility, and	application, material	
between threaded,	syste	tem requirements	compatibility, and	
welded, and flanged	(e.g.	g., water supply, gas	system requirement	
connections in pipe	lines	es, drainage).	(e.g., water supply, gas	
fitting.	2.4 N	Measure and	lines, drainage).	
2.7 Explain the	iden	ntify pipe sizes and	Conduct a group	
importance of standard	fittin	ing dimensions	activity where students	
pipe markings (e.g.,	using	ng proper tools.	match fittings to their	
pressure ratings,			respective	
material codes)			applications.	
			Show videos of pipping	
			installations in various	
			environments (e.g.,	
			homes, factories,	
			hospital)	

Course S	Course Specification: General Objective 3.0: Know Pipe Fitting tools and their uses					
Year: 1	Theoretical Content		-	Practical Content		
Term: 3						
Week	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources
	Outcome			Outcome		
6–7	3.1 Describe common	1.1 Explain common	Pipe wrenches,	3.1 Select the	Facilitate a tool	Pipe wrenches,
	pipe fitting tools used in	pipe fitting tools	cutters, reamers,	appropriate tool	identification quiz	cutters, reamers,
	plumbing and industrial	used in plumbing and	threading dies.	based on the type of		threading dies.
	applications	industrial	Work benches and	pipe material (e.g.,		Work benches and
	3.2 Describe the	applications	practice materials.	metal vs plastic) and	Guide to conduct a	practice materials
	function of each tool in	1.2 Discuss the	Pipe fitting and	fitting task.	demonstration of how	
	the pipe fitting process	function of each tool	plumbing tools	3.2 Use the	to use various pipe	
	3.3 Differentiate	in the pipe fitting	Chart	appropriate tools for	fitting tools	
	between tools used for	process	Poster and flipcharts	pipe fitting work.		
	cutting, threading,		Multimedia			
	measuring, joining, and	1.3 Discuss the				
	tightening pipes.	importance of using				
	3.4 Explain the	correct tools				
	importance of using the					
	correct tool					
Course S	pecification: General Obj	ective 4.0: Understand	the principle of meas	uring, cutting and threa	ding of pipes	
Year: 1	Theoretical Content			Practical Content		
Term: 3						
Week	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Learning	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources
	Outcome		Resources	Outcome		
8–10	4.1 Explain the	4.1 Discuss imperial	Micrometer	4.1 Identify the tools	4.1 Guide the student	Micrometer
	difference between the	and metric system of	Vernier Calipers	required for	to identify the tools	Vernier Calipers
	imperial and	measurement.	External	measuring, cutting	required for	External
	metric system of		Internal	and threading	measuring, cutting and	Internal
	measurement.		Protractors		threading.	Protractors

	1.2 Discuss the	Gaudas	1 2 Measure nines		Gaudas
1 2 Evolain the	difference	Tanes	accurately using	1.2 Guide the students	Tanes
difference	hetween gauging and	Dial indicators	appropriate tools	to measure nines	Dial indicators
botwoon douging and	moneuring	Cutting tools	(o d tano mossuro	comeasure pipes	Cutting tools (nino
monsuring	measuring	(nino cuttors	(e.g., tape measure,	accurately using	cuttors sows)
measuring.	4.3 Describe types of	(pipe cutters,	calipers, pipe gauges)	tapo moasuro	Threading tools
1.2 List types measuring	4.5 Describe types of	Threading tools	1.2 Mark outting	calinors, nino daudos)	(diag tang threading
4.5 List types measuring	measuring toots	(dios, taps	4.5 Mark culling	calipers, pipe gauges).	(ules, laps, lifeauling
10015	4.4 Discuss the types of	(ules, laps,	points on pipes using	1.2 Domonstrato to the	Soriboro
1 1 Describe the turned	4.4 Discuss the types of	in eaung		4.5 Demonstrate to the	Scribers
4.4 Describe the types	micrometers e.g.	machines)	precision	students now to mark	Salety equipment
of micrometers, e.g.,	a. Outside micrometer	Scribers	4.4 Select the correct	out, select appropriate	(gloves, goggles)
a. Outside micrometer	b. Inside micrometer	Safety equipment	cutting tools based on	tools, perform a clean	Charts, posters
b. Inside micrometer	c. Depth micrometer	(gloves, goggles)	the pipe material (e.g.,	cut, deburr, and thread	
c. Depth micrometer	d. Screw-thread	Charts, posters.	nacksaw for metal,	a workpiece.	
d. Screw-thread	micrometer etc.		pipe cutter for plastic)		
micrometer etc.				4.4 Conduct a hands-	
	4.5 Discuss the use of a		4.5 Perform clean and	on session where	
4.5 Describe how to use	micrometer to measure		accurate cuts on	students cut and	
a	(One hundredth a		pipes, ensuring	thread pipes	
micrometer to measure	millimeter).		smooth and straight		
(one			edges	4.5 Guide students	
hundredth of a	4.6 Discuss the			while they practice	
millimeter).	principles		4.6 Use deburring	deburring and reaming.	
	of Vernier micrometer.		tools or reamers to		
4.6 Explain the			remove burrs and	4.6 Guide student to	
principles	4.7 Discuss how to use		smooth pipe edges	cut thread using dies	
of Vernier micrometer.	Vernier caliper		after cutting.		
4.7 Explain how to use	4.8 Discuss a 25-		4.7 Demonstrate the		
Vernier caliper	division Vernier caliper		threading process		
	and a				

