



KYLE

WELDER AND FABRICATOR TEAM ELMER'S



**What kind of vehicles and
equipment is worked on?**



STEM Career

CORE TASKS

- **Fixing all things metal including cracked buckets and bent soil spreaders**
- **Repair and rebuild construction equipment as needed**
- **Operate safety equipment and use safe work habits**

OUTLOOK



**Slowly increasing
job demand**

**Check out
occupations as
an HVAC/R Tech
or a Heavy
Equipment Tech**



ANNUAL SALARY RANGE

\$28,120–\$57,360

MICHIGAN



\$27,160–\$59,150

**NORTHWESTERN
MICHIGAN**

• Salary information from [O*net](#)



Kyle's suggestions for getting started:

Don't be afraid to start at the bottom. You will work with people you don't care for. That's okay. Always be respectful and open minded. I learned some of the best tricks of the trade from people I could barely stand.



HIGH SCHOOL CAREER TECH OPTIONS



- [Charlevoix-Emmet ISD Career Tech Programs](#): Welding Technology
- [Northwest Education Services Career Tech Center](#): Welding
- [Wexford Missaukee ISD Career Tech Center](#): Metal Fabrication and Welding

WELDERS OFTEN SEEK ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATIONS OR TRAINING

- [Kirtland Community College](#)
- [North Central Michigan College](#)
- [Northwestern Michigan College](#)
- [Westshore Community College](#)
- [Industrial Arts Institute](#)
- [American Welding Society](#)

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