



John Lopez Welding School

School Performance Fact Sheet

John Lopez Welding School offers courses throughout the year on various welding methods. Courses are designed to teach the welding skills that employers want.

General Welding Program

Enrollment period: January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2016

Completion Rates (Graduation Rates)

(includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)

General Welding – 13 weeks (487.5 Hours)

Calendar Year	Number of Students Who Began the Program	Students Available for Graduation	Number of On-time Graduates	On-time Completion Rate
2015	17	17	15	88.2%
2016	7	7	7	100.0%

Completion data is being reported for students completing within 150% of the published program length, and that data is not being separately reported for students completing the program within 100% of the published program length.

The completion rate is calculated by dividing the number of graduates (students who complete a program within 100-150 percent of the published program length) by the number of students available (students who have not died, been incarcerated, or called to active military duty) for graduation.

Student's Initials: _____ Date: _____

Initial only after you have had sufficient time to read and understand the information.

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Job Placement Rates

(includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)

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Calendar Year	Number of Students Who Began the Program	Number of Graduates	Graduates Available for Employment	Graduates Employed in the Field	Placement Rate % Employed in the Field
2015	17	15	12	7	58.3%
2016	7	7	7	5	71.4%

Completion data is being reported for students completing within 150% of the published program length, and that data is not being separately reported for students completing the program within 100% of the published program length.

The job placement rate is calculated by dividing the number of graduates employed in the field (graduates who are gainfully employed in a single position for which the institution represents the program prepares its graduates within six months after a student completes the applicable educational program) by the number of graduates available for employment (the number of graduates minus those who, after graduation, die, become incarcerated, are called to active military duty, are international students that leave the United States or do not have a visa allowing employment in the United States, or are continuing their education at an accredited or bureau-approved postsecondary institution) for each program that is either designed, or advertised, to lead to a particular career, or advertised or promoted with any claim regarding job placement rates. A list of the employment positions determined to be within the field for which a student received education and training for the calculation of job placement rates may be obtained by requesting it from the administrative offices via mail, email, telephone or fax at the contact information listed below.

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Gainful Employment Categories

(includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)

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Part Time vs. Full Time Employment

	Graduates Employed in the field 20 to 29 hours per week	Graduates Employed in the field at least 30 hours per week	Total Graduates Employed in the Field
2015	1	6	7
2016	0	5	5

Single Position vs. Concurrent Aggregated Positions

	Graduates Employed in the field in a single position	Graduates Employed in the field in concurrent aggregated positions	Total Graduates Employed in the Field
2015	7	0	7
2016	5	0	5

Self-Employed/Freelance Positions

	Graduates Employed who are self-employed or working freelance	Total Graduates Employed in the Field
2015	1	7
2016	0	5

Institutional Employment

	Graduates Employed in the field who are employed by the institution, an employer owned by the institution, or an employer who shares ownership with the institution	Total Graduates Employed in the Field
2015	1	7
2016	0	5

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Salary and Wage Information

(includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)

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Annual Salary and Wages Reported for Graduates Employed in the Field

Calendar Year	Graduates Available for Employment	Graduates Employed in the Field	\$15,000 to \$20,000	\$20,001 to \$25,000	\$25,001 to \$30,000	\$30,001 Plus	No Salary Information Reported
2015	12	7	0	0	1	6	0
2016	7	5	0	0	1	3	1

A list of sources used to substantiate salary disclosures is available from the school.

The annual Salary information is collected from graduates and sometimes employers. Salary is as reported by the student. Not all graduates reported salary. Wages are reported in various formats. (hourly, weekly, monthly, etc.) For comparison purposes they are all converted to a yearly wage. The list of wages by position and local used to substantiate the salary disclosure above may be obtained by requesting it from our administrative offices via mail, email, telephone or fax at the contact information listed below.

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Federal Student Loan Debt at John Lopez Welding School

John Lopez Welding School is eligible, but does not yet participate in federal student aid programs. None of our students receive federal student loans. There is no “most recent 3-year cohort default rate for federal student loans reported by the United States Department of Education” to report.

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Cost of Educational Program:

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Total Charges for the program for students completing on-time in 2016: \$18,600.

Total Charges may be higher for students that don't complete on-time.

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Definitions

"Number of Students Who Began the Program" means the number of students who began a program who were scheduled to complete the program within 100% of the published program length within the reporting calendar year and excludes all students who cancelled during the cancellation period.

"Students Available for Graduation" is the number of students who began the program minus the number of students who have died, been incarcerated, or been called to active military duty.

"Number of On-time Graduates" is the number of students who completed the program within 100% of the published program length within the reporting calendar year.

"On-time Completion Rate" is the number of on-time graduates divided by the number of students available for graduation.

"150% Graduates" is the number of students who completed the program within 150% of the program length (includes on-time graduates).

"150% Completion Rate" is the number of students who completed the program in the reported calendar year within 150% of the published program length, including on-time graduates, divided by the number of students available for graduation.

"Graduates Available for Employment" means the number of graduates minus the number of graduates unavailable for employment.

"Graduates Unavailable for Employment" means the graduates who, after graduation, die, become incarcerated, are called to active military duty, are international students that leave the United States or do not have a visa allowing employment in the United States, or are continuing their education in an accredited or bureau-approved postsecondary institution.

