

Report to the Dean & Faculty Assembly: AAS, Automotive Technology

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The University of New Mexico – Gallup’s AAS program in Automotive Technology was recently reviewed at the 19 October 2018 meeting of the Faculty Assembly Curriculum Committee. In a unanimous decision, and after carefully examining the material submitted by the Division of Business and Applied Technology, **the Committee decided to accept the Associate of Applied Science in Automotive Technology program review in its entirety.** However, the Committee did request that a Form C reducing the number of this program’s credit hours be submitted to the Curriculum Committee as soon as possible. The current seventy-five-credit-hour program needs to be closer to the standard sixty credit hours. Furthermore, the Committee requested a copy of the advisory board members (please email it to the Curriculum Committee chair so that it can be distributed to the Committee members). The Committee also made the following recommendations: 1) the program should track changes in student success/certification after curriculum revisions are made, 2) UNM-Gallup should provide a more adequate space for this program, and 3) the Dean should consider hiring a full-time, permanent faculty member for this program, rather than rely on a visiting instructor.

This program review was well-written, included all required materials, and made good use of the available data. The Curriculum Committee is confident that this program will continue to benefit and serve students well into our institution’s future.



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