	4.8 Explain the	50-division Vernier		using manual pipe		
	difference	Caliper		dies.		
	between a 25-division					
	Vernier caliper and a 50-	4.9 Discuss the				
	division Vernier caliper.	importance of accurat	e			
		measurement, cutting	,			
	4.9 Explain the	and threading in pipe				
	importance of accurate	fitting.				
	measurement, cutting,					
	and threading in pipe	4.10 Explain the				
	fitting.	purpose of threading				
	4.10 Describe the	pipes				
	purpose of threading					
	pipes					
Course S	pecification: General Obje	ective 5.0: Know how t	o make pipe installati	on assembly under supe	ervision.	
Course S Year: 1	pecification: General Obje Theoretical Content	ective 5.0: Know how t	o make pipe installati	on assembly under supe Practical Content	ervision.	
Course S Year: 1 Term: 3	pecification: General Obje Theoretical Content	ective 5.0: Know how t	o make pipe installati	on assembly under supe Practical Content	ervision.	
Course S Year: 1 Term: 3 Week	pecification: General Obje Theoretical Content Specific Learning	ective 5.0: Know how t Teacher's Activities	o make pipe installati Learning Resources	on assembly under supe Practical Content Specific Learning	ervision. Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources
Course S Year: 1 Term: 3 Week	pecification: General Objection Theoretical Content Specific Learning Outcome	ective 5.0: Know how t Teacher's Activities	o make pipe installati Learning Resources	on assembly under supe Practical Content Specific Learning Outcome	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources
Course S Year: 1 Term: 3 Week	pecification: General Obje Theoretical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Explain the	Teacher's Activities 5.1 Discuss the basic	o make pipe installation Learning Resources Charts and posters	on assembly under supe Practical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Interpret simple	Teacher's Activities Guide students on how	Practical Resources Pipping diagrams and
Course S Year: 1 Term: 3 Week 11 - 12	pecification: General Obje Theoretical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Explain the basic principles	Teacher's Activities 5.1 Discuss the basic principles of pipe	o make pipe installation Learning Resources Charts and posters Textbooks	on assembly under supe Practical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Interpret simple pipe layout diagrams	Teacher's Activities Guide students on how to read and interpret	Practical Resources Pipping diagrams and blueprints.
Course S Year: 1 Term: 3 Week 11 - 12	pecification: General Obje Theoretical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Explain the basic principles of pipe	Teacher's Activities 5.1 Discuss the basic principles of pipe installation	o make pipe installation Learning Resources Charts and posters Textbooks Whiteboard	on assembly under supe Practical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Interpret simple pipe layout diagrams or blueprints	Teacher's Activities Guide students on how to read and interpret piping diagrams.	Practical Resources Pipping diagrams and blueprints. Pipes and fittings for
Course S Year: 1 Term: 3 Week 11 - 12	pecification: General Obje Theoretical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Explain the basic principles of pipe installation	Teacher's Activities 5.1 Discuss the basic principles of pipe installation 5.2 Discuss the	o make pipe installation Learning Resources Charts and posters Textbooks Whiteboard Marker	on assembly under supe Practical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Interpret simple pipe layout diagrams or blueprints 5.2 Demonstrate how	Teacher's Activities Guide students on how to read and interpret piping diagrams. Guide student through	Practical Resources Pipping diagrams and blueprints. Pipes and fittings for practical assembly.
Course S Year: 1 Term: 3 Week 11 - 12	pecification: General Obje Theoretical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Explain the basic principles of pipe installation 5.2 Explain the	Teacher's Activities 5.1 Discuss the basic principles of pipe installation 5.2 Discuss the importance of	o make pipe installation Learning Resources Charts and posters Textbooks Whiteboard Marker	on assembly under supe Practical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Interpret simple pipe layout diagrams or blueprints 5.2 Demonstrate how to align, connect, and	Teacher's Activities Guide students on how to read and interpret piping diagrams. Guide student through the installation	Practical Resources Pipping diagrams and blueprints. Pipes and fittings for practical assembly. Leak testing
Course S Year: 1 Term: 3 Week 11 - 12	pecification: General Obje Theoretical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Explain the basic principles of pipe installation 5.2 Explain the importance of	Teacher's Activities 5.1 Discuss the basic principles of pipe installation 5.2 Discuss the importance of following instruction	o make pipe installation Learning Resources Charts and posters Textbooks Whiteboard Marker	on assembly under supe Practical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Interpret simple pipe layout diagrams or blueprints 5.2 Demonstrate how to align, connect, and secure pipes using	Teacher's Activities Guide students on how to read and interpret piping diagrams. Guide student through the installation process	Practical Resources Pipping diagrams and blueprints. Pipes and fittings for practical assembly. Leak testing equipment (e.g.,
Course S Year: 1 Term: 3 Week 11 - 12	pecification: General Obje Theoretical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Explain the basic principles of pipe installation 5.2 Explain the importance of following	Teacher's Activities 5.1 Discuss the basic principles of pipe installation 5.2 Discuss the importance of following instruction during installation	o make pipe installation Learning Resources Charts and posters Textbooks Whiteboard Marker	on assembly under supe Practical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Interpret simple pipe layout diagrams or blueprints 5.2 Demonstrate how to align, connect, and secure pipes using appropriate methods	Teacher's Activities Guide students on how to read and interpret piping diagrams. Guide student through the installation process Facilitate a	Practical Resources Pipping diagrams and blueprints. Pipes and fittings for practical assembly. Leak testing equipment (e.g., pressure gauges,
Course S Year: 1 Term: 3 Week 11 - 12	pecification: General Obje Theoretical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Explain the basic principles of pipe installation 5.2 Explain the importance of following instruction	Teacher's Activities 5.1 Discuss the basic principles of pipe installation 5.2 Discuss the importance of following instruction during installation 5.3 Discuss the	o make pipe installation Learning Resources Charts and posters Textbooks Whiteboard Marker	on assembly under supe Practical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Interpret simple pipe layout diagrams or blueprints 5.2 Demonstrate how to align, connect, and secure pipes using appropriate methods (e.g., threading,	Teacher's Activities Guide students on how to read and interpret piping diagrams. Guide student through the installation process Facilitate a troubleshooting	Practical Resources Pipping diagrams and blueprints. Pipes and fittings for practical assembly. Leak testing equipment (e.g., pressure gauges, soapy water)
Course S Year: 1 Term: 3 Week	pecification: General Obje Theoretical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Explain the basic principles of pipe installation 5.2 Explain the importance of following instruction during	Teacher's Activities 5.1 Discuss the basic principles of pipe installation 5.2 Discuss the importance of following instruction during installation 5.3 Discuss the requirements for	o make pipe installation Learning Resources Charts and posters Textbooks Whiteboard Marker	on assembly under supe Practical Content Specific Learning Outcome 5.1 Interpret simple pipe layout diagrams or blueprints 5.2 Demonstrate how to align, connect, and secure pipes using appropriate methods (e.g., threading, welding, gluing,	Teacher's Activities Guide students on how to read and interpret piping diagrams. Guide student through the installation process Facilitate a troubleshooting session on identifying	Practical Resources Pipping diagrams and blueprints. Pipes and fittings for practical assembly. Leak testing equipment (e.g., pressure gauges, soapy water)
5.3 Explain	5.3 Select and install	common installation				
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installation	the correct pipe	errors.				
requirements	fittings (e.g., elbows,	Guide student to				
	tees, couplings, based	perform leak test				
	on system					
	requirement)					
	5.4 Use appropriate					
	tools (e.g., pipe					
	wrenches, pipe					
	threaders, pipe					
	benders) safely and					
	effectively during					
	assembly.					
	5.5 Test the installed					
	pipes					

