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**New Aeronautics, Aviation, Aerospace Science and
Technology Program Offered by the
Waterford School District**
Only District in Oakland County to Offer Program

September 23, 2009, Waterford, Mich. – Waterford School District announces a new two-year Aeronautics, Aviation, Aerospace Science and Technology State Approved Career and Technical Education Program, offered to high school students who are selected through an application process. Students who are interested in careers in the aviation industry will have the opportunity to gain knowledge and certification in ground school and private pilot instruction.

The curriculum, offered through Flight 101 at Oakland County International Airport, covers standards defined by the United States Department of Transportation Federal Aviation Administration. Year one of the program provides career exploration and exposure to careers in aviation/aerospace, and ground school instruction. In year two, students will participate in ground school and flight instruction. The program meets 2-3 times per week throughout the school year.

The Waterford School District is one of four in the State and the only District in Oakland County to offer this program.

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