

Aviation Program Toolkit

Students in the Aviation Maintenance program are required to have a tool set for lab activities and assignments. This document provides students with a list of the minimum requirements. Please note that this is a minimum list and you may have more tools than that. We do insist that the tool storage, box or cart, not exceed the size listed due to space constraints in the hanger. We recommend that you purchase/bring the most professional set of tools you can afford. If you currently own some tools of professional quality, you can purchase what you need to fill out your set. We can provide information for vendors who want to work with students to build their professional tool sets by selling complete sets, partial sets, and offer discounts to students.

- Students registered for any of our aviation maintenance courses will be required to have their tools in the program area by the beginning of the second semester of classes (January) or they may be excluded from these lab classes.
- Sets must consist of professional grade tools and match the required list.
- Tool kits will be kept in the program area and must not be removed until the student has completed the program. Program staff and the student will inspect their box and contents when the student leaves the program.
- Most residential insurance companies can provide a rider to the policy at a minimal cost to cover personal tools and toolboxes.

The cost of the preferred tools is estimated to be \$2,691 (2023-2024 price). If you have financial aid and expect a refund this semester, you may be able to apply the refund toward the purchase of your tools. Contact your College Success Advisor to see about those arrangements. See your instructor for further details and other options available to you.

Several tool vendors offer substantial discounts to current students of aviation training programs. You have several options to purchase your tools. The Snap-On tool kit may be purchased directly from IWCC. Sets other than Snap-On may be purchased directly from that vendor. It is REQUIRED to purchase prior to the beginning of the second semester to insure delivery in time for lab activities.

Toolbox must not be larger than 4,300 cubic inch carrying cap.



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Toolkit Minimum Requirements

Item	Size		Item	Size
	1/4"		1/4-inch Drive Ratchet	Overall length 4 7/16"
1/4-inch Drive, 12 Point Shallow Universal Sockets	5/16"		3/8 Inch Drive Ratchet	Overall length 10
	3/8"		Universal Joint	1/4" Drive
	7/16"		Universal Joint	3/8" Drive
	1/2"		1/4" Drive Extension	2 inches long
	9/16"		1/4" Drive Extension	4 inches long
			1/4" Drive Extension	6 inches long
	3/16"			
	7/32"		3/8" Drive Extension	3 inches long
	1/4"		3/8" Drive Extension	6 inches long
1/4-inch Drive,	9/32"		3/8" Drive Extension	11 inches long
12 Point Deep	5/16"			
Sockets	11/32"		Half Round File	10 inches long
	3/8"		Mill File	10 inches long
_	7/16"		Adjustable Jaw File Handle	standard 4 1/2" long
	1/2"			1" dia.
	9/16"		File cleaner brush	std. 7 1/2" long
	0/40"		Long Nose Pliers with cutter	2 1/4" Jaw 8" overall
	3/16"			length
	7/32"		Combination Slip Joint Pliers	6 7/16" long
<u> </u>	1/4"		Duck Bill Pliers	Overall length 7 3/4"
	9/32"		Diamonal Cutting Diam	
1/4-inch Drive, 12	5/16" 11/32"		Diagonal Cutting Pliers	Overall length 5"
Point Shallow Sockets	3/8"		Diagonal Cutting Pliers	Overall length 6 5/16"
	7/16"		Standard Needle Nose Pliers	Overall length 6"
<u> </u>	1/2"		Standard Needle Nose Filers	Overall lelight 0
	9/16"			0.028"
	3/16"		Standard Hex Wrench Set "Allen Wrenches" consisting of the following sizes	0.035"
	0/10			0.050"
	1/4"			1/16"
	5/16"			5/64"
	3/8"			3/32"
	7/16"			7/64"
3/8-inch Drive 12	1/2"			1/8"
Point Shallow	9/16"			9/64"
Sockets	5/8"			5/32"
	11/16"			3/16"
	3/4"			7/32"
	13/16"			1/4"
	7/8"			5/16"
				3/8"



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Item	Size			
	Red Handle—left hand			
Aviation Style Cutting	Green Handle—right			
Shears "Aviation	hand cut			
Snips"	Yellow Handlestraight			
	1/8—1/8"			
	5/32—5/32"			
	3/16—3/16"			
Ignition 15°/60° Offset	15/64—1/4"			
Wrench Set	1/4—15/64" 9/32—5/16"			
	5/16—1/4"			
	11/32—3/8"			
	3/8—11/32"			
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True Flush Cut	Overall length 4 7/16			
(tapered head)	inches			
Electrical Service	Cutting capacity			
Cutter	AWG#17			
Scribe/pick	straight end and 90° end			
Ratcheting Soft Grip	Overall (total) length 4			
Stubby Screwdriver	1/2"			
Handle	shank length 2"			
Hex Shank Screwdriver Bit	No. 2 Phillips			
Hex Shank Screwdriver Bit	Standard size flat bit			
D "II DI I	9/32 and 13/64 flat tip			
Reversible Blade Screwdriver	rev. bit			
Sciewanvei	#1 and #2 Phillips rev. bit			
	12-inch Rule with			
Combination	Square/90 head—Center			
Measuring Set	Head and Protractor Head			
6" Steel Rule	Graduated in 1/32 and 1/64"			
Inspection Mirror 1 ¼" dia.	closed length 10" ext. length 14"			
Facility Or	25 blades .0015, .002 to			
Feeler Gauge	.025" .001" increments.			
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Explosion Proof Flashlight Telescopic Magnetic Pen-style pick up tool				
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Item	Size	
Ball Peen Hammer	8 oz	
Plastic Tipped Hammer	16 oz wt.	
	3/32"	
	1/8"	
	5/32"	
Pin Punch	3/16"	
	7/32"	
	1/4"	
	5/16"	
Center Punch	5/16 hex size 5" long	
Pocket Magnifier	Multi Lens	
Reversible Wire	6- or 9-inch pliers with	
Twister/Cutters	overall	
	3/8"	
	7/16"	
Open end Angled 30° and	1/2"	
. 60°	9/16"	
Wrenches	5/8"	
	11/16"	
	3/4"	
	7/32"	
Combination Wrench with	1/4"	
12-point box end	5/16"	
	11/32"	
	3/8"	
	7/16"	
Short handle Combination	1/2"	
Wrench with Ratcheting Box	9/16"	
end	5/8"	
	11/16"	
	3/4"	
	3/8"	
	7/16"	
	1/2"	
	9/16"	
3/8-inch Drive Crowfoot	5/8"	
Wrenches	11/16"	
	3/4"	
	13/16"	
	7/16"	
	15/16"	
	1"	



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Tool Box

No larger than
4,300 cubic inch
carrying cap.
all drawers must be
shadowed for above
tools.

Recommended: Snap-On **KMC18062N** with eight (8) drawers



The Snap-On Aircraft Maintenance Kit with Portable Chest # KMC18AVTK with additional 211FCOA 3/8-inch Drive Crowfoot wrenches and OXIR707 Flank Drive Combination Ratcheting Box/Open End Wrenches is recommended.