TAPS AND DIES

PROGRAM:	National Technical Certificate in Industrial Mechanics					
MODULE:	CIM 215: Tap and Dies					
DURATION:	Hours: 72HRS					
PRE-						
REQUISITE						
GOAL:	This module is primarily designed to equip the trainees with the skills necessary to create internal and external threads on various					
	materials using taps and dies.					
GENERAL OBJECTIV	ES:					
On completion of this	model, the students should be able to:					
1. Know approp	riate drills, taps and die tools for a successful threading operation					
2. Understand t	2. Understand the rudiments and techniques of threading operations					
3. Know how to	3. Know how to perform internal thread cutting operation					
4. Know how to	perform external thread cutting operation					

PROGRAM: NTC IN INDUSTRIAL MECHANICS							
COURSE: TAPS AN	D DIES		Course Code: CIM			Year: 2 Term: 1	
Course Specificati	ion: General Objective	1.0 Know appropriat	e drills, taps and die to	ools for a successful	threading operation		
Year: 2	Theoretical Content			Practical Content			
Term: 1							
Week	Specific Learning	Teacher's	Learning	Specific Learning	Teacher's	Practical Resources	
	Outcome	Activities	Resources	Outcome	Activities		
1-2	1.1 Explain threading	1.1 Discuss	Samples of threaded	1.1 Identify	1.1 Show students	Round dies	
	1.2 List the tools	threading,	fasteners (nuts,	different threading	threaded fasteners	Adjustable dies	
	used for	1.2 Explain the	bolts, screws)	and their	and components	Taper plug	
	threading	tools used for	Charts of thread	applications	to illustrate their	Bottoming taps	
	1.3 Explain the	threading	types and	1.2 Select the	applications	Drill bits	
	applications of	1.3 Discuss the	specifications.	correct drill bit size	1.2 Guide students	Bolts, nuts, and screws	
	taps and dies	applications	Diagram and posters	for pre-tapping	on how to select		
	1.4 Identify different	of taps and	Whiteboard	holes based on	the correct drill bit		
	types of taps	dies	Marker	thread size	size for pre-		
	(e.g., taper, plug,	1.4 Describe the		specifications.	tapping holes		
	bottoming taps)	different types		1.3 Identify	based on thread		
	and dies (e.g.,	of taps and		different types of	size specifications		
	round dies,	dies		taps and dies	1.3 Guide student		
	adjustable dies)	1.5 Discuss the			to identify		
	and their specific	functions and			different types of		
	USES	applications			taps and dies		
	1.5 Explain the	of each toot in					
	applications and	the threading					
	applications of	process.					
	threading						
	nreading						
	process						

Year: 2	General Objec	General Objective 2.0: Understand the rudiments and techniques of threading operations					
Term: 1	Contact Hour 1	1-2					
Week	Specific Learn	ing Teacher's	Learning	Specific	Teacher's	Practical Resources	
	Outcome	Activities	Resources	Learning Outcome	Activities		
3–4 2.1 Differentiate between internal threading (tapping) and external threading (using dies) 2.2 List different types of threads (e.g., metric, imperial, fine, coarse) 2.3 Explain the applications of each type of thread in 2.2		te 2.1 Explain internal threading (tapping) and external threading (using dies) (using dies) 2.2 Discuss (using dies) 2.2 Discuss (different types of threads (e.g., metric, imperial, fine, coarse) each in 2.2 applications of	Charts and posters Diagrams of different threading system Sample taps and dies	2.1 Select the appropriate tools (taps, dies, thread gauges, cutting fluids) based on material and thread type.	2.1 Guide students to select appropriate tools (taps, dies, thread gauges, cutting fluids) based on material and thread type.	Taps Dies Thread gauges Cutting oil	
Year: 2	above.	each type of thread in 2.2 above. 0: Know how to perform int	ernal thread-cutting o	perations.			
Term: 1							
Week	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Learning	Specific Learning	Teacher's	Practical Resources	
	Outcome		Resources	Outcome	Activities		
5–8	3.1 Explain the internal thread	3.1 Discuss the internal thr3.2 Explain hand taps, my	read Hand taps Machine taps Thread inserts	3.1 Select appropriate tools and materials	3.1 Guide students to select appropriate tools	Drill bits Set of taps Tap wrench	
	3.2 Differentiate between hand taps,	machine taps, and thread i	nsert Whiteboard Marker	3.2 Drill the correct hole for internal threading	and materials 3.2 Guide students to	Lubricant Bench vice Drilling Machine	

	machine taps, and	3.3 Explain the internal thread-		3.3 Perform	prepare workpiece	
	thread inserts.	cutting process		manual internal	for internal	
				thread cutting	threading	
	3.3 Describe the	3.4 Discuss workpiece			3.3 Guide	
	internal thread-	preparation for internal			students to	
	cutting process	threading			perform manual	
					internal thread	
	3.4 Explain	3.5 Discuss how to manually			cutting.	
	Workpiece	cut an internal thread using a			_	
	Preparation for	tap wrench				
	Internal Threading					
		3.6 Discuss common tap				
	3.5 Explain how to	defects and how to avoid them				
	cut internal threads					
	using a tap wrench					
	manually					
	3.6 Describe					
	common tap defects					
	and how to avoid					
	them					
Year: 2	General Objective 4.	0: Know how to perform externa	l thread-cutting op	erations.		
Term: 1			1			1
Week	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Learning	Specific Learning	Teacher's	Practical Resources
	Outcome		Resources	Outcome	Activities	
9–12	4.1 Explain the	4.1 Discuss the external thread	Die	4.1 Select	4.1 Guide	Die sets
	external thread	4.2 Explain the manual and	Die, holder,	appropriate tools	students to select	Die, holder
	4.2 Describe manual	machine external thread-	Metal rod	and materials	the correct tools	Metal rods and
	and machine	cutting process	Whiteboard		4.2 Guide	threaded fasteners
			Marker		students to	

external thread-	4.3 Discuss workpiece	4.2 Perform	practice external	Cutting fluids and
cutting processes.	preparation for external	manual external	threading on	lubricants
4.3 Explain	threading	thread-cutting	metal rods	
workpiece	4.4 Discuss how to manually		4.3 Conduct a	
preparation for	cut an external thread using a		group activity	
external threading	die		where students	
4.4 Explain how to	4.5 Discuss common die		pair taps and die	
cut external threads	defects and how to avoid them		with their correct	
using a die manually			applications.	
4.5 Describe				
common die defects				
and how to avoid				
them				

