



## Salaries are Soaring!

Antelope Valley College Air Conditioning, Refrigeration & Ventilation (ACRV) students are succeeding in careers like these!

**Wholesale and Manufacturing Sales for Technical Products** \$66,770

**Commercial and Industrial Designers (with more education)** \$61,190

**Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers** \$53,610

# Air Conditioning, Refrigeration & Ventilation (ACRV)



**SAVE TIME AND MONEY ON A HIGH-QUALITY EDUCATION WHILE STAYING CLOSE-TO-HOME!**

Your career-focused degree or certificate in Air Conditioning, Refrigeration & Ventilation (ACRV) is waiting. Call or visit us to get started today!

**JUST CLICK APPLY: [AVC.EDU](http://AVC.EDU)**

**QUESTIONS? CALL US! (661) 722-6327**

## AVC At-A-Glance

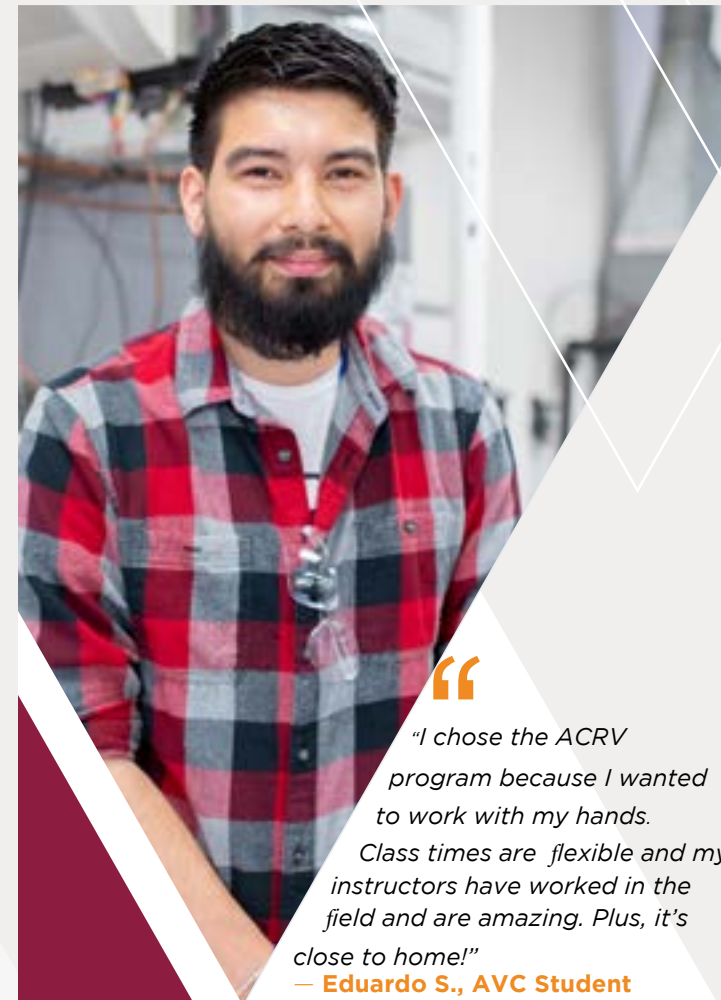
**153** Degree & Certificate Program Options

**3,543** Workforce-Ready Degrees & Certificates Awarded in 2018-19

**2** Convenient Locations



Antelope Valley College  
Registration Office  
3041 West Avenue K  
Lancaster, CA 93536-54261



*"I chose the ACRV program because I wanted to work with my hands. Class times are flexible and my instructors have worked in the field and are amazing. Plus, it's close to home!"*  
— **Eduardo S., AVC Student**



## Connect to Success!

If you're looking for a cool career where the job prospects are heating up, you've come to the right place! Careers in air conditioning, refrigeration, and ventilation are projected to grow at a rate of 20% by 2026, adding 3,530 new jobs in California every year!

In AVC's Air Conditioning, Refrigeration & Ventilation (ACRV) Program, classes are taught in a state-of-the-art technology building where students gain hands-on experience installing, maintaining, and repairing the newest air conditioning, refrigeration and ventilation equipment. From interpreting schematics to laying out air handling systems, students master the use of cutting-edge specialty tools while getting the training they need to pass the EPA's Refrigerant Handling Certification tests.

Successful graduates start careers in installation, maintenance and service positions, as well as sales, parts distribution, system design, equipment testing, and manufacturing. And because of AVC's strong industry partnerships and internship program, transitioning into careers with regional employers like Manitowoc, Cal Trans, and Northrop Grumman has never been easier!

## Degrees & Certificates

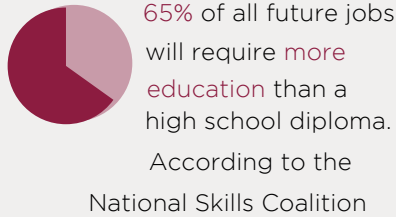
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- 🎓 Associate in Science - Air Conditioning Specialist
- 🎓 Associate in Science - Air Conditioning and Refrigeration
- 🎓 Certificate - Refrigeration Specialist
- 🎓 Certificate - Air Conditioning Specialist Certificate -
- 🎓 Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Specialist

## Futures are Bright!

With demand for skilled, career-educated professionals growing faster than ever, there has never been a better time to get a future-focused degree or certificate from Antelope Valley College!

**48.9%**  
of AVC students are the first in their family to attend college.

Number of **Strong Workforce Stars** AVC earned for excellence in career education.



**More Education = Lower Unemployment + Higher Wages**  
According to the US Department of Labor

★ AVC's Air Conditioning Specialist program won a prestigious Strong Workforce Bronze star for boosting student earnings by 50% or more!

Demand for heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics and installers is **projected to grow over 20%** by 2026, much faster than other industries!

**\$55,000+**  
The average industry wage is \$55,140 in California but seasoned professionals make up to \$94,380!

# Affording AVC

Paying for college can be tough. We can make it easier.

## California College Promise Grant

Eligible, first-time students go to college for free!

## Financial Aid

Grants, loans, and work-study employment from federal and state programs, as well as community organizations help lighten the load!

## Scholarships

Hundreds of scholarships are available to students through the AVC Foundation and outside organizations!

# Supporting Success

AVC students have access to these **FREE** services and more!

## Academic & Career Counseling

Put your future on the fast track with the support and guidance of our qualified advising staff.

## STAR Program

The Student Transition Academic Retention Program (STAR) program provides special services to support first-generation students.

## Veterans Resource Center

Thank you for your service. Now let us serve you and your family as you pursue your educational objectives.

## Guardian Scholars Foster Youth

A support system for foster youth designed to assist with common needs and concerns.

## ARCHES Program

The At Risk Community for Homeless Educational Services (ARCHES) program provides support for students who are struggling to meet basic needs or experiencing homelessness.

**Visit AVC.edu for information on Financial Aid and other FREE student services.**