AutoMate can be useful for automotive students and the general student population. It provides repair information from the Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM) and includes step-by-step repair information, diagrams, maintenance schedules, parts and labor estimates, service bulletins, recalls and more.

AutoMate has information on cars going back to 1974 and is updated regularly with new information on recalls along with technical service bulletins.

Video tutorials about database access can be found by selecting Library Orientation on the library homepage.

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Designed for touch-enabled devices such as laptops and tablets, AutoMate offers a user-friendly search experience and access to a wealth of information to help users diagnose, repair and maintain today's complex vehicles. Diagrams and images can be easily magnified and printed.

To Get Started:

Access TTC Library webpage:
1.) [www.tridenttech.edu](http://www.tridenttech.edu)
2.) Scroll down and select TTC Libraries (under Useful Links) near the bottom, center of the page, under the heading Databases/Articles, chose Databases A-Z for an alphabetical list of databases and an explanation of what is contained in each. Select AutoMate.

To access this database off campus you will need to enter your student login when prompted.

How can you search in it?

1. Select the Year, Make, and Model for your desired vehicle from the Year, Make, and Model drop-down menus.
2. Select the engine of your desired vehicle from the Engine drop-down menu.
3. Search within the vehicle Information using the Search Box or select from a list of available topics below.

AutoMate contains:

- Service information
- Technical service bulletins and recall notices
- Component location diagrams
- Wiring diagrams for all systems
- Maintenance schedules and estimated labor times
- Engineering specifications
- Diagnostic Trouble Codes (DTCs), flowcharts and step-by-step diagnostic instructions