PROGRAM:	National Technical Certificate in Industrial Mechanics
MODULE:	CIM 116: Hand and Power Tools
DURATION:	Hours 72HRS
PRE- REQUISITE	
GOAL:	This module introduces trainees to the fundamentals of power and hand tools, focusing on their identification, operation, maintenance, and safety procedures.
GENERAL OBJECTIV	/ES:
On completion of this	model, the students should be able to:
1. Know Hand a	ind power tools
2. Understand S	Safe handling and maintenance of tools
3. Know how to	use basic hand tools
4. Know how to	use basic power tools
5. Know Tool se	election for specific tasks

Year: 1 Term: 1	General Objective 1.0	D: Know hand and power tools.				
Week	Specific Learning Outcome	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning Outcome	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources
1-2	 1.1 Explain hand and power tools and their applications 1.2 List examples of hand and power tools 1.3 Classify tools based on function (cutting, fastening, measuring, holding) 1.4 Different between hand tools and power tools 1.5 Explain the importance of tools in various trades (e.g., carpentry, plumbing, mechanics) 	1.1 Discuss hand and power tools and their applications 1.2 Display common tools and explain their uses	Hand and Power tools (hammers, drills, pliers, wrenches, screwdrivers) Charts and posters showing different tools Videos demonstrating tool usage.	1.1 Identify basic hand and power tools (e.g., hammers, screwdrivers, drills, saws)	1.1 Display common hand and power tools 1.2 Guide students to identify different hand and power tools with their applications	Torque Wrench Grinders Electric drill Cordless drill Wrenches Hammers Screwdrivers Saws Micrometer Vernier Caliper Dial indicator, etc.

Year: 1	General Objective 2.0: Understand safe handling and maintenance of tools.					
Term: 1			1	1	1	
Week	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning	Teacher's	Practical Resources
	Outcome			Outcome	Activities	
3–4	2.1 List of general	2.1 Explain the general	Safety wears (gloves,			
	safety rules for	safety rules for handling	goggles, ear plug/muff)			
	handling hand and	hand and power tools	Tools: instructional			
	power tools	2.2 Demonstrate how to	manuals and safety			
	2.2 Describe the	check tools for damage	guidelines.			
	importance of PPE	before use.	Demonstration tools in			
	(Personal protective	2.3 Discuss the proper	different conditions			
	Equipment)	storage techniques to	(new, worn out,			
	2.3 Explain how to	prevent tool damage.	damage)			
	inspect, clean and	2.4 Demonstrate the	_			
	store tools properly	proper lifting and				
	2.4 Explain proper	handling techniques for				
	lifting and handling	heavy tools.				
	techniques for heavy	2.5 Discuss real-life				
	tools.	accidents related to				
		improper tool use and				
		how to prevent them				
Year: 1	General Objective 3.0	0: Know how to use basic l	nand tools.			
Term: 1	-					
Week	Specific Learning	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning	Teacher's	Practical Resources
	Outcome			Outcome	Activities	
5-7	3.1 Explain the	3.1 Discuss the correct	Measuring tools (tape	3.1 Demonstrate	3.2 Organize	Measuring tape
	proper usage of	technique for using each	measures, rules).	the correct	hands-on	Rule
	measuring tools	type of hand tool.	Cutting tools (saws,	technique for	exercises where	Scriber
	(tape measure, ruler,		utility knives)	using each type of	students measure,	Center punch
	square)			hand tool.		Precision square

	 3.2 Explain the correct use of cutting tools, e.g., Handsaws, utility knives 3.3 Explain the proper usage and operation of fastening tools (screwdrivers, wrenches, and pliers) 		Fastening tools (screwdrivers, pliers) Wood and metal samples for practice.	3.2 Use different tools to carry out task	cut, and fasten materials 3.3 Supervise students as they practice using tools on wood or metal	Try square Micrometer Vernier caliper Saws Wrenches Screwdrivers etc. Wood, hollow pipes, and metal samples PPEs
Year: 1 Term: 1	General Objective 4.0	0: Know how to use basic p	oower tools.			
Week	Specific Learning Outcome	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning Outcome	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources
8–10	 4.1 Explain the proper identification of key power tools such as electric drills, jigsaws, and hand grinders 4.2 Explain how to safely operate basic power tools 4.3 Explain the use of power tools to perform operations such as drilling balas authing ward 	 4.1 Discuss the proper identification of key power tools 4.2 Discuss safety in operating power tools 4.3 Discuss the use of power tools to drill, cut grind, etc. 	Electric drills, jigsaws, angle grinders Extension cords and workbench. Protective equipment (goggles, gloves) Practical materials (wood planks, metal sheets)	 4.1 Demonstrate the setup of power tools 4.2 Demonstrate how to safely operate basic power tools 4.3 Use power tools to drill, cut, grind, etc. 	 4.1 Guide students on the setup of some power tools 4.2 Guide students on how to safely operate power tools to cut, grind and drill samples 4.3 supervise hands-on practice sessions, ensuring 	Cordless drill Hand drill Hand grinder Jigsaws PPEs

	and grinding				correct use of	
Year: 1 Term: 1	General Objective 5.	0: Know tool selection for s	specific tasks.		tools.	
Week	Specific Learning Outcome	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning Outcome	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources
11-12	 5.1 Explain the process of selecting appropriate tools for measuring, cutting, and assembling materials. 5.2 Explain the identification of suitable tools for woodworking and metalworking 5.3 Explain how to justify the choice of tools for specific tasks based on material type and project requirements. 	 5.1 Discuss the process of selecting the appropriate tools for specific task 5.2 Discuss the identification of suitable tools for woodwork and metal work 5.3 Discuss why certain tools are more effective for specific material and tasks 	A variety of materials (wood, metal, plastic) Toolkits for student use Scenario cards with task descriptions. Whiteboard Markers	5.1 Select appropriate tools 5.2 Execute a simple project	5.1 present different scenarios to the students (e.g., assembling furniture, cutting metal) and have student choose appropriate tools 5.2 Organize group activities where students plan and execute a small project using selected tools	A variety of materials (wood, metal, plastic) Toolkits for student use Scenario cards with task descriptions. PPEs

MECHANICAL DRIVE SYSTEMS AND PUMPS

PROGRAM:	National Technical Certificate in Industrial Mechanics
MODULE:	CIM 317: MECHANICAL DRIVE SYSTEMS AND PUMPS
DURATION:	Hours 96HRS
PRE- REQUISITE	
GOAL:	This module is primarily designed to equip the trainees with the fundamental knowledge and practical skills required to understand, operate, maintain, and troubleshoot mechanical drive systems and pumps used in industries.
GENERAL OBJECTI	VES:
On completion of th	s model, the students should be able to:
1. Understand	the definitions, functions, applications, and classifications of drive components.
2. Understand the definition, principles, and method of selecting pumps.	
3. Understand the principles and process of packing, sealing, repairing, and maintaining pumps.	
4. Know the function, types, and classification of belt and chain drives.	
5. Know the fu	nctions and types of gears in a transmission system.
6. Understand	the definition, principles, and applications of valves used in engineering.