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“Graduates Employed in the Field” means graduates who beginning within six months after a student completes the applicable educational program are gainfully employed, whose employment has been reported, and for whom the institution has documented verification of employment. For occupations for which the state requires passing an examination, the six-month period begins after the announcement of the examination results for the first examination available after a student completes an applicable educational program.

“Gainfully Employed” means the graduate is employed in a job classification under the United States Department of Labor’s Standard Occupational Classification codes, using the Detailed Occupation (six-digit) level, for which the institution has identified in its catalog and in its employment positions list that the program prepares its graduates; and the graduate is employed in a single position or concurrent aggregated positions totaling at least 30 hours per week for 5 weeks (35 calendar days), or totaling at least 20 hours per week for 5 weeks (35 calendar days) with a statement signed by the graduate stating that he or she chose to seek part-time employment rather than fulltime employment after graduation; or

The graduate is employed by the same employer that employed the graduate before enrollment, and any of the following conditions are met: the graduate is employed in an occupation with a different Detailed Occupation (six-digit) level Standard Occupational Classification code than applies to the position in which the graduate was employed before enrollment; or the employer or the graduate provides a statement to the effect that the employment after graduation was the result of a promotion with increased pay, due at least in part to graduation from the program; or the employer or the graduate provides a statement to the effect that the degree or the completed program was required as a condition of continued employment; or

The graduate is self-employed or working freelance as reasonably evidenced by, but not limited to, a business license, fictitious business name statement, advertising (other than business cards), website, or business receipts or other evidence of income from business; or an attestation signed by the graduate of self-employment or freelance work and dated after graduation.

“Placement Rate Employed in the Field” is calculated by dividing the number of graduates gainfully employed in the field by the number of graduates available for employment.

Number of Graduates Taking Exam” is the number of graduates who took the first available exam in the reported calendar year.

“First Available Exam Date” is the date for the first available exam after a student completed a program.

“Passage Rate” is calculated by dividing the number of graduates who passed the exam by the number of graduates who took the reported licensing exam.

“Number Who Passed First Available Exam” is the number of graduates who took and passed the first available licensing exam after completing the program.

“Salary” is as reported by graduate or graduate’s employer.

“No Salary Information Reported” is the number of graduates for whom, after making reasonable attempts, the school was not able to obtain salary information.

This fact sheet is filed with the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education. Regardless of any information you may have relating to completion rates, placement rates, starting salaries, or license exam passage rates, this fact sheet contains the information as calculated pursuant to state law. Any questions a student may have regarding this fact sheet that have not been satisfactorily answered by the institution may be directed to the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education at PO Box 980818, West Sacramento, CA 95798. Internet Web site address: www.bppe.ca.gov, Telephone: 916-431-6959 or fax number: 916-263-1897.

Student Signature _____ *Date* _____ *School Representative Signature* _____ *Date*

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STUDENT'S RIGHT TO CANCEL

The student has a right to cancel an enrollment agreement or withdraw from a program and obtain a refund. They may cancel an agreement by providing written notice, by mail or in person to: John Lopez Welding School, 2925 Mosasco Street, Unit B, Bakersfield, CA 93312. The notice of cancellation can take any form. If written, it must be signed and dated by the student.

Withdrawal: A withdrawal may be effectuated by the student's written notice or by the student's conduct, including, but not necessarily limited to, a student's lack of attendance.

Refund Information: The student has a right to a full refund of all charges if he/she cancels an agreement prior to attendance at the first class session, or the seventh day after enrollment, whichever is later. After this, the registration fee and the Student Tuition Recovery Fund assessment are both non-refundable. The book and materials fee will be returned if the books and materials are unused and returned in good condition within 30 days of written notice of withdrawal. If certificate fees were charged and tests were not taken, they will be refunded. In addition, the student may withdraw from a course and receive a pro rata refund for the unused portion of the remaining charges at any time.

Refunds are calculated based on the last day of attendance as follows. First, the total refundable charges paid are divided by the program's total number of classroom hours to establish a quotient (cost per hour). This quotient is then multiplied by the actual hours that the student had completed. The resulting amount is subtracted from the total refundable charges paid to determine the refund dollar amount.

For example, in a case where a student completed only 75 hours of a 100-hour program and had paid a refundable tuition amount of \$4,800, the refund is calculated as follows; \$4,800 divided by 100 hours equals \$48 per hour. Seventy-five clock hours of instruction were received. \$48 per hour times 75 hours equals \$3,600. This amount is subtracted from the total refundable charges ($\$4,800 - \$3,600 = \$1,200$) leaving a refund amount of \$1,200.

If the school cancels or discontinues a course of instruction or educational program, the school will make a pro rata refund of all charges for instruction not received. Refunds will be paid within 45 days of cancellation or withdrawal.

If the school receives payment from any third party financier and for some reason a refund is due, that refund will be made to the entity that provided the original payment. If a student obtains a loan to pay for an educational program, the student will have the responsibility to repay the full amount of the loan plus interest, less the amount of any refund made to the third party financier. Also, if a student has received federal student financial aid funds, the student is entitled to a refund of the monies not paid from federal student financial aid program funds.