Year 3, Term 1&2	General Objective 1.0: Unde	erstand the definitions, f	unctions, applications, a	nd classifications of dr	ive components.	
Week	Specific Learning Outcome	Teacher's Activities	Learning Resources	Specific Learning Outcome	Teacher's Activities	Practical Resources
1-4	 1.1 Define mechanical drive systems 1.2 Explain the importance 	1.1 Discuss mechanical drive systems1.2 Discuss common mechanical drives and	Textbooks Multimedia Charts and posters Whiteboard	1.1 Identify the classes of mechanical drives and their	 1.1 Display different mechanical drives 1.2 Guide student to identify different drives 	Models of power drives Belt Chain
	of mechanical drive systems in power transmission.	explain their application in industries 1.3 Discuss the classes of mechanical drives	Marker	applications in industries. 1.1 Identify different types of couplings and gears	and state their application	Gears Couplings
	1.3 Identify common mechanical drive and explain their application in industries					
	 1.4 List the classes of mechanical drives based on types. E.g. 					
	Frictional Drives (belt drives) Positive drives (chain drives)					
	Gear Drives (Spur gear drives, bevel gears)					

	Coupling Drives (Flexible, rigid, and fluid coupling drives) 1.5 Explain the advantages					
	of one class of drive over					
	the others.					
	General Objective 2.0: Unde	erstand the definition, pr	inciples, and method of s	electing pumps.		
5–8	2.1 Explain pump	2.1 Discuss pump, its function, classification	Textbooks Multimedia	2.1 Sketch and label the following:	2.1 Guide students on how to sketch the	Gear pump Centrifugal
	2.2 State the function of	and applications.	Charts	Gear pump, rotary	types of pump	pump Distan
	pump	2.2 Discuss the	Picture of pumps.	pump, centriligat		Piston pump
	 2.3 Outline the classes of pump a) Gear pump b) Rotary pump c) Centrifugal pump d) Reciprocating pump 2.2 Explain the methods and system requirements in selecting pumps for use. 2.3 Explain various pumping systems, e.g: a. Water pumping systems b. Waste handling systems. 	 2.2 Discuss the methods and system requirements in selecting pumps for use. 2.3 Discuss the various pumping systems. 2.4 Discuss the basic principles of gear pumps, rotary pumps, and centrifugal pumps. 2.5 Discuss the difference 	Samples of pumps.	pump		

	 2.4 Describe the basic principles of gear pumps, rotary pumps, and centrifugal pumps. 2.5 Explain the difference between centrifugal and rotary pumps. 	between centrifugal and Rotary pumps.				
	General Objective 3.0: Unde	erstand the principles an	d process of packing, sea	ling, repairing, and ma	aintaining of pump	
9–12	 3.1 Explain the principles and process of packing a pump 3.2 Outline the principles and process of sealing a pump. 3.3 Outline the importance of packing and sealing equipment 3.4 List different types of materials for packing. 3.5 Outline the types of sealing e.g., mechanical seal. 	 3.1 Discuss the principles and process of packing and sealing a pump. 3.2 Discuss the importance of packing and sealing Equipment 3.3 Discuss different types of materials for packing. 3.4 Discuss types of sealing e.g., mechanical seals. 2.5 Discuss the types 	Textbooks Chart Posters pumps Pump seals and glands	 3.1 Select the correct types of materials for packing 3.2 Carry out the procedures of packing and sealing a pump 3.3 Identify types of sealing, e.g., mechanical seal. 3.4 Installing packing materials in pumps 	 3.1 Guide students to select the correct types of materials for packing 3.2 Guide students on the procedures of packing and sealing a pump 3.3 Demonstrate the method of installing packing materials in pumps. 	Packing glands Mechanical seals Pumps Wrenches Screwdrivers Workbench
	3.6 Explain the types of packing gland.	3.5 Discuss the types of packing glands.				

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	 3.7 Explain the method of installing packing materials in pumps. 3.8 State the safety precautions to be observed when packing and sealing any se	 3.6 Discuss the method of installing packing materials in pumps. 3.7 Discuss the safety precautions to be observed when packing and eacling any packing any				
	equipment.	and seating equipment.				
	General Objective 4.0: Knov	w the function, types, and	d classification of belt an	d chain drives.		
1-4	4.1 State the functions and	4.1 Discuss the	Textbooks	4.1 Identify the	4.1 Display different	Toolbox
	applications of belt drives.	functions and	Charts	classes of belt	classes of belt	Round belt
		applications of belt	Multimedia			Flat belt
	4.2 Explain the types and	drives.		4.2 Disassemble and	4.2 Guide students to	V belt
	classification of belts, e.g.			assemble a belt	identify classes of belt	Toothed belt
	a. Round belt	4.2 Discuss the types		drive on a machine		PPEs
	b. Flat belt	and classification of			4.3 Guide students to	
	c. V belt	belts as		4.3 Disassemble and	disassemble and	
	d. Toothed belt	listed in 6.2		assemble a chain	assemble belt and	
	e. Link belt			drive on a machine	chain drives on a	
		4.3 Discuss the			machine.	
	4.3 Explain the	characteristics and				
	characteristics, features of	features of belt drive.				
	belt drive.					
		4.4 Discuss creep and				
	4.4 Explain creep and	the causes of creep				
	hysteresis in belt drives.	and hysteresis in belt				
		drives.				

	4.5 Outline the causes of	4.5 Discuss why the				
	creep and hysteresis	performance of the				
		Drive depends more on				
	4.6 Explain why the	the pulley type than				
	performance of the drive	the belt section.				
	depends more on the pulley					
	type than the belt section.	4.6 Discuss the				
		functions and				
	4.7 Explain the functions	application of chain.				
	and application of chain	Discuss types of chain				
	drive.	in industry				
	4.8 Explain types of chain	4.7 Discuss the terms		Identify types of	Show students the	
	in industry, e.g.	concentric, parallel,		chain in industry as	different types of	
	i. Metric chains	and vertical and right-		stated in	chains	
	ii. Engineers chain	angle shaft reducers in		7.2		
	iii. Revenue chain	chain drive.				
	iv. Band chain			Identify concentric,	Show students	
				parallel, vertical and	concentric, parallel,	
	4.9 Explain the terms			right angle shaft	vertical and right angle	
	concentric, parallel, and			reducers in chain	shaft reducers in chain	
	vertical and right angle			drivers		
	shaft reducers in chain					
	drives.					
	General Objective 5.0: Know	w the functions and type	s of gears in a transmissi	on system.	ſ	
5–8	5.1 Define gear	5.1 Discuss gears and	Textbooks	5.1 Identify various	5.1 Display different	Gear box
		the functions of gears	Charts	types of gear	types of gears	Toolbox
	5.2 Explain the functions of	in transmission	multimedia			PPEs
	gear in a transmission	System				Spur gear

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	system.			5.1 Select the	5.2 Guide students to	Helical gear
		5.2 Discuss the various		various types of	select appropriate	Herringbone
	5.3 Describe the following	types of gears used in		gears used in	gears	gear
	types of gears:	engineering.		engineering		Bevel gear
	a. spur gears				5.3 Guide students to	Worm gear
	b. helical gears	5.3 Discuss the		5.2 Carry out gear	carry out assembling of	
	c. herringbone gears	importance and		assembling of a	gears	
	d. bevel gears	applications of gears in		gearbox		
	e. worm gears	transmitting motion.				
	5.4 Explain the importance	5.4 Discuss causes of				
	and application of gear in	gear				
	transmitting motions.	Misalignment				
	5.5 Outline causes of gear					
	misalignment (out of mesh).					
	General Objective 6.0: Unde	erstand the definition, pr	inciples, and application	s of valves used in eng	ineering.	
9–12	6.1 Explain valves	6.1 Discuss the	Textbooks	6.1 Identify the	6.1 Show students the	Globe valve
		principles of valves	Charts	various	different types of	Piston valve
	6.2 Explain the principles of		multimedia	types of valves	valves	Gate valve
	valves	6.2 Discuss the various				Butterfly valve
		types of valves		6.2 Carry out method	6.2 Demonstrate to	Ball valve
	6.3 Describe the various			of sealing a valve	students the	Diaphragm
	types of valve, e.g.,	6.3 Discuss the			application	valve
	Globe valves	different applications		6.3 Carry out	of valves in a given	Toolbox
	Piston valve	of valves used in		maintenance work	engineering operation	Seals
	Gate valve	engineering.		on a given valve.		PPEs
	Butterfly valve					
	Ball valve					

6.4 Explain the different application of valves.	6.4 Discuss the method of sealing a valve.		6.3 Show student's methods of sealing a valve	
	6.5 Discuss the care			
6.5 Describe the method of	maintenance of valves.		6.4 Show students how	
sealing a valve.			to carry out	
			Maintenance work on a	
6.6 Explain the			given valve.	
maintenance of valves.				

Guidelines for Book Writers

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GUIDELINES FOR TEXTBOOK WRITERS

The following guidelines are suggestions from the Engineering Committees to the writers of the textbooks for the new curricula. They are intended to supplement the detailed syllabuses that have been produced and that define the content and level of the courses.

Authors should bear in mind that the curriculum has been designed to give the students a broad understanding of applications in industry and commerce, and this is reflected in the curriculum objectives.

One book should be produced for each syllabus

Page size should be A4

The font size should be 12 points for normal text and 14 points where emphasis is needed.

Line spacing should be set to 1.5 lines

Headings and subheadings should be emboldened

Photographs, diagrams, and charts should be used extensively throughout the book, and these items must be up-to-date

In all cases, the material must be related to industry and commerce, using real-life examples wherever possible so that the book is not just a theory book. It must help the students to see the subject in the context of the 'real word.'

The philosophy of the courses is one of an integrated approach to theory and practice, and as such, the books should reflect this by not making an artificial divide between theory and practice.

Examples should draw from Nigeria wherever possible, so that the information is set in a country text.

Each chapter should end with student self-assessment questions (SAG) so that students can check their own mastery of the subject.

Accurate instructions should be given for any practical work, having first conducted the practical to check that the instructions do indeed work.

The books must have a proper index or table of contents, a list of references, and an introduction based on the overall course philosophy and aims of the syllabus.

Symbols and units must be listed, and a unified approach is used throughout the book.

In case of queries regarding the contents of the books and the depth of information, the author must contact the relevant curriculum committee via the National Board for Technical Education.

The final draft version of the books should be submitted to Nigerian members of the curriculum working groups for their comments regarding the content in relation to the desired syllabus.

LIST OF BOOKS AND REFERENCES

"Machine Tools Handbook" by K. A. Lee covers basic metalworking techniques, tools, and machine operation principles.

"Fundamentals of Metalworking" by A. A. B. M. Khan Offers a clear understanding of metalworking processes, materials, and tools

"Introduction to Metalworking" by P. A. F. Olayemi A guide that covers the basics of metalworking, including safety, materials, and tools used in metal fabrication.

"Materials Science for Engineers" by K. O. I. Ige *Provides insight into the properties and behavior of materials, with practical implications for engineering design.*

"Materials Science and Engineering: An Introduction" by William D. Callister *A detailed textbook on the structure, properties, and processing of materials.*

"Materials Selection in Mechanical Design" by Michael F. Ashby This book guides on selecting the right materials for engineering applications.

"Hydraulic Systems Design and Maintenance" by O. O. Aladejana

A practical guide to understanding and maintaining hydraulic and pneumatic systems commonly used in industry.

"Principles of Industrial Maintenance" by O. O. Olatunji

A comprehensive resource on the principles of maintenance, including maintenance management, tools, and best practices.

"Fluid Power with Applications" by Anthony Esposito This book covers the basics of fluid power, including hydraulics and pneumatics.

"Introduction to Fluid Power" by James R. D.

A detailed guide to fluid power systems in industry, including theory and practice.

"Modern Plumbing and Pipe Fitting Techniques" by O. A. Adebayo

Introduces the theory and practice behind plumbing systems, focusing on pipefitting techniques commonly used in Nigeria.

"Maintenance Engineering Handbook" by Keith Mobley

A comprehensive resource on maintenance management, planning, and reliability.

"Maintenance Reliability Best Practices" by Ramesh Gulati

Practical guide to improving maintenance systems and increasing reliability.

"Pipefitting Level 1" by NCCER

Textbook for understanding pipefitting basics, including tools and safety practices.

"Modern Pipefitting" by Russell H. Pannell

Detailed coverage on pipefitting methods, tools, and techniques used in the industry.

"Practical Guide to Tap & Die" by George Goodfellow

A focused manual on the use of taps and dies for threading operations.

"The Complete Modern Blacksmith" by Alexander G. Weygers

A classic text on metalworking, including tapping and die use for beginners.

"Basic Machining Techniques: Tap and Die" by A. S. Salami

A book that covers the practical application of tap and die in machining and metalworking, specifically for industrial mechanics students.

"The Complete Home Workshop: Hand Tools & Power Tools" by Thomas J. Cumpston

A comprehensive guide to both hand and power tools used in industrial settings.

"Fundamentals of Machine Tools" by W. H. Leland

This book covers both hand tools and power-driven tools used in the machining process.

"Workshop Practice for Technical Students" by M. B. Bakare

A hands-on guide covering the safe and effective use of hand and power tools in mechanical and industrial workshops.

"Mechanical Power Transmission" by Philip J. Simmonds Covers various mechanical drive systems such as belts, pulleys, chains, and gears.

"Centrifugal Pumps: Design and Application" by Val S. Lobanoff A thorough guide to understanding the design, operation, and application of centrifugal pumps.

"Mechanical Drives: Design, Application, and Maintenance" by G. A. Ogundele A resource on mechanical drive systems, including gears, pulleys, and belts, along with their maintenance and troubleshooting.

"Gas Welding and Cutting" by E. O. Fagbemi A practical guide focused on the use of oxy-acetylene welding and cutting techniques.

"Welding: Principles and Applications" by Larry Jeffus An extensive guide to gas welding and cutting processes, with practical insights.

"The Oxy-Acetylene Handbook" by Roy A. Parisher Specializes in oxy-acetylene welding and cutting techniques.

"Introduction to Welding Techniques" by M. A. O. Shittu A comprehensive overview of various welding methods with a special focus on metal arc welding.

"Welding Technology" by Richard L. Little Comprehensive book covering all welding technologies, with specific focus on arc welding.

"The Art of Welding" by Edward R. Bauer

Provides an overview of arc welding techniques, including tips for professionals.

"Machining Fundamentals" by John R. Walker

Covers the essentials of machining, including turning, and other fundamental processes.

"Lathe Operation" by K. C. John Focuses on the basics of turning operations on a lathe machine.

"The Milling Machine for Home Machinists" by Harold Hall

An excellent guide for both beginners and experienced machinists interested in milling.

"Advanced Milling Technology" by James A. Martell An in-depth look at the principles and techniques of advanced milling.

"Grinding Technology: Theory and Applications of Machining with Abrasives" by Stephen M. Stout *This book explains the science of grinding, including practical and theoretical aspects.*

"Principles of Modern Grinding Technology" by W. Brian Rowe A modern approach to grinding, covering both the theory and industrial applications.

LIST OF LABORATORIES:

Physics Laboratory

Mechanical workshop

Chemistry

Metal Work.

Technical Drawing Lab

MINIMUM LIST OF TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT MECHANICAL ENGINEERING CRAFT PRATICE TOOL LIST.

S/NO	TOOLS	MINIMUM	QUANTITY AVAILABLE	ADDITIONAL QUANTITY REQUIRED
		QUANTITY		
		REQUIRED		
1	FITTING			
	Vices 150mm	20		
2	Benches	10		
3	Hacksaw FRAMES	20		
4	Files	20 each		
	250mm flat rough	"		
	10" Hand rough	"		
	10" Round rough	"		
	10" Three rough	"		
	10" Square rough	"		
	10" Half round 2 nd cut	"		
	200mm Warding file 100"	"		
	Retail file	"		
	Wallets of warding files	"		
5	Steel rules (12") 300m	50		
6	Tape rule 1000mm	20		
7	Dividers	30		
8	Scribers	50		
9	Pocket size (200mm) calipers Vanier digital	10		
10	Centre punches	50		
11.	Hammer small size	20		
12.	Hammer medium size	10		
13.	Oil can	30		

14.	Pair of Pliers 150mm	20	
15.	Toolbox & lock	30	
16.	Odd-leg calipers	20	
17.	Engineers Squares 100	15	
18.	Screwdrivers 200mm	50	
19.	Pair of tin snips Nippy vice	25	
	Basic Electricity		
20.	Multimeters (digital)	10	
21.	Insulation testers	5	
22.	Soldering irons	20	
23.	Wire strippers	20	
24.	Electrical tape	2 packs	
25.	Circuit boards and components (resistors,	Assorted	
	capacitors, switches, etc.)		
26.	Small electrical motors	10	
	Material Selection		
27.	Material samples (steel, aluminum, copper,	Assorted	
	plastics, etc.)		
28.	Hardness testing kits	5	
29.	Surface finish gauges	5	
30.	Material charts and reference guides	20	
31.	Tensile testing machine	1	
	Fluid Power System		
32.	Pneumatic Compressors	2	
33.	Hydraulic pumps	2	
34.	Hydraulic cylinders	10	
35	Pneumatic valves and actuators	10	
36.	Manometers (pressure gauges)	10	
37.	Tubing (flexible and rigid)	Assorted	

38.	Fittings and connectors	Assorted	
39.	Fluid reservoirs	5	
	Maintenance & Reliability		
40.	Torque wrenches	5	
41.	Grease guns	5	
42.	Bearing pullers	5	
43.	Hydraulic jacks	5	
44.	Oiling and lubrication systems	5	
	Pipe Fitting		
45.	Pipe benders	5	
46.	Pipe cutters	5	
47.	Pipe threaders	5	
48.	Pipe wrenches	10	
49	Soldering torches	5	
50	Fittings (elbows, tees, couplings)	Assorted	
51	Pipes (PVC, copper, steel, etc.)	Assorted	
	Taps & Dies		
52.	Tap and die sets (various sizes)	5 sets	
53.	Threading lubricant	Assorted	
54.	Tapping tools	10	
55.	Dies	10	
56.	Tap wrenches	10	
	Hand and Power Tools		
57.	Drills (electric, corded or cordless)	10	
58.	Angle grinders	5	
59.	Power Band saws	2	
60.	Bench grinders	4	
61.	Sanders	2	
	Mechanical Drive Systems and Pumps		

62.	Pulley and belt systems (various sizes)	Assorted	
63.	Chain and sprocket systems	Assorted	
64.	Gearboxes (different types)	5	
65.	Electric motors (variety of sizes)	10	
66.	Pumps (centrifugal, diaphragm, gear)	5	
	Gas Welding and Cutting		
67.	Oxyacetylene welding kits (tanks, hoses,	5 kits	
	regulators, welding torch, cutting torch)		
68.	Protective gloves	50	
69.	Welding goggles	50	
70.	Welding face shields	30	
71.	Welding aprons	20	
72.	Gas cylinders (oxygen and acetylene)	5 Sets	
73.	Welding rods	Assorted	
74	Fire extinguishers	2	
	Metal Arc Welding		
75.	Arc welding machines	5	
76.	Welding electrodes	Assorted	
77.	Welding jackets	20	
78.	Electrode holders	5	
79.	Ground clamps	5	
	Fitting Workshop Equipment		
80.	Table Drilling machines	8	
81	Drilling machines Pillar	4	
82.	Drilling machines Radial	4	
83	Cord hand drilling machines	10	
84	Cordless Hand Drilling m/cs	10	
85.	Surface table 1200 x 1200mm (4'x4')	1	

86.	Surface plates 500 x 500 mm (18"x18")	5	
87.	Surface Gauge	10	
88.	Vanier Height Gauges	4	
89.	Vee Blocks 100 x 100 mm pairs	4	
90.	Vee Blocks 200mm	10	
91.	Parallel strips (pairs) 37 x 25x300	30	
92.	Flat scrapers	4	
93.	Half-round scrapers	15	
94.	Triangular scrapers	15	
95.	Stock and Dies	20	
96.	Metric sets 3mm–12mm	10	
97.	(BA) 150 sets 0-10	5	
98.	Sockets spanners 3-22mm	15	
99.	Open-ended 3-22 mm (spanner)	10	
100.	Pedestal Grinders	5	
101.	Reamers 3-25 mm	3 set	
102.	Machine Reamers 3.25mm	3	
103.	Dial Gauge	3	
104	Chisels Flat	10 each "	
	Round	"	
	Diamond	"	
	Cross cut		
105	Drills	5 each "	
	Straight shank 11/2 – 10mm Straight	"	
	shank 6 – 15mm Tapered shank 3 –	"	

	22mm		
106	Drift	10	
107	Heat treatment furnace (medium size)	3	
108	Micrometer 0-25	3	
	25 – 50	3	
	50 – 75	3	
	75 – 100	3	
	100 – 125	3	
	125 – 150	3	
109	Protractors	10	
110	Bevel Square	3	
111	Combination sets	3	
112	Vanier	3	
113	Limit Gauge	2	
114	Plug gauges	2	
115	Slip gauges (set)	10	
116	Feeler 05 – 64	2	
117	Engineers squares 150mm	2	
118	Caliper	2	
119	Screw pitch gauges	2	
120	Blacksmith forge (gas)	2	
121	Blacksmith Tools	2 each	
122	Anvil, hammers, chisels fuller, shape	2 each	
123	Block, pinches, and drifts	2	
124	Tongues of different types	2 each	
125	Arbor press	2 each	
126	Extractors	2	
127	Snips (Tin sheet) 200mm	2	
128	Stud extractors	2	

129	Circlip plier (internal & external)	2	
130	Pipe wrench 250mm	2	
131	Pipe wrench 250mm	2	
132	Self-grip wrench of mole grip	1	
133	Pipe Bender	1	
134	Guillotine machine	5	
135	G. Clamp	5	
136	Tool maker clamp	5	
	Turning		
137	Centre lathe 150	5	
138	Large size lathe 250	5	
139	Three jaw chuck	5	
140	Four jaw chuck independent and self-centering	2 each	
141	Face plate	1	
142	Taper turning attachment	1 each	
143	Driving plate	2	
144	Driving dog	1	
145	Mandrel– one each of all sizes	"	
146	Capstan and Turret lathes	"	
147	Screwing machine	5 each	
	Instruments Measuring		
148	Vernier caliper	"	
149			
150	Micrometers 0-25	"	
	25 - 50	"	
	75 - 100	"	
151	Boring tools	"	
152	Adjustable mandrill	"	
153	Sleeves: 0 – 1	1 each	

	1-2		
	2 - 3		
	3 - 4		
	4 – 5		
154	Centre drills	"	
155	Drill – sizes – all sizes	"	
156	Reamers: Parallel shank of all sizes	1 each	
157	Taper reamers – one each of all sizes	"	
158	Adjustable reamers	"	
159	Milling Cutters		
	Complete gauge of slab cutters	"	
160	Complete set of gearing cutters	"	
161	Assorted slitting saws	"	
162	Assorted side and face cutters	"	
163	Assorted end mills	"	
164	Assorted shell and mills	"	
165	Double angle cutters	"	
166	Single (60) left and right	"	
167	45° cutter (left and right)	"	
168	Complete range of form cutters (concave and	"	
	convex)		
169	30° single cutters (left and right)	"	
170	Universal boring heads	"	
171	Slot drills	2 each	
172	Face mill	2 each	
173	Milling Machines		
	Plain milling machine	"	
174	Vertical milling machine	2 each	
175	Universal milling machine	"	

176	<u>Accessories</u>		
	Dividing head	"	
177	Tail stock	"	
178	Indexing plate	"	
179	Collect chucks	"	
180	30mm dia. Arbors	"	
181	Rotary table	"	
182	Slotting attachment	"	
83	Can milling attachments	"	
184	Coolant pump	"	
185	Milling clamps	"	
186	Milling collars	"	
187	Universal vice	"	
188	Vertical attachment	2 each	
189	Medium parallel strips	2 each	
190	Drilling Machines	"	
	Portable breast drill		
191	Sensitive drilling machine	"	
192	Pillar drilling machine	"	
193	Radial drilling machine	"	
194	Drilling machine vice	"	
195	Solid angle plate	"	
196	Adjustable angle plate	"	
197	Drills (1mm dis – 6mm dia.)	"	
198	Drills (6mm dia. – 12mm dia.)	"	
199	Taper shank drills (13mm) diameter-40mm	"	
	diameter (in steps of 0.5mm)		
200	Taper sleeves of all sizes	"	
201	Machine reamer 6mm dia. to 25mm dia	"	

202	Adjustable reamer	"	
203	Floating reamer	"	
204	Small vee block	2 each	
205	Large vee block	"	
206	Countersinking tool of different sizes	"	
207	Counter boring tools of different sizes	"	
208	Parallel strips: - Medium size	u	
209	Large size	"	
210	Jacob chuck	2 each	
211	Jacob chuck key	"	
212	Boring bar micrometer	"	
213	Grinding Machine		
214	Grinding wheels (variety of grits)	Assorted	
215	Protective goggles	30	
216	Surface grinder	5	

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